

Newborn Screening Bulletin 2016-10

October 27, 2016

UPDATE ON SATURDAY SAMPLE PICK-UPS BY PUROLATOR

Newborn Screening Ontario is moving to full operations on Saturday to reduce delays for samples shipped on Fridays. In addition, Saturday sample pickups will improve the timeliness of newborn screening in Ontario. Therefore, NSO is altering our recommendations to encourage the shipping of samples on Saturdays for Monday delivery at NSO.

Packages shipped on Friday:

To expedite sample delivery to NSO please select the option for Saturday delivery when shipping samples on Fridays. This option may not be available for all sites.

Shipping packages on Saturday:

Purolator has identified sites where Saturday pickup is available. Some sites do not have the option of a Saturday pickup. Please see the attached list of sites where Saturday pickup is **not** available. If your site is on this list, please continue to send screening samples daily, Monday to Friday.

NSO conducted interviews to identify potential barriers to Saturday shipping. The primary barriers identified were the scheduling of extra pickups and change to the Purolator pick up point, as many sites ship through the receiving department which is not open on Saturdays. If Saturday pickup is not available in your regular pickup location, we recommend that you choose an accessible alternative location for pickup and communicate this clearly to Purolator. This location can be selected when creating your waybills on the Purolator site. This location should be easily located by the Purolator driver.

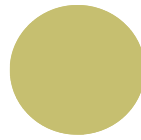
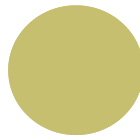
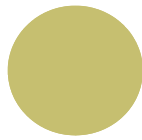
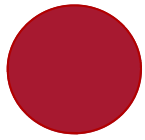
Please contact us at newbornscreening@cheo.on.ca if you have any questions about sample transportation.

Shipment Options

Description	<input type="text"/>
Package Type	Express Envelope
Service	Purolator Express Envelope
Number of Pieces	1
Total Weight	1 Imperial (lb, in)
Declared Value	\$ <input type="text"/> .00
<input type="checkbox"/>	OSNR - Signature Not Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Saturday Delivery
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dangerous Goods Indicator

Pickup Location	
Front Door	Until <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Back Door	pickup: Show
Basement	Arranged Pickup
Between Doors	
Counter	
Desk	
Front Desk	
Front Door	
Front Porch	
Garage	
Gate House	
Kiosk	
Lab	
Loading Dock	
Lobby	
Mail Room	
Mailbox	
Office	
Additional (optional) ?	
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Instructions (optional)	
Add more	<input type="text"/>
Reference)	<input type="text"/>
or Delivery	<input type="text"/>
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Thank you for your continued involvement in ensuring Ontario's newborns get timely access to newborn screening.



SITES THAT DO NOT HAVE ACCESS TO A SATURDAY PICKUP

Alexandra Hospital	Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance - Seaforth Community Hospital	Nipigon District Memorial Hospital
Alexandra Marine & General Hospital	Kenora Midwives	North Bay Regional Health Centre
Anson General Hospital	Kirkland and District Hospital	Notre-Dame Hospital
Atikokan General Hospital	K'Tigaaning Midwives	Pembroke Regional Hospital
Bluewater Health– Sarnia Site	Lady Minto Hospital	Pratique Sages Femmes de Hearst Midwifery Practice
Boreal Midwifery Practice	Lake of the Woods District Hospital	Red Lake Margaret Cochenour Memorial Hospital
Chatham-Kent Health Alliance	Leamington District Memorial Hospital	Renfrew Victoria Hospital
Community Midwives of Thunder Bay	Listowel Memorial Hospital	Riverside Health Care Facilities Inc.- La Verendrye Hospital
Cornwall Community Hospital	Madawaska Valley Midwives - Petawawa Site	Sensenbrenner Hospital
Countryside Midwifery Services- Milverton	Manitouwadge General Hospital	Sioux Lookout Meno-Ya-Win Health Centre
Deep River Hospital	Maternity Care Midwives of Thunder Bay	South Bruce Grey Health Centre - Walkerton
Dryden Regional Health Centre	McCausland Hospital	Stratford General Hospital Site
Gentle Beginnings Midwifery - Winches- ter Site	Midwifery Collective of Essex County	Stratford Midwives
Gentle Beginnings Midwifery-Cornwall	Midwifery Services of Lambton-Kent	Temiskaming Hospital
Geraldton District Hospital	Midwives Grey Bruce	Thames Valley Midwives
Grey Bruce Health Services	Midwives of Chatham Kent	Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre
Grey Bruce Health Services - Southampton Site	Midwives of Georgian Bay	Weeneebayko Health Ahtuskaywin/ Weeneebayko General Hospital
Grey Bruce Health Services - Wiarton	Midwives of Muskoka	West Parry Sound Health Centre
Hanover and District Hospital	Midwives of North Bay	Wilson Memorial General Hospital
Hawkesbury and District General Hospital	Midwives of Windsor	Windsor Regional Hospital - Metropolitan Campus
Huron Community Midwifery Services	Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare - Hunts- ville District Memorial Hospital Site	Wingham and District Hospital
Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance - Clinton Public Hospital Site	Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare - South Muskoka Memorial Hospital Site	Woodstock General Hospital