

Supply Chain Product Information

This information is an effort to provide supply updates and changes for your awareness.

Product Discontinuation ITM-1148597 TUBE VACUTAINER LT BLUE 4.5 ML

April 2021

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BD has discontinued production of their 4.5mL Vacutainer Citrate Glass Blood Collection Tube. The replacement item will be ITM-1148596 VACUTAINER COAG 2.7ML (BD's 2.7mL Vacutainer Citrate plastic Blood Collection Tube).

Status	ITM & Description	Picture
Discontinued product	ITM-1148597 TUBE VACUTAINER LT BLUE 4.5ML	
Replacement product	ITM-1148596 VACUTAINER COAG 2.7ML	

To account for the change from the 4.5 mL vacutainer to the 2.7 mL, staff could notice a difference in the number of tubes they are required to collect for the lab tests below. If you have any additional questions around the specimen collection of the tests below, please refer to the laboratory catalog or contact the Coagulation Department at 616-267-2740.

Platelet Aggregation Studies	LAB2111147
Adamts 13 Activity	LAB3440
Adamts 13 Antibody	LAB3441
Adamts 13 Inhibitor	LAB3442
Protein C Antigen	LAB490
Protein S Antigen Free and Total	LAB493
Von Willebrand Factor Multimer	LAB2111186
Plasminogen Activator Inhibitor-1 Antigen, Plasma	LAB9996
Activated Protein C Resistance	LAB1230063

You may start to see this change as soon as April 28th, 2021.