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This letter is meant to provide information and recommendations for next steps for you, after the results of your <u>OraQuick Rapid Hepatitis C Antibody</u> test came back presumptive positive on the above date. It is recommended that you follow up with your primary care provider for additional testing. This testing can confirm your Hepatitis status, as well as help you and your doctor determine treatment options if appropriate. You should take this letter with you, so your doctor knows what tests were already completed.

We have provided information about Hepatitis C that may be helpful to read and to share with other household members. The information describes how Hepatitis C infection occurs, and how to prevent transmission to others. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommend that individuals with Hepatitis C infection receive Hepatitis A and Hepatitis B vaccination and get tested for HIV. Talk to your physician about these vaccinations and additional HIV testing.

If you do not have a primary care physician, please follow-up with one of the resources noted below:

Hepatitis testing

Agency / Site Name	Address	Phone #	Testing Hours/Days
LifeCare Family Health & Dental	2725 Lincoln St E.,		
Center	Canton OH 44707	330-454-2000	Appointment Only
	1320 Mercy Drive NW		
Mercy Ambulatory Clinic	Canton OH 44708	330-489-1065	Appointment Only
	1459 Superior Ave, NE		
Mercy St Paul Square	Canton OH 44705	330-588-4892	Appointment Only
	2600 6 th St SW		
Aultman Ambulatory Clinic	Canton OH 44710	330-363-6235	Appointment Only

Please call our Nursing Department if you have any questions: 330-489-3327.