

Antiseptic Used for Phlebotomy

Factors and Their Possible Consequences:

- Performing the venipuncture before the alcohol is allowed to thoroughly dry may cause rupture of RBCs.

Corrective Action

- Allow alcohol to thoroughly dry

Reference:

1. CLSI. *Collection of Diagnostic Venous Blood Specimens*. 7th ed. CLSI Standard GP41. Wayne, PA: Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute; 2017.