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TEST UPDATES

Notification Date: June 2016

Test Description	Effective Date	Type of Change	Comments
<u>ALANINE AMINOTRANSFERASE</u>	6/7/16	Handling, Stability, Comment	Updated handling and stability to include red top tubes, added comment re: Sulfasalazine treatment.
<u>ALLERGEN PANELS</u>	6/23/16	Rejection	Rejection criteria has been removed from all allergen panels
<u>CAFFEINE</u>	6/28/16	Collect, Rejection	Serum separator tubes no longer acceptable for testing
<u>COMPREHENSIVE METABOLIC PANEL</u>	6/7/16	Handling, Stability	Updated handling and stability to include red top tubes
<u>COMPREHENSIVE METABOLIC PANEL WITH ESTIMATED GLOMERULAR FILTRATION RATE (GFR)</u>	6/7/16	Handling, Stability	Updated handling and stability to include red top tubes
<u>CULTURE, BACTERIAL ORGANISM IDENTIFICATION</u>	6/9/16	Method	Updated methodology
<u>CULTURE, EXUDATE</u>	6/9/16	Included tests	Added "aerobic and anaerobic culture" as included in test
<u>CULTURE, TISSUE</u>	6/9/16	Included tests	Added "aerobic and anaerobic culture" as included in test
<u>DRUGS OF ABUSE PANEL, SERUM</u>	6/20/16	Rejection Criteria, Performed	Heroin confirmation testing now sent out to referral lab, which does not allow for plasma or serum separator tubes
<u>HELICOBACTER PYLORI ANTIBODY, IgM</u>	6/9/16	Deleted	Test is no longer available
<u>HEPATIC FUNCTION PANEL</u>	6/7/16	Handling, Stability	Updated handling and stability to include red top tubes



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<u>NEONATAL ACUTE NUTRITION PANEL</u>	6/7/16	Handling, Stability	Updated handling and stability to include red top tubes
<u>TESTOSTERONE</u>	6/9/16	New tests	Please see Clinical Update - <u>Changes to Testosterone Testing for Females and Male Children</u>