QUANTIFERON TESTING INSTRUCTIONS

Specimen collection for Quantiferon (QTF) will be performed at selected Quest Diagnostics Patient Service Centers. Please follow the instructions below to obtain an electronic order for the UNLV Student Health Center Laboratory (SHCL).

1. Contact the UNLV Student Health Center Laboratory at 702-895-0280.
   - If lab personnel is not available to take your call, please leave your name, date of birth (DOB), NSHE#, and phone number. Your call will be returned within one hour.

2. Lab personnel will ask you to confirm your billing preference:
   a. Student Health Insurance/CHP-Cigna (SHI) – the QTF and venipuncture fee will be billed to the SHI.
   b. Out-of-Pocket – the out-of-pocket QTF test cost is $54 including the venipuncture fee. You will receive an invoice from the Student Health Center.
   c. Private Health Insurance – you will be asked to email the front and back side of the insurance card as well as the policy holder’s name, DOB, address, and phone number to the SHCL.

   Note: Since this test is for access requirement and not medically necessary, there is a high probability that the insurance company will reject the claim. If the claim is rejected, the policy holder assumes the responsibility for payment of charges for laboratory services that are not covered by the healthcare insurer. The average price for this test is over $300 and venipuncture fees range from $10-$20.

3. You will receive the following email from the SHCL:

   Subject: Quantiferon Referral

   Per your request, an electronic order (PSC Hold) has been submitted to Quest Diagnostics. Please present your picture ID and reference the following numbers: Req# 123456; Lab Ref ID# 7891011 to the receptionist at the Patient Service Centers.

   You may only go the following collection sites for Quantiferon as a walk-in or by appointment:
Your student health insurance will be billed for the testing and venipuncture, or you will receive an invoice from the UNLV Student Health Center, or the reference laboratory will bill your private health insurance. The policy holder assumes responsibility for payment of charges for laboratory services that are not covered by the healthcare insurer if you chose that option.

**DO NOT pay Quest Diagnostics.**

Refer to the following instructions to retrieve your result in approximately one week post collection (appointment).

Please login into the Student Wellness Center secure web-based portal, **UNLV Wellness View**
To Register go to:
https://unlv.medicatconnect.com

With the portal you can do the Following:

- Schedule, view or cancel appointments.
- Receive non-urgent, secure messages from clinicians.
- View billing information.
- **and view Lab Results once requested they will be downloaded to the portal.**

Please do not hesitate to contact the Student Health Center Laboratory if you have any questions.