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The Clinical Laboratory is committed to the required turnaround time (TAT) for test reporting. In the event of a delay, the laboratories will notify the appropriate physician, nursing station or clinical area. They will also be notified of the approximate downtime and the alternate procedures for reporting.