



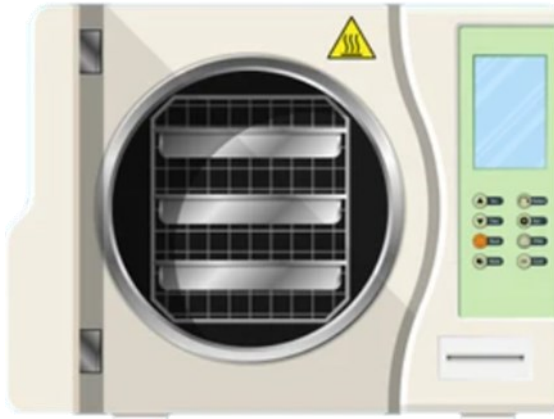
# TECHNICAL BULLETIN

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### Autoclaves Temporarily Out of Service

- Planned maintenance for the autoclaves at the Bureau of Clinical Laboratories is scheduled from February 6th, 2024 through February 12th, 2024.
- During this time, some of the autoclaves will not be available to process instruments sent to the laboratory for sterilization which will lengthen return times.
- Expect delays of up to 72 hours for the instruments to be returned to the health departments.
- Normal turn around time should resume for instruments received starting February 13th, 2024.

For questions regarding this bulletin,  
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