

ED TO IP ADMISSION ORDER RECONCILIATION MANAGING THE EVERY 6 DAYS COVID-19 LAB ORDER

DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND

Audience: Admitting Providers

When a patient is seen in the Emergency Department, in addition to an initial COVID-19 test a repeat COVID-19 test with a frequency of every 6 days will be ordered automatically.

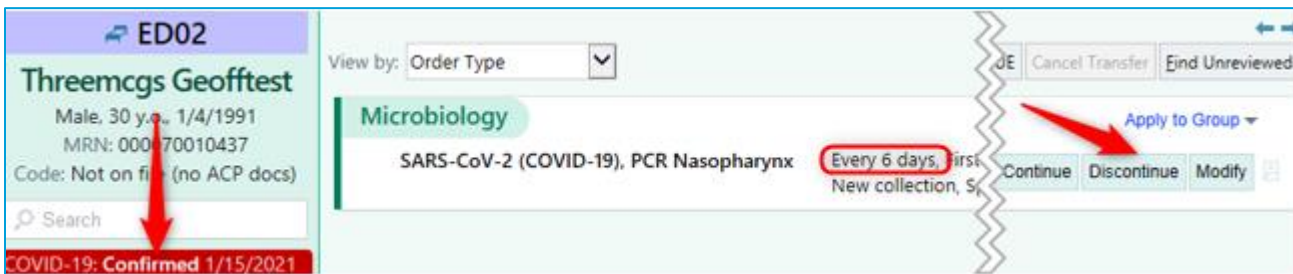
During Admission Order Reconciliation, look to the left at the Storyboard **COVID-19 Status Line** to determine if you will Continue or Discontinue the **Every 6 days** lab order.

Note: If the lab order is continued, testing will occur every 6 days. The tests will be sent to Lankenau Medical Center and will be resulted in 6-12 hours.

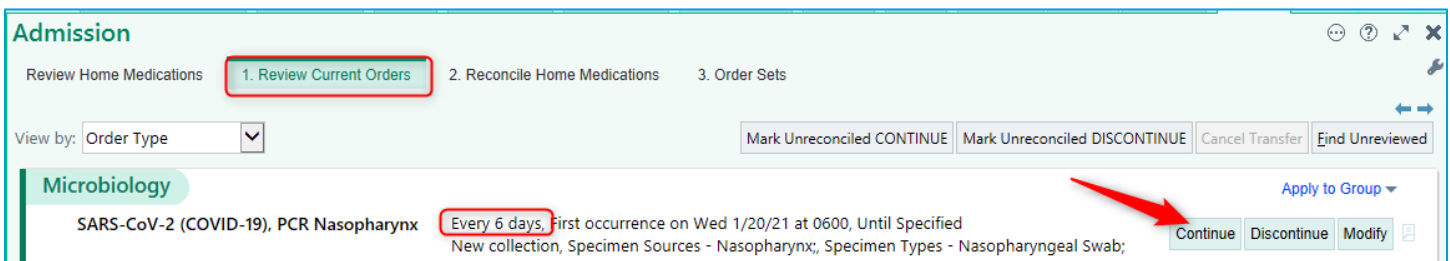
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ADMISSION ORDER RECONCILIATION

If the initial ED COVID-19 test is **Positive** (COVID-19 **Confirmed**), select **Discontinue** the **Every 6 days** lab order.



If the initial ED COVID-19 test is negative or pending, select **Continue** the **Every 6 days** lab order.

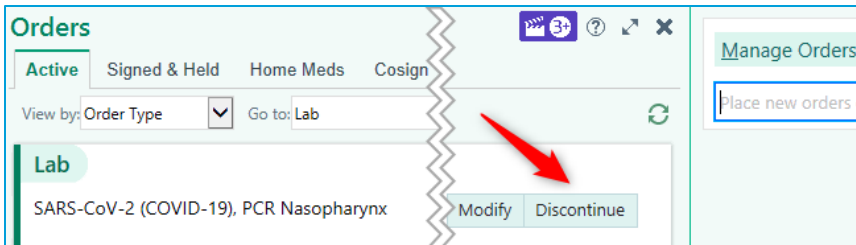


Selecting **Continue** will:

- Change the name of the Authorizing Provider from the Emergency Provider to the Provider who completed the Admission Reconciliation.
- Place a COVID-19 lab order every 6 days while the patient is admitted.

HOW TO DISCONTINUE COVID-19 ORDER FROM THE ORDERS ACTIVITY

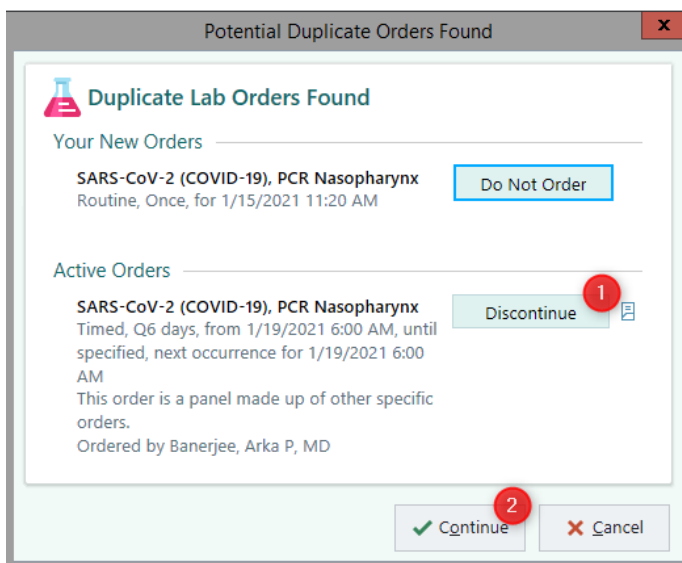
To discontinue the COVID-19 order if Admission Order Reconciliation is already completed, go to the Orders Activity.



INPATIENTS WHO DEVELOP COVID-19 SYMPTOMS

If an admitted patient develops COVID-19 symptoms before the 6 day window, enter a new one-time COVID-19 order with **Symptomatic/COVID Suspected**.

Respond to the Potential Duplicate Orders Found alert.



1. Under Active Orders, click **Discontinue**
2. Then, Click **Continue**.

These actions will discontinue the original order and place the new one-time order.

If the result is negative, the BPA will fire 5 days later if the patient is still admitted.

If the result is positive, there will be no need for further testing.