

Healing in Each Test

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In rooms where doctors wear white coats,
the night can feel really long.
There is something that you do not hear or see,
it is in every test, it is in the spaces between things.

When they take a drop of blood and put it on a slide,
there are stories that are hidden inside that blood.
The numbers from the test can tell us things even when people are quiet,
there is healing happening in each test.

The machines in the lab make a humming sound and the lights shine softly,
the results of the tests come out some come out fast. Some come out slow.
In those results whether they are high or low,
the doctors can find out what they need to know to help people.

In labs, not in big fancy labs,
the people who work there are tired but they do their job with a steady hand.
They work even when it is hot even when they are stressed,
they keep looking for the truth they are very careful.

Not every day is easy not every day is happy,
some days there are mistakes some days there are problems that people do
not talk about.

But the people in the lab keep trying they do their best,
they want to help people get better they want to bring out the healing in each
test.

Looking at the results of the tests, those results can help them find a cure,
for someone they can help someone who needs it.
Someone's life can change, someone's pain can go away,
all because of one test.

So we should look beyond the lab,
beyond the papers that we have to fill out.
There are people who care, even if we do not see it
there is healing happening in each test.