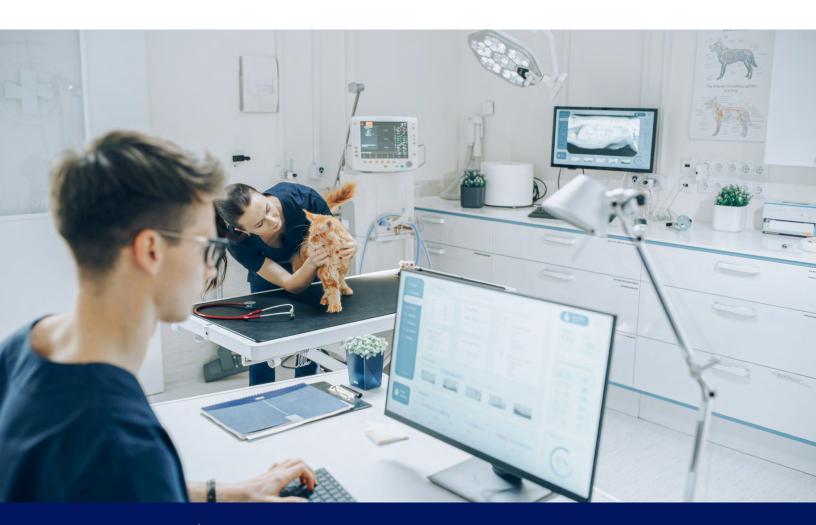


# **Antech™ Diagnostics**

# **User Guide**





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# Introduction

The Lab Integrations Module is designed to allow in-house lab equipment and reference labs to integrate with the patient's electronic medical record. Currently Impromed<sup>®</sup> integrates with numerous in-house laboratory equipment vendors as well as reference labs.

In order to allow any integrations to take place, the following is necessary:

- The Lab Integrations Module.
- Impromed's Universal Lab Reader service.
- Communication between the in-house lab equipment and the Impromed workstation or network.

Impromed has the lab Requests feature within Lab Integrations which allows the lab to be invoiced and electronically filed with only a few steps.

For Antech Diagnostics, Impromed offers the complete lab solution, including scanned requests, tests run, and automatic results, allowing for lab work to be charged at the time it is ordered. Eliminating all manual entry of information allows for all the information to become part of the patient's medical record.

The Universal Lab Reader can be configured to automatically download the results to be imported into the patient's medical record. Users will need the following information from their Antech Representative:

- Antech ID
- Region
- Clinic ID
- Username
- Password

# **Universal Lab Reader**

Impromed has created a lab reader service that enables all lab equipment and reference laboratories to run using the same lab reader instead of having to install lab readers for each integration. The Universal Lab Reader (ULR) provides a console service that can only run when the service is not, but this is a helpful troubleshooting tool when communication complications arise.

## Configure the Universal Lab Reader

#### Install the Universal Lab Reader

- 1. Log in as **Administrator** on the workstation closest to the Analyzer.
- Click Start > Run > type \\pdc1 (Note: This is an Impromed standard naming convention. Your server name may vary).
- 3. Double-click on the Program DVD folder.
- 4. Double-click on the version folder.
- **5.** Double-click on the **ImpromedUniversalLabReader** folder.
- 6. Double-click on the next ImpromedUniversalLabReader folder.
- 7. Double-click on the Builds folder.
- 8. Double-click on the version folder. At the time of this writing, the version is 25.10.3.68.
- 9. Double-click on the Setup ImproMed Universal Lab Reader.exe file.
- 10. Accept the default values when prompted.
- 11. Close when the installation is complete.



## Configure the Lab Reader for Antech

- 1. Click Start > [All] Programs > Impromed Universal Lab Reader > Configure ULR.
- 2. Click for the Working Folder location.



The Lab folder must be a local folder and does NOT need to be shared.

- 3. Select the **Labs** folder. When the Universal Lab Reader is installed, the Labs folder is automatically created on the Local C Disk.
- 4. Click OK.
- 5. Enter the **SQL Server** (i.e. pdc1\Impromed) (**Note: This is an Impromed standard naming convention. Your server name may vary**).
- 6. Click to connect to the SQL Server entered.
- 7. Select the **Database Name** (i.e. Impromed).
- 8. Click **Apply** to save the information entered into the Setup Universal Lab Reader window.
- 9. Click Add Lab Service.
- 10. Select Antech/Zoasis.
- 11. Select a Practice.
- 12. Select the **Download Frequency**.
- 13. Enter the Antech Account ID, Clinic ID, User Name, and Password.
- 14. Select the Lab Region.
- 15. Click OK.
- 16. Click Apply to save the settings.
- 17. Click Start to begin the service or click OK to close the Setup Universal Lab Reader window.



# Using the Universal Lab Reader Console

The Universal Lab Reader Console is a useful tool used for troubleshooting why lab results are not appearing in Impromed. Similar to other console services that Impromed produces, this console cannot run while the Impromed Universal Lab Reader service is running.

To run the Universal Lab Reader Console, follow these steps:

- 1. Click Start > [All] Programs > Impromed Universal Lab Reader > Configure ULR.
- 2. This opens the reader.
- 3. Click Stop. This will stop the reader service.
- 4. Click **OK** to close the reader.
- 5. Click Start > [All] Programs > Impromed Universal Lab Reader > ULR Console.
- **6.** Close the console window when you are finished.
- 7. Repeat steps 1 and when you get to step 2 click **Start** to restart the reader service.

Here are some helpful tips on the Lab Reader Console:

- The console displays error messages for:
  - Folder problems
  - Communication problems
  - ♦ SQL problems
- The console displays lab results as they are transferred.



# **Antech Request**

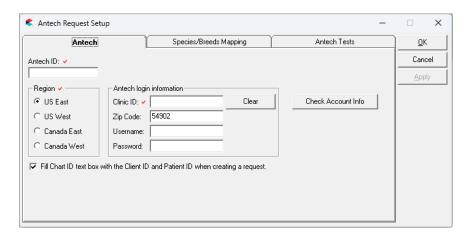
Antech Requests follow the same general flow as other lab requests. An Antech request is initiated by the user clicking the New button from the Requests tab of the Lab Integration module, selecting the New Request (Travel Sheet), and selecting the desired test from the sheet. Antech lab requests can also be created through Product Attachments. Once created, the selection prints out the Request Form that contains all of the unique information necessary for the Antech Labs to process and return the result through Antech.

Contained on this form is the unique barcode used in the Antech Lab, which contains a unique requisition number created by the Impromed application. This requisition number allows Antech lab results to be automatically imported into the patient record.

## **Setup Antech Requests**

Due to the deeply integrated nature of the Antech Request feature, more detailed setup is required. *Note: This setup is done per business.* 

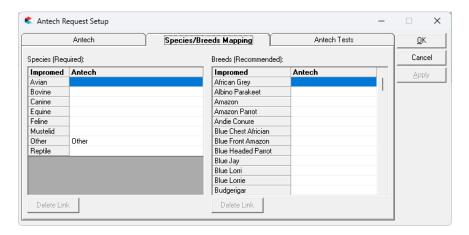
1. Click S > Setup > Lab Integrations > Antech Requests.



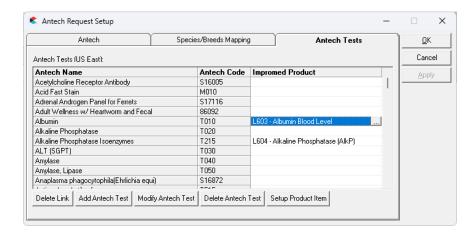
- 2. The **Antech ID** and **Region** will need to be provided by the business. Antech maintains a different list of tests in each of their regions.
- 3. The Antech login information should be the same as what is entered in the Universal Lab Reader.
- **4.** Choose how to fill the **Chart ID** box within the request. When a request is printed, the Chart ID is printed as the Chart Number within the header section.
- 5. Click Check Account Info to verify the information valid for submission purposes.



**6.** The **Species/Breeds Mapping** tab allows the Impromed Species and Breed lists to be matched up to the Antech Species and Breed lists. Any species or breed that is not linked will be prompted for when the request is generated.



7. The Antech Tests tab provides a list of the Antech Tests and can be linked to Impromed Product codes. This product mapping must be completed before the Antech items can be placed on a request sheet or as a product attachment. In the event an Antech Test does not have a corresponding product entry in Impromed, the Setup Product Item screen can be called directly from this setup screen using the Setup Product Item button located at the bottom of the screen. In the event an Impromed product is incorrectly linked to an Antech Test, the Delete Antech Test button will remove the link and allow for the correct link to be created.



- 8. Since Antech provides customized testing to different regions and veterinarians, Impromed allows users to manually add those specific tests. Click the Add Antech Test to create a new Antech Test which displays with the existing list. Users can make changes to the test name by clicking Modify Antech Test; however, this only allows changes to the test created by the business.
- 9. If users incorrectly link an Antech Test and Impromed product, highlight the row and click **Delete Link**.

# **Creating Antech Requests**

Lab requests to Antech can be created from Product Attachments or from a Travel Sheet.

# **Creating an Antech Request from Product Attachments**

Follow the steps to add products as a Product Attachment to create lab requests.



An Impromed product must be linked to the Antech Test before it can be a product attachment to create lab requests.

- 1. Go to Setup > Products > Product Attachments.
- 2. Select a product linked to Antech.
- 3. Under Attachment Type, select Create Lab Requests.
- 4. Click Maintain.
- 5. Select Antech Requests then click OK.
- 6. Repeat to add additional products linked to Antech Requests.
- 7. Click **OK** to close Setup Product Attachments.

## **Create a Request from Product Attachments**

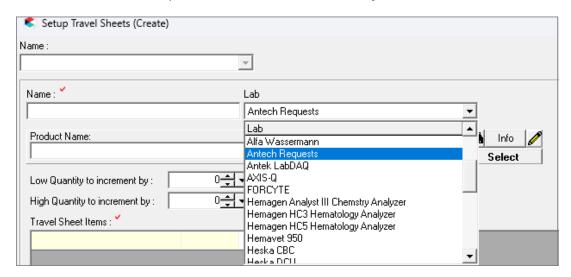
- 1. Select the client/patient.
- 2. Open Invoices.
- 3. Add the products attached to Antech Requests.
- 4. Click **OK** when all products to create an Antech Request have been added to the invoice.
- 5. Click **Conclude** to complete the invoice and generate the requests.



# **Creating an Antech Request Travel Sheet**

Set up the Antech Requests travel sheet to create lab requests for Antech tests. **Note: The Travel Sheets**Module is required to use the Lab Requests feature.

- 1. Go to S > Setup > Travel Sheets.
- 2. Click Create for Mode.
- 3. Enter the **Name** for the Antech Request travel sheet.
- 4. From the Lab drop-down list, select Antech Requests.



5. Select the **Product Name (Code** or **BarCode)** to add to the travel sheet.



An Impromed product must be linked to the Antech Test before it can be a product added to an Antech Request travel sheet.

- 6. Click Add to Sheet.
- 7. Continue to select products and add to the travel sheet until finished.
- 8. Click **OK** to save and close the travel sheet.



# **Creating a New Travel Sheet Request**

- 1. Click Nodules > Lab Integrations.
- 2. Select the client and patient.
- 3. On the Requests tab, click New > New Request (Travel Sheet).
- 4. Select an Employee, if prompted.
- 5. Choose the Antech Requests sheet from the Selected Sheet drop-down list.
- 6. Verify a Provider is selected.
- 7. Change the **Date Performed**, if necessary.
- 8. Change the **Time Performed**, if necessary.
- 9. Select a **SuperMode**, if necessary.
- 10. Enter Comments, if desired.
- 11. Select the items on the sheet that you wish to request.
- 12. Click Create.
- **13.** Click **OK** to the Move Products Transfer Screen. This screen verifies that the products you selected on the Travel Sheet are correct and can be moved to the selected destination.
- 14. The on screen preview of the paperwork that gets shipped with the sample to Antech is displayed.
- 15. Click Print.
- 16. Click Close.



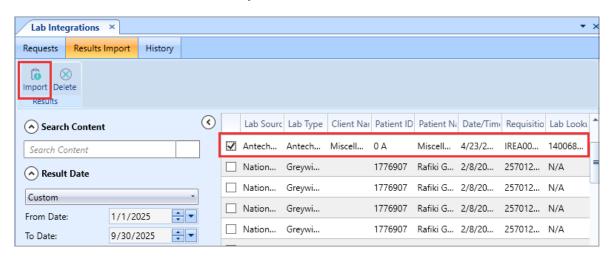
# Importing Lab Results

When client and patient information matches the lab results, the lab results will import directly into the patient's medical record. Imported Antech lab results can be viewed from the Lab Integrations module or from the patient's medical record.

## **Import Orphan Results**

If lab results do not import automatically, manually import them from the Results Import tab and capture charges.

- 1. Go to > Lab Integrations > Results Import tab.
- 2. Select the result then click Import.



- **3.** The **Import Lab Selection** window appears, enabling the operator to search for and select the appropriate client and patient for importing the lab result.
- 4. Under Import Destination, if the client and patient is listed, then use Select Open Lab Request.
- If the client and patient are not listed, use the Find Client/Patient option to search for the client/ patient.
  - a. Click **Find** to open the Find window which provides more options to search for the client/patient.
  - b. Use the Client and/or Patient Quick Search fields if the client and patient are known.
- **6.** Click **Select & Invoice** if the client was not invoiced for the lab. Click **Select & Import** if the client already paid for the lab.