## Diagnostic Services





Dear Resident,

Welcome to E.J. McQuigge Lodge.

Our Diagnostic Services are provided by the Belleville office of MDS Laboratory Services....

## MDS LABORATORY SERVICES

MDS Laboratories (A Division of MDS INC.) is the largest provider of diagnostic services in Canada with over 290 licensed laboratories and specimen collection centres in Canada and the U.S.A.. We currently employ over 3,500 highly -skilled people.

In 1997 MDS provided laboratory information and services for:

- more than 7 million patients, over 200,000 in their homes
- more than 20,000 physicians
- more than 500 long term care facilities and hospitals

We are proud to offer a personalized approach in the delivery of laboratory services to Long Term Care facilities. Our network of local laboratories enables us to offer a quality driven, responsive service to residents. We know the service we provide relates directly to the residents health and well being.

## Some of our services include:

- Phlebotomy and electrocardiograms within the Long Term Care facility -tailored to meet the residents needs
- STAT services are available to deliver prompt care to the resident other regular testing is reported within 24 hours.
- Uniformed couriers collect specimens and deliver reports to your doctors and Home.
- Long Term Care Reference Manuals- provide important information about specimen s
  and laboratory services we will also assist in the accreditation process for your Home.
- Infection Control Manuals comprehensive manuals, guidelines, resources and assistance to ensure the best care for the resident
- Extensive In-Service education -available to Long Term Care facilities
- Topics in Lab Medicine -periodic newsletters to keep the facility informed of important and contemporary issues

We are determined to constantly improve these services, because, like you, we are dedicated to efficient, quality care.

For more information you can find us on the internet at: http://www.mdsintl.com