

# Surgical Case

OR

# Procedure with Anesthesia

## Scheduled

>= 3 days  
before  
Procedure  
date

COVID-19 Test –In-house test –  
LAB4147 COVID19 (PCR test)

Order the test to be performed **3 business days** prior to procedure. Saturday is considered a business day, but not Sunday. Please see the testing guide for details.

Patient can be seen at Salem Health (Building A, Building C4000, or State Street)

May also use KP, Salem Clinic, South Salem Primary Care for testing (Praxis), schedule according to turnaround times. Tests > 8 days old are not accepted.

Instruct patient to self isolate after they have their test done.

< 3 days  
before  
Procedure  
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Order Point of Care test to be done in Prep/Recovery day of service.

Enter as a sign and hold order.

## Urgent/Emergent

A case

Point of Care test if time allows before surgery. If not, POC testing after induction of anesthesia.

Treat with airborne PPE for AGP and 20 min wait after AGP until results are available from POC test.

B,C,D,U1,U2/  
during the  
day/next day

Order Point of Care test to be done:

After hours: OR charge RN or PACU night shift RN

OR

Upon arrival to Prep/Recovery during hours Prep/Recovery is normally open.

COVID-19 testing during the same admission of > 8 days old does not need to be repeated unless there is a change in the patient's condition and there is suspicion for COVID infection. If so, order the In-house test for best results on a symptomatic patient.

### Testing Guide:

Collection Day (for ->) Surgery Day

Monday -> Thursday

Tuesday -> Friday

Wednesday

Thursday -> Monday

Friday -> Tuesday

Saturday -> Wednesday

### Regional Lab Details:

- Inpatient testing will be resulted within 24 hours. Tests collected in the morning have the best likelihood of same day results.
- Outpatient testing will be completed within 2 days (day of collection is Day 0).