## Compliance Agreement

Division of Public and Behavioral Health and Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory

This Compliance Agreement is made and entered into effective on July 2, 2020, by, between, and among the Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance of the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services of the State of Nevada ("BHCQC"), Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory, and the State Board of Health ("Board").

## **RECITALS**

The goal is to define the criteria for compliance for Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory (Licensed Laboratory #1510) located at 1155 Mill St, Sierra Tower, Ground Floor, Reno, NV 89502 and the State Board of Health ("Board").

- A. NAC 652.195 allows a licensed laboratory to collect specimens or perform tests, or both, at a location other than the location set forth in its license by obtaining a permit to operate a laboratory at a temporary location.
- B. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak and the need to serve the public in the State of Nevada in the collection of specimens for the purpose of COVID-19 laboratory testing by a CLIA certified laboratory, Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory, a Licensed Laboratory, will be allowed to operate at locations other than the location set forth in its license without a permit and without being a licensed laboratory at the locations listed below. If there are additional future locations that are not listed below, Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory will notify in writing to BHCQC, the additional collection or testing sites:

-Shakespeare Ranch 1949 Glenbrook Rd Glenbrook, NV 89413

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby agreed as follows:

- C. State Licensure. The Laboratory falls under the provisions of Nevada Administrative Code (652).
  - 1) The laboratory will be allowed to perform COVID-19 specimen collection and approved laboratory testing at the locations which are documented in B. without obtaining a permit and without being a licensed laboratory.
  - 2) The laboratory must remain in compliance with NRS 652.072; therefore, the patients served in the locations other than the locations set forth in its license would be patients of the laboratory director.
- D. <u>Term of Agreement</u>. This Agreement shall remain in effect until the chief medical officer terminates this agreement

<u>Requirements.</u> Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Laboratory will maintain in compliance with all applicable provisions of NAC Chapter 652.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement effective the day and year first above written.

Renown Regional Medical Center Clinical Laboratory, a medical laboratory licensed by the Division of Public and Behavioral Health and the State Board of Health ("Board").

Signed:

Date: 7, 2020

Christie L. Elliott, MD. Laboratory Director

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES HEALTH DIVISION
BUREAU OF HEALTH CARE QUALITY AND COMPLIANCE

Signed:  Ihsan Azzam, P.h.D, M.D, Chief Medical Officer	Date:	, 2020
Approved by Board of Health on: Signed: Lisa Sherych, Executive Officer of Board of Health	Date:	, 2020