



# Specimen Management and LDMS

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# Specimen Management

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



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



# Shipments

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- 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

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- 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

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- 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

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- 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