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## TEST UPDATES

Notification Date: January 2016

Test Description	Effective Date	Type of Change	Comments
<b><u>CD4 ONLY PANEL</u></b>	1/12/16	Handling, Rejection, Stability	Updated to indicate Flow testing must be run within 5 days.
<b><u>CHROMIUM, URINE</u></b>	1/14/16	Handling, Rejection	Updated handling and rejection fields to indicate specimens must be transferred into a Trace Element Free transport tube.
<b><u>COPPER, URINE</u></b>	1/14/16	New test	
<b><u>HEAVY METALS PANEL 3, URINE WITH REFLEX TO ARSENIC FRACTIONATED</u></b>	1/14/16	Handling, Rejection	Updated handling and rejection fields to indicate specimens must be transferred into a Trace Element Free transport tube.
<b><u>IMMUNODEFICIENCY PANEL I</u></b>	1/12/16	Handling, Rejection, Stability	Updated to indicate Flow testing must be run within 5 days.
<b><u>IMMUNODEFICIENCY PANEL II</u></b>	1/12/16	Handling, Rejection, Stability	Updated to indicate Flow testing must be run within 5 days.
<b><u>INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTOR-1, LC-MS, SERUM</u></b>	1/27/16	Mnemonic, Rejection, Stability, Method	New methodology will now allow ambient and refrigerated specimens.
<b><u>LEAD, URINE</u></b>	1/14/16	Handling, Rejection	Updated handling and rejection fields to indicate specimens must be transferred into a Trace Element Free transport tube.
<b><u>M TUBERCULOSIS PCR (XPRT)</u></b>	1/14/16	Comment	Added comment indicating an AFB Culture must be ordered with any TB PCR test for diagnostic purposes.
<b><u>MERCURY, URINE QUANTITATIVE</u></b>	1/14/16	Handling, Rejection	Updated handling and rejection fields to indicate specimens must be transferred into a Trace Element Free transport tube.



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<u>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS (PCB) PANEL, CONGENERS, SERUM OR PLASMA</u>	1/27/16	New test	
<u>PRENATAL SCREEN, ALPHAFETOPROTEIN, MATERNAL SERUM</u>	1/28/16	CPT Code	Updated from 81511 to 82105
<u>PRENATAL SCREEN, SECOND TRIMESTER</u>	1/28/16	CPT Code	Updated from 82105, 82677, 84702, 86336 to 81511
<u>SWEAT CHLORIDE</u>	1/26/16	Guidelines, Patient Prep	Added age and weight requirements for testing.
<u>ZONISAMIDE</u>	1/25/16	Volume	Updated to add serum, plasma and whole blood minimum volumes required.