

LABORATORY

The laboratory at SWVMHI provides comprehensive laboratory testing for the patient population of the facility at the direction of the medical staff. Medical Laboratory Technicians (MLT) and Medical Technologists (MT) who are certified by the American Society of Clinical Pathology collect and process samples in addition to performing fundamental testing in our on-site lab. All lab personnel are also routinely assessed for competency to perform patient testing with skill and accuracy. Testing not performed “in-house” is referred to Laboratory Corporation of America for analysis at their central lab and beyond. In addition, the College of American Pathology (CAP) accredits the laboratory. The CAP Standards for Laboratory Accreditation demand a continuous commitment to quality and excellence.