



Hagerstown Medical Laboratory

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To: Clients of Hagerstown Medical Laboratory
From: John G. Newby, M.D., Director of Laboratories
Subject: Hagerstown Medical Laboratory Name Change

Meritus Medical Laboratory is Coming!

Since 1986, **Hagerstown Medical Laboratory (HML)** has provided our friends and neighbors in Washington and Frederick County, Maryland and nearby communities in Pennsylvania and West Virginia with laboratory services of exceptional quality, timeliness and value. As part of the Meritus Health family we are thrilled to announce our change in name, but not in mission or service, to **Meritus Medical Laboratory (MML)**. By becoming Meritus Medical Laboratory we can take our place in the Meritus Health family, offering quality and affordable state-of-the-art laboratory services into the 21st Century and beyond.

During the next few weeks, we will be updating our signage at our main office in Robinwood Professional Center and at our ten Patient Service Centers located in Frederick County and Washington County in Maryland. Beginning July 1, 2011, you will also see our new name appearing on patient reports, invoices, forms and requisitions. Despite these changes, we will continue to honor any old forms and requisitions referencing Hagerstown Medical Laboratory until you have exhausted your supply; we will then replace them with the new Meritus Medical Laboratory materials.

Clients who enter the HML Website or HML Physician Portal address and /or utilize links to either of them will be automatically redirected to their new addresses:

www.meritusmedlab.com and https://portal.meritusmedlab.com/iatricconnect_live/

We appreciate our ongoing professional association with you, our clients, and thank you for your patience as we transition to our new identity as Meritus Medical Laboratory. If you have further questions concerning our name change, please contact Client Services at 301-665-4900 or 1-800-428-2105.