

## August 2012 Lab Services Outreach "News You Can Use" Bulletin

## Required Consent Forms on-line

- In order to reduce patient re-draws and extra calls to your office, it is important that consent forms are sent to the lab simultaneously with the specimen.
- Consent forms for numerous lab tests are now available on our test menu website
  - For highest volume consent-required tests, go to: <u>www.testmenu.com/rochester</u>
     Select: Consent Forms & Requisitions (right sidebar of web page)
  - For all other consent-required tests, within URMC Labs Test Directory, see "Ordering Recommendations" within respective test pages. If "Patient consent required", then name of & link to the performing laboratory website are provided, please find required consent forms within.
  - Note: eRecord users please print necessary consent forms from reference link when prompted

## We Want to Hear from You! 2012 URMC Labs Satisfaction Survey is now LIVE!

- Please take a few minutes to complete your survey by August 31<sup>st</sup>!
- Practice Managers, Nurse Managers, Providers & Office Managers are eligible
- Win great prizes in our raffle, e.g. a Kindle, a Vera Bradley bag, wine baskets!
- DOUBLE your CHANCES in our raffle by completing the survey on-line
- Look for your survey on our website NOW at: <a href="www.URMC-Labs.com">www.URMC-Labs.com</a> "Click Here for Surveys on How We Can Serve You Better"
- Did You Know? URMC Labs Cytology department performs Fine Needle Aspirations (FNAs) on Palpable Lesions. A highly accurate, less invasive, and fast alternative to a surgical biopsy.
  - FNAs quickly and accurately diagnose primary, metastatic and/or recurrent tumors
  - FNA preliminary results can be rendered within minutes to your physician after the procedure is completed, with a final diagnosis provided within 24 hours for most cases
  - Our Board-Certified Cytopathologists perform FNAs, with the entire experience taking approximately 30 to 40 minutes
  - To make an appointment, please have patients call (585) 275-5656