Specimen Management and LDMS

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Specimen Management

- MTN 003, 015 and MTN 020 Samples will remain at local laboratories indefinitely
- MTN 025 anticipated to start in 2016
Specimen Management

- Destruction of Samples:
  - MTN 020 Failed enrollments
  - MTN 020 “Participants who did not consent to long term storage”
Shipments

- Nothing known to be planned but could happen at any time for MTN 003, 015, 020
  - Completion of study defined objectives
  - Ancillary studies
- The LC will loop you in as soon as we get confirmation that a shipment is planned
LDMS Reconciliations

- MTN 003 + 020: LDMS reconciliations completed.
- MTN 015: LDMS reconciliations will be ongoing.
- MTN 025: LDMS reconciliations will begin as soon as sites begin storing samples.
LDMS Reconciliations

- Some tips:
  - Investigate these each month as soon as you get them. Respond ASAP to leave time to investigate before next report.
  - Make sure all the correct people are on the distribution lists.
    - Lab
    - Clinic
LDMS Reconciliations

- Communications
  - Between Site/Contract Labs and Clinic
  - Between Site lab/Clinic and LC
    - Don’t send the LC requisition forms
    - Helpful documents: LDMS reports, scans of CRF’s, screenshots