If your physician gave you special instructions for your testing (e.g., to fast before your test for a certain number of hours), please inform our staff whether you followed those instructions.

Mercy One Des Moines Health Plaza Laboratory Draw Station
411 Laurel St, Ste. A 265, Des Moines

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Friday, 7 a.m.–5 p.m.
P: 515-643-8924  F: 515-643-8239

- From I-235: Exit I-235 at 71st Street (from the west) or at the 2nd, 3rd & 5th Street exit (from the east). Turn onto 6th Avenue (one-way, northbound) and proceed north to Laurel Street. Turn right onto Laurel Street and proceed to the MercyOne Des Moines Health Plaza. Parking is available on the Green Level of the East Parking Ramp.

MercyOne Ankeny Health Plaza Laboratory Draw Station
800 E. First St, Ste. 1400, Ankeny

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Friday, 7 a.m.–5 p.m.
P: 515-643-7710  F: 515-643-8176

- From I-35 north of Ankeny: Take I-35 South to Exit 92, which is the E. First Street exit. Turn right onto E. First Street. The entrance is marked with MercyOne Ankeny Health Plaza street signage. Once inside the building, proceed straight ahead. The Laboratory Draw Station will be on your right, directly across from Imaging.

- From I-35 south of Ankeny: Take I-35 North to Exit 92, which is the E. First Street exit. Turn left onto E. First Street (this will take you under I-35). Move into the right lane of E. First Street. The entrance is marked MercyOne Ankeny Health Plaza with street signage. Enter through the main entrance. Once inside the building, proceed straight ahead. The Laboratory Draw Station will be on your right, directly across from Imaging.
Your physician has requested laboratory testing. What now?

MercyOne Des Moines Laboratory has several locations for drawing blood or dropping off specimens for laboratory testing. You may choose the MercyOne Des Moines Laboratory Draw Station that is most convenient for you. No appointment is necessary for your specimen collection and most patients can expect only a 10-15 minute wait.

At MercyOne, we strive to make your experience as convenient and painless as possible. Quality laboratory results begin with a quality specimen. Our experienced phlebotomy staff and dedicated couriers will insure that your specimen is drawn correctly and delivered to our laboratory.

Your physician will provide an order to you or directly to the draw station. If the order is provided to you, please bring it with you at the time of the draw.

Please be prepared to present your insurance card(s) to our staff when you first arrive. You will also be asked to verify your name, date of birth, address and Social Security Number. Our staff will review this information with you each time you come to our draw stations, to ensure we have the correct information for filing insurance claims.

We only draw samples for testing at MercyOne Des Moines Laboratory and our affiliated reference laboratories.