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Newborn Screening Pre-analytic Initiatives

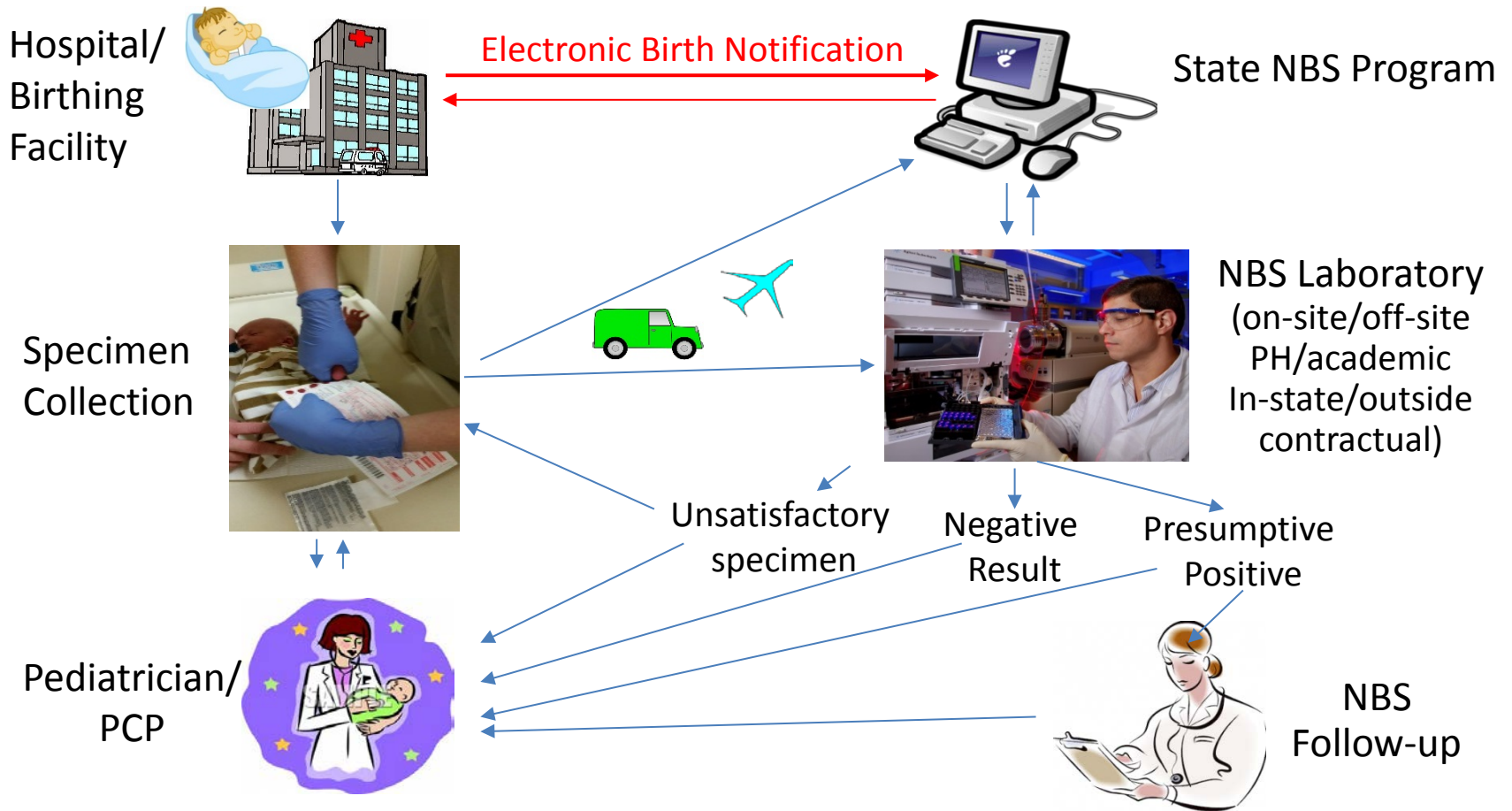
Breakout Session May 21, 2015
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Agenda

- Electronic Birth Notification Proof of Concept Projects through APHL-CDC Cooperative Agreement (Moderator: Bin Chen, PhD, CDC)
 - **Susanne Norris Zanto, MPH, MLS(ASCP)CM, SM:** Developing an Electronic Birth Notification System to Improve NBS Processes - The Montana Experience
 - **Victoria Buchanan, MS, MPH:** Implementing an Electronic Birth Notification System in Select Indiana Hospitals
- NewSTEPs Collaborative Improvement & Innovation Network (CoIIN) Pilot Projects (Moderator: Thalia Wood, MPH, APHL)
 - **Erica Wright MS, CGC:** Timeliness Activities in Support of Newborn Screening in Colorado
 - **Linda Kincaid, BSN, RN:** Timeliness Activities in Support of Newborn Screening in New Hampshire

A Simplified NBS Process Map



NBS Electronic Birth Notification Projects

- **Improve NBS Program Capacity** - integrate birth notification with NBS specimen collection, submission, transport, process tracking to improve timeliness & quality
- **Proof of Concept** - document processes, challenges, barriers, successes, data and findings

