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SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN THIS VERSION:

1. Various Diagrams have been updated:
 - a. Diagram 3 was updated to include Diagrams, Diagram 3.1 and 3.2 to illustrate a flow diagram with standard AERs and a flow diagram utilizing pass-thru AERs
 - b. Diagrams 8, 9, and 10 have been updated to reflect changes in overall work flow in the SPS Functional Diagram.
2. Room Template for the Scope Processing Room has been updated to reflect the revised Diagram 3.1 and 3.2.
3. Text throughout the Design Guide has been revised to reflect the changes occurring the Diagrams and Room Templates identified in #1 and #2 above.

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN THIS VERSION:

1. VHA policy change created the Sterile Processing Service and Logistics Service. In the previous Design Guide Supply, Processing and Distribution were a single entity.
2. This new Design Guide addresses Sterile Processing Service and Logistics Service separately but includes them together in this single document.
3. The new updated Design Guide was entirely re-written and re-formatted from the previous version.
4. Every Section of the Design Guide has been re-written in reference to the previous Design Guide.