

# OREGON STATE HOSPITAL

PORTLAND – SALEM

## POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

POINT PERSON: BRIAN LITTLE

DATE: 2/8/12

OSH POLICY NUMBER & TITLE: 6.054, CRITICAL VALUES/RESULTS

#### PURPOSE OF THIS POLICY:

To define the procedures for managing critical results of tests and diagnostic procedures.

#### SUBSTANTIAL CONTENT CHANGES (EXCLUDING "HOUSEKEEPING" CHANGES):

Therapeutic Drug levels updates:

Clozapine >1000 ng/ml

Clozapine+Norclozapine>1200 ng/ml

Nursing Procedure update:

Record in Avatar using "Lab: Critical Lab Values" note type, and "Critical Lab Values" template.

#### REFERENCE CHANGES (ORS, OAR, TJC, CMS, OTHER):

N/A

#### LOCATION OF POLICY:

OSH Policy and Procedure Manual, Section 6