

**ARROWHEAD REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER**  
**PULMONARY FUNCTION LABORATORY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

**2022 Summary of Policy Revisions**

Policy #	New	Major	Minor	Reviewed	Policy Title	Explanation (New and Major Only)
				X	Numeric Index	
<b>Policies</b>						
001 v7			X		Plan for Provision of Care	
002 v6				X	Hours of Operation	
003 v7			X		Demonstration of Competency	
004 v6			X		Laboratory Instrumentation and Data Management Requirements	
005 v7			X		Instrument and Calibration Maintenance	
006 v8			X		Testing Standards	
007 v8			X		Service Orders	
008 v6			X		Recording and Reporting Test Data	
009 v7			X		Records Retention	
010 v6				X	Quality Control - Biological Controls	
011 v2		X			Downtime Procedures	New procedure
<b>Procedural Competencies</b>						
1 v9			X		Spirometry	
2 v7			X		Single Breath Carbon Monoxide Diffusing Capacity (DLCO)	
3 v7			X		Body Plethysmography	
4 v5				X	Six Minute Walk Test	
5 v3				X	Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP) Adaptation	
6 v4			X		Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP) Evaluation	
7 v3			X		Nitrogen Washout	
8 v3			X		Shunt Study	
9 v3			X		Maximal Voluntary Ventilation	
10 v3			X		Maximum Inspiratory Pressure / Maximum Expiratory Pressure	
11 v3			X		Methacholine Challenge	