

SRF ID with RT-PCR App

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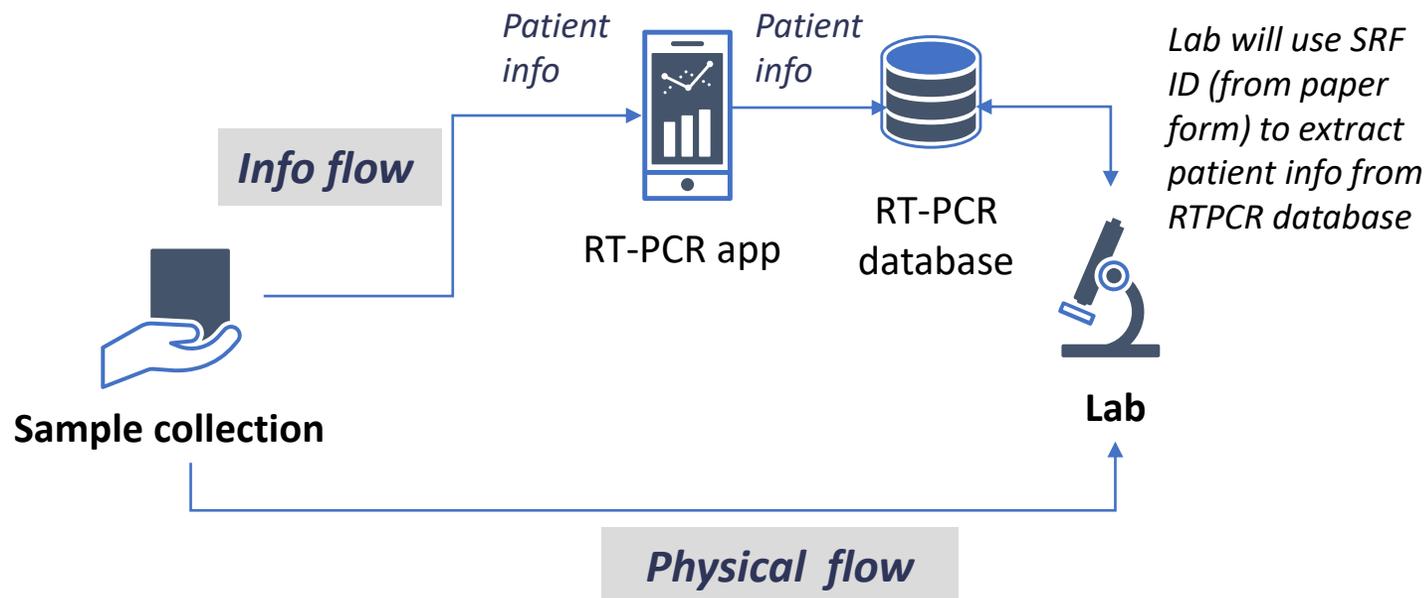
Labs require the SRF ID, in order to link the sample with the patient



SRF ID is critical

- SRF ID is the only way for labs to identify sample and fetch SRF info (patient info) from database
- Without SRF ID sent to lab in a **physical paper form**, lab has no way of knowing SRF info. **Testing cannot continue**
- At present, collection centers **sending physical SRF and not SRF ID** - labs are entering **manually**

Data flow for samples collected through RT-PCR app



Collection point to send sample and SRF ID (on a paper form) to lab

Note: physical SRF will no longer be sent with sample

Critical to **educate collection centers** to ensure that **SRF ID is always sent through a physical paper form with the sample**

Collection centers need to send SRF ID in a physical paper form to labs

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Collection centers needs to **send the SRF details in the template below** (attached to the sample) **on a physical paper form**

Specimen Referral Form (SRF) ID information for COVID-19 (SARS-CoV2)

SRF ID

Patient Name _____

Phone number

Lab Name _____

Physical paper form to send SRF ID has been **communicated to labs** and **uploaded on ICMR website**

[https://www.icmr.gov.in/pdf/covid/labs/SRF ID for COVID 06052020.pdf](https://www.icmr.gov.in/pdf/covid/labs/SRF_ID_for_COVID_06052020.pdf)

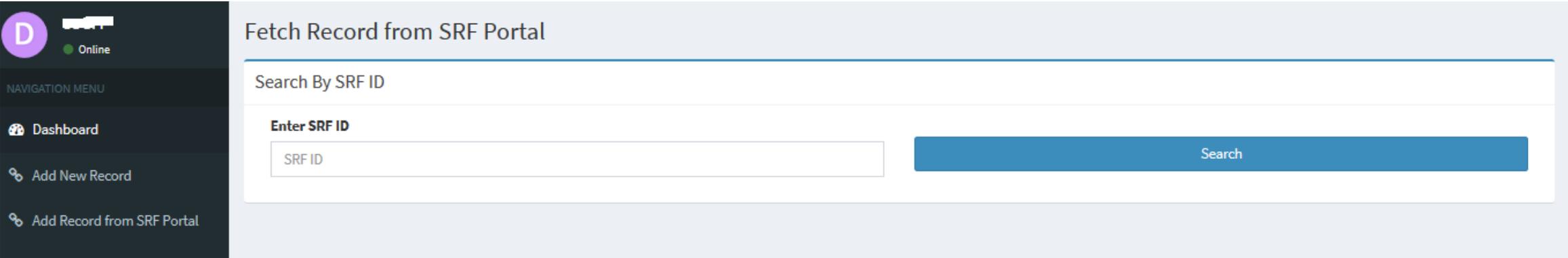
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RT-PCR app will **pop-up a notification** displaying the details and asking the user to **fill and send SRF ID via physical paper form** to the lab

Absolutely critical to ensure SRF ID reaches labs through a physical paper form to completely transition to RTPCR app by 8th May

Labs will auto-fetch all patient data through SRF ID

1 Labs should enter SRF ID to auto-populate all SRF information for that sample



2 Labs should verify the patient phone number and name to ensure fetched information is correct

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To verify if correct SRF information has been fetched from the database