

UPDATE Tc-99m Generator Supply—23 September 2019

ANSTO has received confirmation from NTP that a shipment of Mo-99 will arrive in Australia today, Monday 23 September 2019. This will be utilized to manufacture Tc-99m generators on Tuesday and Wednesday this week. These will be delivered to customers Wednesday and Thursday this week.

A distribution schedule for these generators will be published on the ANSTO website later today here. https://www.ansto.gov.au/business/products-and-services/health/health-products#content-customer-updates

All sites should also receive a generator next week, pending sufficient Mo-99 arriving from NTP over the coming weekend. We will be getting close to regular supply for this week if all goes as planned.

There is no update on the repairs in ANM. We are expecting to be able to share a more detailed update on this at the end of this week.

Thank you again to everyone in the nuclear medicine community, and in particular the Nuclear Medicine Working Group, with representation from RAINS, ANZSNM, AANMS, NSW Health, TGA and GMS, who are helping ensure that the reduced amount of nuclear medicine gets to areas needed most.

We apologise to everyone who has been impacted by this issue. If you have any questions, please contact ANSTO directly on 1800 251 572.