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**From:** Heather Predham  
**Sent:** Friday, December 21, 2007 9:27 AM  
**To:** Nebojsa Denic; Pat Pilgrim  
**Cc:** Pam Elliott  
**Subject:** RE: Change in PR dilution used for ER/PR QA and retrospective

Hi Nash,

I just reviewed this newest spreadsheet with the one they had previously sent us and confirmed that there is no difference in the results that they had already given us.

Is there any other impact because of this?

Heather

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**From:** Nebojsa Denic  
**Sent:** December 21, 2007 9:08 AM  
**To:** Heather Predham; Pat Pilgrim  
**Subject:** FW: Change in PR dilution used for ER/PR QA and retrospective

FYI

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**From:** Reid, Mona [mailto:mreid@mtsina.on.ca]  
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**To:** Nebojsa Denic; Donald Cook  
**Cc:** Mullen, Dr. Brendan; Mendes, Maria  
**Subject:** Change in PR dilution used for ER/PR QA and retrospective

Hi Dr.Denic and Dr. Cook,

As of Oct. 26/07, the new PR antibody that was purchased for ER/PR, QA and retrospective cases differed in protein concentration from what was being used previous to this date. Therefore, the dilution of the PR antibody had to be changed from the original 1:1000 to 1:250 in order to produce optimal staining.

Unfortunately, this change was not brought to our attention upon implementation. I am attaching the revised excel spreadsheets of the Retrospective and QA ER/PR results with the correct dilution for the PR antibody used. The cases with the revised dilution are highlighted in green.

I must apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause.  
Mona

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