



MEMORANDUM

DATE: 7-28-19

TO: NPL Clients

FROM: Rhonda Burgard MT (ASCP) BB, MPA, Client Services Supervisor

Re: Transport tubes

We are unable to obtain transport tubes and caps from our current manufacturer (Supply item #801594 and Supply item #801595). Once you use up your existing supplies of the old transport tubes if you have extra tubes or caps please return them to NPL. The old supply codes have been discontinued and new supply order forms are being distributed.

The replacement transport tubes are: Sarstedt 5 ml transport tubes (Supply item #801762): These new tubes have graduated volume markings similar to the current transport tubes. Caps do not need to be ordered separately. Please make sure all caps are securely attached to the transport tube before sending to Northern Plains Laboratory.

Also remember, NPL transport tubes must be ordered by the number of tubes desired instead of by the number of bags of tubes desired.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Rhonda Burgard at 701-530-5704 or Natalie Miller at 701-530-5758