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Health Resources  
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1 Department of Health  
2 Maternal and Child Health

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4 Adopted Rule Relating to Newborn Metabolic Screening Program;  
5 Duties of Responsible Parties

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7 Rule as Adopted

8 4615.0500 DUTIES OF RESPONSIBLE PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE NEWBORN  
9 METABOLIC SCREENING PROGRAM.

10 The responsible party shall do all of the following:

11 A. [Unchanged.]

12 B. Collect or have collected a specimen for screening  
13 no later than the fifth day after the infant's birth, unless the  
14 parents lawfully object to such screening. If this specimen is  
15 taken prior to 24 hours after birth, the responsible party shall  
16 notify the parents or legal guardian verbally and in writing of  
17 the necessity of having the PKU test repeated on their newborn  
18 not later than the 14th day of life. If taking a blood sample  
19 at the times specified above is medically contraindicated, the  
20 sample shall be taken as soon as the infant's condition permits.

21 C. [Unchanged.]

22 D. Send the specimen and the following information to  
23 the Minnesota Department of Health laboratory within 24 hours  
24 after collection:

- 25 (1) newborn infant's name;
- 26 (2) sex;
- 27 (3) mother's name;
- 28 (4) home address;
- 29 (5) date of birth;
- 30 (6) date of first feeding;
- 31 (7) date specimen collected;
- 32 (8) name and address of attending physician and  
33 hospital submitting specimen;
- 34 (9) county;
- 35 (10) birth weight or gestational age; and
- 36 (11) bottle, breast, both.

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E. [Unchanged.]