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<u>ANAL-RECTAL PAP</u>	1/5/2021	Collect	Updated to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Dacron swab, FLOQ swab or cytobrush, if tolerated by the patient, are the best collection devices for anal cytology. 2. If using the Dacron swab, moisten the swab with water. Do not use lubricant. If using the FLOQ swab, moistening the swab with water is not necessary. Do not use lubricant. 3. The Dacron swab, FLOQ swab or cytobrush should be inserted approximately 1.5 to 2 inches into the anal canal. It is important to use either the Dacron or FLOQ and not a cotton swab, as cells tend to cling to cotton and do not release easily into cytology collection fluids. 4. Once inserted deep enough into the anus (necessary in order to collect both rectal columnar and anal squamous cells) the swab or brush should be pulled out, applying some pressure to the wall of the anus, rotating the swab or brush in a spiral motion along the way. 5. Immediately after collection, all devices employed should be vigorously rinsed into a single vial of cytology fixative (SurePath or ThinPrep). 6. Record two patient identifiers on the vial. Also record the patient information and medical history on the requisition form. 7. Place the vial and requisition in a specimen bag for transport to the laboratory.
<u>BREAST SECRETIONS/DISCHARGE</u>	1/5/2021	Collect Handling	Updated to: Specimens collected by the physician are prepared for transport by expressing the sample into a properly labeled Cytolyt fixative container or prepared slides may also be made by expressing a drop of fluid onto a clean properly labeled glass slide and creating a thin layer prep by pulling the sample across the slide surface with a second slide. Prepared slides should be fixed immediately by immersing them into 95% ethanol. Air-dried slides may also be submitted. Updated to: Submit fluid in Cytolyt fixative or prepared slides in 95% ethanol and properly label the vial with patient's name, date of birth and site of specimen. Specimen(s) may be transported at room temperature.
<u>PAP SMEAR CYTOLOGY</u>	1/5/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 88142, 88175
<u>CULTURE, BETA STREP ONLY (GROUP B)</u>	1/12/2021	Guidelines	Updated to: This is a prenatal screening test for Group B streptococcus carriage. Collect this test at 35-37 weeks' gestation. For use with genital and rectal swabs. It is recommended to collect from both Vaginal and Rectal sites. Cervical specimens or specimens collected with a speculum are NOT recommended.

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CULTURE, BLOOD FOR FUNGUS	1/12/2021	Handling	Removed link for labeling of blood culture bottles
CULTURE, BLOOD	1/12/2021	Handling	Removed link for labeling of blood culture bottles
CULTURE, SKIN SUPERFICIAL	1/12/2021	Collect	Removed link to image 236377
CULTURE, THROAT	1/12/2021	Collect	Removed link to image 236377
FECAL IMMUNOCHEMICAL OCCULT BLOOD (ANNUAL)	1/12/2021	Handling	Added link for Specimen Collection-Transport Guide for Stool Orders
PROMETHEUS ANSER™ IFX	01/19/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 80230, 82542
ELECTRON MICROSCOPY	01/19/2021	Handling Referral Lab Reference Range Comments	Updated to: Tissue should be submitted fresh to the laboratory immediately after collection. Do not freeze tissue or place it in a fixative. Updated to: Arkana Laboratories for allograft/transplant kidney biopsies. OSHU Surgical Pathology for all other tissue types Updated to: Removed "Professional interpretation provided by OHSU". Updated to: Professional interpretation provided by the applicable referral laboratory. Call (503) 944-7950 or (503) 413-4089.



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<u>FROZEN SECTION</u>	01/19/2021	Synonyms(s) Handling Referral Lab Reference Range Comments	Updated to: Change from "Interoperative Consult" to "Intraoperative Consultation" Updated to: Tissue should be submitted fresh to the laboratory immediately after collection. Do not freeze tissue or place it in a fixative. Updated to: Arkana Laboratories for allograft/transplant kidney biopsies. OSHU Surgical Pathology for all other tissue types Updated to: Removed "Professional interpretation provided by Cascade Pathology Services." Updated to: Added "Professional interpretation provided by Cascade Pathology Services."
<u>ALBUMIN, BODY FLUID</u>	01/19/2021	Performed Reported	Updated to: Monday – Friday Updated to: 24-72 hours
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, COMPREHENSIVE FOOD</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, BEE VENOM</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, FOOD</u>	01/19/2021	Collect Note	Updated to: Serum or Plasma, <u>two</u> 5.0 mL gold (SST) or one 7.0 mL red or <u>two</u> 4.0 mL lavender (EDTA) or <u>two</u> 3.0 mL mint green (lithium heparin, PST) top tubes (View image for Supply Item Numbers - <u>101235</u>, <u>101192</u>, or <u>158386</u>) Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.



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<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, INHALANT</u>	01/19/2021	Collect	Updated to: Serum or Plasma, two 5.0 mL gold (SST), two 7.0 mL red, three 4.0 mL lavender (EDTA) or three 3.0 mL mint green (lithium heparin, PST) top tubes <i>(View image for Supply Item Numbers - <u>101235</u>, <u>101192</u>, or <u>158386</u>)</i>
		Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, MOLD</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, NUT AND SEED</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, PACIFIC NW FOOD INHALANT</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, PEDIATRIC ALLERGY</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, PEDIATRIC ALLERGY II</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, PEDIATRIC MARCH</u>	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
<u>ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, REGION 17</u>	01/19/2021	Collect	Updated to: Serum or Plasma, two 5.0 mL gold (SST), two 7.0 mL red, three 4.0 mL lavender (EDTA) or three 3.0 mL mint green (lithium heparin, PST) top tubes <i>(View image for Supply Item Numbers - <u>101235</u>, <u>101192</u>, or <u>158386</u>)</i>
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ALLERGEN PANEL IGE, SEAFOOD (NW FOOD)	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
ALLERGEN IGE, INDIVIDUAL	01/19/2021	Note	Updated to: Multiple specimen tube types and multiple patient encounters should be avoided.
HEMOGLOBIN A1C	01/19/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Hgb A _{1c} - Glycosylated Hemoglobin - HbA _{1c} - Estimated Average Glucose - EAG – HGBA – Glycated hemoglobin – HBA1C
HEMOGLOBIN A2	01/20/2021	Minimum Volume Performed	Updated to: 2 mL EDTA whole blood Updated to: Monday, Thursday
LEAD, INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE PANEL, ADULT	01/20/2021	Synonym(s) Includes	Updated to: Lead Exposure - Blood Lead Level – BLL – Venous Blood Lead – ZnPP - ZPP Updated to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Zinc Protoporphyrin, Blood ▪ Zinc Protoporphyrin (ZPP), Whole Blood Ratio ▪ Lead, Industrial, Whole Blood
ZINC PROTOPORPHYRIN AND LEAD	01/20/2021	Deleted Test	Deleted Test
ELECTROPHORESIS, IMMUNOFIXATION, SERUM	01/20/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 4 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 2 weeks; Frozen (≤-20°C): 6 months
IMMUNOGLOBULINS (IGG, IGA, IGM), QUANTITATIVE	01/20/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: IGG: 82784, IGA: 82784, IGM: 82784

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<u>IMMUNOGLOBULIN-A</u>	01/20/2021	Minimum Volume	Updated to: 0.5 mL (1.2 mL whole blood draw)
<u>IMMUNOGLOBULIN-G, SERUM</u>	01/20/2021	Minimum Volume	Updated to: 0.5 mL (1.2 mL whole blood draw)
<u>IMMUNOGLOBULIN-M</u>	01/20/2021	Minimum Volume	Updated to: 0.5 mL (1.2 mL whole blood draw)
<u>AMYLASE, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 1 month
<u>BILIRUBIN, TOTAL, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: PROTECTED FROM LIGHT: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 3 days, Frozen (≤ -20°C): 1 month
<u>CALCIUM, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 22 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 1 year
<u>CHLORIDE, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability Reference Values	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (≤ -20°C): 1 month Updated to: Not established.
<u>CREATININE, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Body Fluids other than Amniotic Fluid: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (≤ -20°C): 3 months Amniotic Fluid: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 1 hour, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 24 hours, Frozen (≤ -20°C): 2 months
<u>LIPASE, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Test Mnemonic Stability	Updated to: BF LIPASE Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 21 days, Frozen (≤ -20°C): 3 months
<u>PH, BODY FLUID</u>	1/25/2021	Stability Performed	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): <60 minutes; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 24 hours; Frozen (≤ -20°C): Unacceptable Updated to: 7 days/week



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<u>POTASSIUM, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 6 months
<u>PROTEIN, TOTAL, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 4 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 72 hours, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 3 months
<u>PROTEIN, CEREBROSPINAL FLUID</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLULAR MATERIAL: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 72 hours; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 6 months
<u>SODIUM, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 4 days, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 14 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 6 months
<u>TRIGLYCERIDE, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 1 month
<u>UREA NITROGEN, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 1 month
<u>URIC ACID, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 5 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 6 months
<u>RHEUMATOID FACTOR, BODY FLUIDS</u>	1/25/2021	Test Mnemonic Stability	Updated to: BF RA FAC Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours, Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days, Frozen (\leq -20°C): 1 month
<u>ACETAMINOPHEN</u>	1/25/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 80143
<u>AMIKACIN</u>	1/25/2021	Performed	Updated to: 7 days/week
<u>DRUGS OF ABUSE PANEL - EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT, URINE</u>	1/25/2021	Transport Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C) or Refrigerated (2-8°C) Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 11 days; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 14 days
<u>METHOTREXATE</u>	1/25/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 80204

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<u>PHENOBARBITAL</u>	1/25/2021	Department Rejection Criteria Stability	Updated to: Chemistry, Toxicology Updated to: Grossly hemolyzed specimens Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 48 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 1 month; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 3 months
<u>PHENYTOIN</u>	1/25/2021	Department	Updated to: Chemistry, Toxicology
<u>PHENYTOIN, FREE AND TOTAL</u>	1/25/2021	Department	Updated to: Chemistry, Toxicology
<u>SALICYLATE</u>	1/25/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 80179
<u>TOBRAMYCIN</u>	1/25/2021	Test Mnemonic Rejection Criteria	Updated to: TOBY 12H, TOBY TR, TOBY PK Updated to: Grossly hemolyzed specimens
<u>VALPROIC ACID</u>	1/25/2021	Department Rejection Criteria	Updated to: Chemistry, Toxicology Updated to: Grossly hemolyzed specimens
<u>VALPROIC ACID, FREE AND TOTAL</u>	1/25/2021	Department Rejection Criteria	Updated to: Chemistry, Toxicology Updated to: Grossly hemolyzed specimens
<u>URINALYSIS AND MICROSCOPIC WITH CULTURE REFLEX</u>	1/25/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Urinalysis with Microscopy with Cult Reflex - UAWMR - UA - Urinalysis, Complete with Reflex to Culture
<u>URINALYSIS AND MICROSCOPIC</u>	1/25/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Urinalysis with Microscopy - UAWMN - UA - Urinalysis, Complete

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<u>CEREBROSPINAL FLUID ROUTINE ANALYSIS</u>	1/25/2021	Rejection Criteria CPT Code(s)	Updated to: CELL COUNT: Frozen sample, specimen submitted on swab, totally clotted sample VDRL: Bacterial contamination, trace of blood CHEMISTRY: Specimens contaminated with bacteria after collection will not be accepted. Updated to: 89051, 82945, 86592, 84157
<u>PLATELET FUNCTION SCREEN</u>	1/25/2021	Collect	Updated to: Whole Blood, two 2.7 mL light blue or three 1.8 mL clear light blue (3.2% buffered sodium citrate) top tubes.
<u>ANTI-NUCLEAR ANTIBODY IFA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: ANA IFA - ANA - Antinuclear Antibodies - Antinuclear Antibody - FANA - Fluorescent Antinuclear Antibodies
<u>ANTI-NUCLEAR ANTIBODY ELISA SCREEN REFLEX IFA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: ANA - ANA ELISA - Antinuclear Antibody - ANA IgG Screen - ANA Screen - antinuclear Ab
<u>BETA-2 GLYCOPROTEIN 1 ANTIBODIES, IgG, IgM</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-B2-Glycoprotein 1 - Anti-B2-Glycoprotein I - Anti-B2-GP 1 - Anti-B2-GP1 - Anti-B2-GPI - Anti-beta-2 glycoprotein 1 - Anti-Beta-2-Glycoprotein I - Apolipoprotein H - Apolipoprotein H - APOH - B2-glycoprotein 1 antibodies - B2GP Antibodies - B2GP1 - B2GPI - IgG - IgM - BECKY - Beta 2 GP1 Ab IgG - Beta 2 GP1 Ab IgM - Beta 2GP1 Ab - Beta-2 Glycoprotein 1 - Beta-2 Glycoprotein 1
<u>BETA-2 GLYCOPROTEIN 1 ANTIBODIES, IgG, IgM, IgA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-B2-Glycoprotein 1 - Anti-B2-Glycoprotein I - Anti-B2-GP 1 - Anti-B2-GP I - Anti-B2-GP1 - Anti-B2-GPI - Anti-beta-2 glycoprotein 1 - Anti-Beta-2-Glycoprotein I - Apolipoprotein H - B2-glycoprotein 1 antibodies - B2GP Antibodies - B2GP1 - B2GPI - IgG - IgM - IgA - Beta 2 GP1 Ab IgA - Beta 2 GP1 Ab IgG - Beta 2 GP1 Ab IgM - Beta 2GP1 Ab - Beta-2 Glycoprotein 1 - Beta 2 Glycoprotein-1
<u>BETA-2 GLYCOPROTEIN 1 ANTIBODIES, IgA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-B2-Glycoprotein 1 - Anti-B2-Glycoprotein I - Anti-B2-GP 1 - Anti-B2-GP I - Anti-B2-GP1 - Anti-B2-GPI - Anti-Beta-2-Glycoprotein I - APOH - Apolipoprotein H - B2 IgA - B2-glycoprotein 1 IgA - B2GP1 IgA - Beta 2GP1 - Beta 2 Glycoprotein1
<u>CARDIOLIPIN ANTIBODIES, IgA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: ACA - aCL Antibody - aCL IgA - Anticardiolipin Antibodies - Cardiolipin - Anti-Cardiolipin Antibody
<u>CARDIOLIPIN ANTIBODIES, IgG, IgM</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: ACA - aCL Antibody - aCL IgA - aCL IgM - Anticardiolipin Antibodies - Cardiolipin - Anti-Cardiolipin Antibody

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CARDIOLIPIN ANTIBODIES, IGG, IGM, IGA	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: ACA - aCL Antibody - aCL IgA - aCL IgG - aCL IgM - Anticardiolipin Antibodies - Cardiolipin - Anti-Cardiolipin Antibody														
CELIAC DISEASE PANEL	1/26/2021	Reference Range	Updated to: <table border="1" data-bbox="1039 544 1617 776"> <thead> <tr> <th>Analyte</th> <th>Reference Range</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Gliadin IgG</td> <td>< 20 Units</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gliadin IgA</td> <td>< 20 Units</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TTG IgA</td> <td>< 20 Units</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TTG IgG</td> <td>< 20 Units</td> </tr> <tr> <td>EMA IgA</td> <td>Negative</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Immunoglobulin-A</td> <td>Age adjusted ranges are provided on the report.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Analyte	Reference Range	Gliadin IgG	< 20 Units	Gliadin IgA	< 20 Units	TTG IgA	< 20 Units	TTG IgG	< 20 Units	EMA IgA	Negative	Immunoglobulin-A	Age adjusted ranges are provided on the report.
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CYTOMEGALOVIRUS IgG ANTIBODY	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: CMV Ab - Quantitative - CMV Antibody - CMV IgG - CMV IgG Antibody														
ANTIBODY TO CORONAVIRUS SARS-COV-2, IGG, CIA	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: 2019-nCoV - Coronavirus Disease – 2019 - COVID-19 Illness - COVID-2019 - COVID19 IgG Ab - SARS-CoV-2 - Wuhan														
VDRL, CEREBROSPINAL FLUID	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: VDRL CSF - VDRL - Spinal Fluid - VDRL														
DOUBLE STRANDED DNA ANTIBODY	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: anti-DNA - Anti-dsDNA Antibody - Anti-Native DNA - Antibody to ds-DNA - Double stranded DNA antibody - ds DNA Ab - Native double-stranded DNA antibody - dsDNA Antibody														
EPSTEIN-BARR VIRUS ANTIBODY PANEL	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: EA-D IgG Ab - EBNA-IgG Ab - EBV Antibodies - EBV Antibody Panel - EBV VCA-IgG Ab - EBV VCA-IgM Ab - Infectious Mononucleosis Antibody Panel														
ENDOMYSIAL IGA SCREEN	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Endomysial Antibodies - EMA - EMA IgA - Gluten-Sensitive Enteropathy Tests - IgA EMA Screen - IgA Endomysial Antibody														



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<u>EXTRACTABLE NUCLEAR ANTIGEN PANEL</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-ENA - Anti-RNP - Anti-Sm IgG - Anti-SSB - Antibodies to Extractable Nuclear Antigens - Autoantibodies to Scl 70 Antigen - Ribonucleoprotein Autoantibodies - Ro Ab - Scl 70 Antibodies - Smith (ENA) Antibody IgG - Smith Antigen - Smith Autoantibodies - SSB (La) (ENA) Antibody IgG - SSB LA
<u>FECAL CALPROTECTIN BY CMIA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Cal pro – Calpro - Fecal Calprotectin – IBD – IBS - Stool Calprotectin – Calprotectin - Fecal
<u>GLIADIN PEPTIDE ANTIBODIES, IgA AND IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Celiac Disease Antibodies - Celiac Sprue - Coeliac Disease Antibodies - Deamidated Gliadin Antibodies (DGP) - Deaminated Gliadin Peptide Antibodies - DGP - DGP Ab - DGP IgA IgG - DGP Panel - Deamidated Gliadin A - Deamidated Gliadin G - Gliadin Peptide Antibody IgA - Gliadin Peptide Antibody IgG
<u>HIV 1/2 DIFFERENTIATION AND CONFIRMATION ASSAY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: HIV 1 Ab - HIV 1 Antibody Confirmation - HIV confirmation test - HIV-1 - GEENIUS™ HIV 1/2 Confirmation Assay - GEENIUS™ HIV 1/2 Supplemental Assay - HIV-1/HIV-2 Differentiation - Human Immunodeficiency Virus Differentiation
<u>HERPES SIMPLEX VIRUS TYPE 1 GLYCOPROTEIN G-SPECIFIC, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: HSV 1 type specific glycoprotein G IgG - HerpeSelect - HSV 1 - HSV Type 1 glycoprotein G - HSV Type 1 IgG Specific Ab - HSV typing 1 - HSV-1
<u>HERPES SIMPLEX VIRUS TYPE 1/2 GLYCOPROTEIN G-SPECIFIC, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: HSV - HSV glycoprotein G type 1 and 2 - HSV typing 1 and 2
<u>HERPES SIMPLEX VIRUS TYPE 2 GLYCOPROTEIN G-SPECIFIC, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Herpes Simplex glycoprotein G - HerpeSelect - HSV 2 typing - HSV Type 2 IgG Specific Ab - HSV typing - HSV-2 - HSV 2 type specific glycoprotein G IgG
<u>Jo1 ANTIBODIES, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Jo-1 Antibody - Antibodies to Jo 1 Antigen - Autoantibodies to Jo 1 Antigen - Histidyl-tRNA Synthetase Antibodies - Jo 1 Antibodies - Polymyositis Antibodies - Synthetase Antibody
<u>LYME ANTIBODY SCREEN IGG/IGM</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Borrelia burgdorferi - Lyme Antibodies Detection - Lyme Disease - Lyme Disease Ab

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<u>MEASLES (RUBEOLA) IgG ANTIBODY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Rubeola Ab IgG - Rubeola Antibodies Screen IgG - Rubeola Antibodies IgG - Rubeola serology - Measles Immune Status - Measles IgG Antibody
<u>INFECTIOUS MONONUCLEOSIS ANTIBODY SCREEN</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Heterophile Antibody Test - Mononuclear Heterophile Test - Mononucleosis Screen - Mononucleosis Screen Test - Mononucleosis Spot Test - Mono Screen
<u>MUMPS IgG ANTIBODY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: IgG Mumps - Mumps Ab IgG - Mumps Antibody - Mumps IgG - Mumps Serology - Mumps Virus Antibody IgG Serum - Mumps
<u>QUANTIFERON-TB GOLD PLUS</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Interferon-Gamma Release Assay for Tuberculosis - Latent Tuberculosis Infection (LTBI) - QFT & M TB - QFT-G & M. tuberculosis - QFT-TB - QFT-TB Plus - QuantiFERON Mitogen and NIL - QuantiFERON-TB Gold In Tube - QuantiFERON-TB Gold Plus & Mycobacterium Tuberculosis Antibody - QuantiFERON-TB Gold Plus – QFT - Interferon-gamma release assay
<u>RO 52 ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Ro - Anti-SSA - Anti-SSA (Ro) (ENA) Antibody - Ro - Ro Autoantibodies - Sjogren Syndrome - Sjogren's Antibody - SSA Autoantibodies - Anti-Ro52 - Ro52 - Anti-Ro(SSA) Antibodies
<u>RO 60 ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Ro - Anti-SSA - Anti-SSA (Ro) (ENA) Antibody - Ro - Ro Autoantibodies - Sjogren Syndrome - Sjogren's Antibody - SSA Autoantibodies - Anti-Ro60 - Ro60 - Anti-Ro(SSA) Antibodies
<u>SYPHILIS MONITOR RPR</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: RPR Titer Reflex - RPR with Reflex to Titer - Treponema pallidum with Reflex to Titer - RPR - Non-Treponemal Test
<u>SCLERODERMA ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Scleroderma (Scl-70) (ENA) Antibody - Autoantibodies to Scl 70 Antigen - Scl70 - Scleroderma Antibodies - Topo 1 - Topoisomerase 1 Antibody - Topoisomerase I Antibody - ENA
<u>SMITH (ENA) ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Sm - Anti-Smith (ENA) Antibody - Sm antibody IgG - Sm/RNP - Anti-Smith
<u>SSA IGG ANTIBODIES (RO52 AND RO60)</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-Ro - Anti-SSA - Anti-SSA (Ro) (ENA) Antibody - Ro - Ro Autoantibodies - Sjogren Syndrome - Sjogren's Antibody - SSA Autoantibodies - Anti-Sjögren's Syndrome - Ro Antibody

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<u>SSB (La) (ENA) ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: anti-Sjögren Syndrome B - anti-SSB - Anti-SSB (La) (ENA) Antibody - Sjogren's Antibody - SSB (La) - Anti-La
<u>SYPHILIS CONFIRMATION WITH REFLEX, REVERSE ALGORITHM</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: RPR (Diagnosis) with Reflex to Titer and Confirmatory Testing - RPR Reflex Titer & TPPA - RPR Reflex TPPA & Titer - RPR Reflex with confirmation - Treponema pallidum with Reflex to Titer and TP-PA Confirmation - RPR - TP-PA - Treponemal Test - Non-Treponemal Test - Syphilis Reverse algorithm
<u>SYPHILIS SCREEN NEONATAL</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: RPR Titer Reflex - RPR with Reflex to Titer - Treponema pallidum with Reflex to Titer - RPR - Non-Treponemal Test
<u>SYPHILIS CONFIRMATION, TP-PA ONLY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: MHA-TP - Syphilis Antibody by MHA - Syphilis TPPA - T pallidum TPPA - T. pallidum Antibody by MHA - TP-PA - Treponema Pallidum AB - Particle Agglutination - Treponema pallidum Particle Agglutination Assay - Treponemal Test
<u>TOXOPLASMA GONDII IGG ANTIBODY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Parasite Serology - T. gondii IgG - Toxoplasma Antibody, IgG, Serum - TOXO IGG - Toxoplasma gondii Antibody IgG
<u>TISSUE TRANSGLUTAMINASE ANTIBODY, IgA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Human RBC tTG - Native tTG - TG2 IgA - Tissue Transglutaminase - Tissue Transglutaminase Ab IgA - tTG IgA - tTG IGA - TTG-IgA Antibody
<u>TISSUE TRANSGLUTAMINASE ANTIBODY, IGA WITH REFLEX TO ENDOMYSIAL ANTIBODY, IGA TITER BY IFA</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Anti-EMA - Anti-Endomysial - Anti-Endomysial Antibody - Anti-tissue Transglutaminase Antibody - Antiendomysial - Antiendomysial Antibody - Celiac Disease - EMA - Gluten Sensitivity - Gluten-Sensitive Enteropathy Tests - Tissue Transglutaminase Ab IgA - tTG IgA - TTG Reflex
<u>TISSUE TRANSGLUTAMINASE ANTIBODY, IgG</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Tissue Transglutaminase - Transglutaminase - tTG - tTG IgG - TTG IgG Antibody
<u>VARICELLA ZOSTER VIRUS IgG ANTIBODY</u>	1/26/2021	Synonym(s)	Updated to: Herpes Zoster - Herpes Zoster Antibodies - IgG Serum, Varicella-Zoster Antibody - Varicella-Zoster Antibody Screen - Varicella-zoster IgG - Varicella-Zoster Immune Status - VZ AB IgG - VZV - VZV Antibody IgG - VZV IgG Antibody

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<u>KLEIHAUER-BETKE</u>	1/30/2021	Collect	Updated to: Whole Blood (maternal): One 4.0 mL or 2.0 mL lavender (EDTA) tube. Amniotic or other Body Fluid: Collect in sterile container.
		Handling	Updated to: Samples that cannot be immediately processed must be stored at 2-8°C Whole Blood (maternal) EDTA: Do not under fill or over fill tube. EDTA tubes must be filled to a minimum of 1/2 of the maximum sample volume. Amniotic or other Body Fluids must not be clotted.
		Rejection Criteria	Updated to: Under filled tube, overfilled tube, frozen, clotted or grossly hemolyzed samples, incorrect anticoagulant, cord blood
		Stability	Updated to: Whole Blood (maternal) EDTA: Two weeks refrigerated (2-8°C) Amniotic or other Body Fluid: 24 hours refrigerated (2-8°C)
<u>CALCIUM/CREATININE RATIO, URINE</u>	1/30/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: Urine Calcium: 82340, Urine Creatinine: 82570
<u>CHOLESTEROL</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 3 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 3 months
		Reference Range	Updated to: Removed reference ranges and added link to Chemistry Reference Ranges and Critical Values document
<u>GENERAL HEALTH PANEL</u>	1/30/2021	CPT Code(s)	Updated to: 80050
<u>TRIGLYCERIDE</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 3 months
		Reference Range	Updated to: Removed reference ranges and added link to Chemistry Reference Ranges and Critical Values document

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ALANINE AMINOTRANSFERASE	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 3 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 7 days
ALKALINE RESISTANT/PERSISTENT HEMOGLOBIN	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 48 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 3 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): Unacceptable
CHLORIDE, BLOOD	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
COMPREHENSIVE METABOLIC PANEL	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 8 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 3 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 7 days
ELECTROLYTES	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 3 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
GAMMA GLUTAMYL TRANSFERASE	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 1 month
GLUCOSE, URINE, RANDOM	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): Unacceptable; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 5 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month.
GLUCOSE, URINE, TIMED	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C) Unacceptable; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 5 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month.
HCG, URINE, QUALITATIVE	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 8 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 48 hours; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 2 months
HEMOGLOBIN, FREE	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: WHOLE BLOOD: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 30 minutes; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 30 minutes; Frozen (at or below -20°C): Unacceptable AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 1 day; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
HEPATIC FUNCTION PANEL	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 3 days; Frozen (≤ -20°C): 7 days

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<u>HOMOCYSTEINE</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER REMOVAL FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 3 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 2 weeks; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 8 months (avoid more than one freeze/thaw)
<u>IRON</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 4 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
<u>LACTATE</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26 °C): 8 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 14 days; Frozen (< -20°C): 1 month
<u>POTASSIUM, BLOOD</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 2 months
<u>PROTEIN, BLOOD</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 1 week; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 1 month; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 6 months
<u>SODIUM, BLOOD</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 4 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
<u>UREA NITROGEN, BLOOD</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 3 months
<u>URIC ACID, BLOOD</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 48 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
<u>LIPASE</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 7 days; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (at or below -20°C): 1 month
<u>LIPID PROFILE WITH REFLEX</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 8 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 5 days; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 3 months
<u>LIPID PROFILE</u>	1/30/2021	Stability	Updated to: AFTER SEPARATION FROM CELLS: Room Temperature (18-26°C): 24 hours; Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days; Frozen (\leq -20°C): 3 months