The Somatic Programme in Laboratory Genetics will aim to deliver the full repertoire of testing.

**Haemato-oncology referrals**

Following discussion with regional haematology services all haemato-oncology referrals will be processed and analysed, however there may be some impact on reporting turnaround times.

Could we please request that any **high priority samples** are flagged to the Laboratory team using the appropriate duty scientist phone numbers below;

**0141 354 9290 / 0141 354 9295 – Cytogenetics and FISH**
**0141 354 9291 – PCR-based assays**

**Paediatric ALL MRD referrals**

Paediatric molecular acute lymphoblastic leukaemia MRD referrals for patients who are on trial (e.g. new diagnostic samples, day 29, week 9 and week 14 follow up time-points) are deemed as priority analyses and we will endeavour to continue to provide our full repertoire of testing for this group of samples.

Where referrals are received for ‘off-trial’ analysis the MRD team will work to prioritise these in terms of clinical urgency to ensure that the service is able to deliver results to those patients in whom they are most urgently needed to inform treatment decisions or clinical management. On receipt of any non-trial samples/timepoints our duty scientist team may request further information to help us prioritise the workload.

During this time we would ask that any **high priority off-trial samples** are flagged to the Laboratory team using the appropriate duty scientist phone number below;

**0141 354 9291**

**FFPE tissue referrals**

The following analyses are deemed as priority analyses and we will endeavour to continue to provide our full repertoire of testing for FISH and PCR-based assays, however there may be some impact on reporting turnaround times.

- Breast cancer testing (HER2 FFPE FISH)
- Colorectal cancer testing (KRAS, NRAS and BRAF sequencing, MSI testing)
- Lung cancer testing (EGFR sequencing and ALK/ROS1/mesothelioma FFPE FISH)
- Melanoma testing (BRAF gene analysis, uveal melanoma FFPE FISH)
- Head and neck cancer testing (HPV16/18 testing, BRAF sequencing)
- Brain and CNS cancer testing (BRAF, IDH1 and IDH2 sequencing, MGMT promoter methylation analysis, 1p/19q FFPE FISH)
- Ovarian cancer testing (somatic BRCA NGS)
- Sarcoma testing (RT-PCR and FFPE FISH testing)

Could we please request that any **high priority samples** are flagged to the Laboratory team using the duty scientist phone number below;

**0141 354 9409**