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Apollo Digital Pathology Sets a New Standard with 24-Hour Turnaround for Biopsy Results

Streamlined Process Ensures Faster Diagnoses and Improved Patient Care Across Multiple States

Columbus, OH – September 9, 2024 – [Apollo Digital Pathology](#) has redefined industry standards by introducing an unprecedented 24-hour turnaround time for biopsy results, a remarkable improvement compared to the typical 7-14 day wait times commonly observed in the pathology sector. This innovative service is designed to significantly reduce the anxiety patients face while waiting for potentially life-changing news, allowing for quicker and more effective initiation of treatment plans.

The importance of swift turnaround times in pathology cannot be overstated. Delays in obtaining biopsy results can lead to prolonged patient anxiety, delayed treatment, and potentially worsened outcomes. By accelerating this process, Apollo Digital Pathology is not only addressing these concerns but also setting a new benchmark in the industry. This development comes at a time when timely diagnostics and treatment initiation are increasingly recognized as critical components of quality healthcare.

Dr. Adel Youssef, MD, FACP, FACG, AGAF, Founder of Apollo Digital Pathology, was driven by his firsthand experiences as a physician to establish this service. He explains, "Telling a patient their biopsy results will be back in 5-7 days is always anxiety-provoking. This experience motivated me to create my own pathology lab 14 years ago. Now, my patients receive their results within 24 hours, reducing stress and allowing for faster, more effective care."

Dr. Youssef's vision has always been centered on improving patient outcomes by leveraging technology and innovative processes to deliver results more efficiently.

The 24-hour turnaround service is available to medical practices throughout Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Western West Virginia, and Southern Michigan. This is made possible through Apollo's daily express biopsy pickup system, which ensures that samples are processed and analyzed without unnecessary delays. While certain cases, such as those requiring second opinions or special stains, are excluded from the 24-hour guarantee, the majority of biopsies will benefit from this expedited process.

Pathology turnaround time (TAT) has long been a critical quality indicator within medical laboratories. As noted in several studies, including a 2015 BMJ Quality Improvement Report, reducing TAT is directly linked to improving patient outcomes, particularly in critical cases where timely diagnosis and treatment are essential. Moreover, a quick turnaround can prevent the negative consequences associated with delayed diagnostics, such as increased morbidity and

mortality rates. Apollo Digital Pathology's new service aligns with these findings, offering a tangible improvement in the delivery of care.

Apollo Digital Pathology's commitment to innovation extends beyond just speed. The company utilizes state-of-the-art technology and adheres to the highest standards of quality assurance, ensuring that rapid delivery does not come at the cost of accuracy. The lab's local presence in the regions it serves further enhances its ability to provide this fast turnaround, as samples do not need to be shipped long distances, which can introduce delays and increase the risk of errors.

For healthcare providers, this means an opportunity to improve the patient experience and outcomes significantly.

As Dr. Youssef emphasizes, "When patients receive their results within 24 hours, they can move forward with their treatment plans much sooner, which is crucial for both their mental well-being and their physical health."

This not only enhances patient satisfaction but also allows healthcare providers to optimize their treatment schedules, improving overall efficiency within the practice.

Medical practices interested in partnering with Apollo Digital Pathology to offer this expedited service can learn more about the Concierge Express Process by visiting <https://apolloedigitalpath.com>. Apollo's team is ready to guide practices through the setup process, ensuring a seamless integration with their existing workflows. For more information, visit apolloedigitalpathology.com.

About Apollo Digital Pathology

Apollo Digital Pathology is a leading provider of pathology services, dedicated to enhancing patient care through fast, reliable, and accurate diagnostic solutions. The company leverages cutting-edge technology and a commitment to excellence to set new industry standards, ensuring that patients and healthcare providers receive the information they need when they need it. With a focus on reducing turnaround times and improving diagnostic accuracy, Apollo Digital Pathology is transforming the landscape of pathology services in Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Western West Virginia, and Southern Michigan.

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