

HIGH DESERT HEALTH SYSTEM AMBULATORY SURGICAL CENTER

SUBJECT: IX-106 POINT OF CARE URINE PREGNANCY TESTING	POLICY #: 1265
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PURPOSE:

To provide guidelines for safe and accurate urine pregnancy testing in patients presenting for surgical or invasive procedures of the Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC).

POLICY:

It is the policy of this ASC to follow High Desert Health System Clinical Laboratory Department policy # 927, titled [Pregnancy Testing: Use of the QuickVue+ One-Step hCG Combo Test](#) as its policy for testing for pregnancy when ordered during their ASC stay.

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