## DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES/LABORATORY SERVICES SECTION SOUTH TEXAS LABORATORY

The South Texas Laboratory FY '18 Sample Preparation and Transport Instruction Manual is
approved and current effective September 01, 2018.

## **AUTHORIZATION FOR LABORATORY TESTING**

The South Texas Laboratory analyzes specimens only at the request of an authorized person, in addition, the Laboratory solicits written or electronic authorization for verbal orders within 30 days.