**Factors and Possible Consequences:**
- Haemolysis due to transport by pneumatic tube system can be caused by the acceleration and/or deceleration speed, length of system, angles and tube cushioning.

**Corrective Actions**

- Avoid excessive speed. Decrease speed to a level compatible with acceptable level of haemolysis
- Ensure the pneumatic tube system has been tested to certify test results will not be compromised
- Provide adequate inner cushioning for the blood collection tubes during transport to avoid vigorous agitation

**References:**