



February 25, 2008

RE: **Emergency test change notification**

Dear Valued Client:

The following pages detail important information regarding a test requiring database modifications. Please be advised that this urgent change is effective March 24, 2008

Please use this packet of information to update your computer systems/records. This change is important to ensure standardization of our mutual laboratory databases.

If you have any questions about the information contained in this packet, please call our Client Support Department at (866) 522-2206. Thank you for your continued support of NMS Labs and your assistance in implementing this change.

Sincerely,

NMS Labs

### Database Changes - Summary

Test Code	Test Name	New Test	Method	Units	Scope	Specimen Reqs	Discontinued	Reference Comment	Misc.
5392U	Opiates Confirmation, Urine	.							

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**NEW TEST**

Test Code	Test Name	Reporting Limit	Units	Method / CPT Code
<b>5392U</b>	<b>Opiates - Total (Conjugated/Unconjugated) Confirmation, Urine</b>			
Scope of Analysis:	Codeine - Total	100	ng/mL	<b>GC/MS (83925)</b>
	Dihydrocodeine/Hydrocodol - Total	100	ng/mL	
	Hydrocodone - Total	100	ng/mL	
	Hydromorphone - Total	100	ng/mL	
	Morphine - Total	100	ng/mL	
	Oxycodone - Total	100	ng/mL	
	Oxymorphone - Total	100	ng/mL	
Specimen Requirements:	Specimen Requirements: 1 mL Urine Transport Temperature: Refrigerated Specimen Container: NMS Labs has no experimental or literature-based data regarding the choice of specific specimen collection containers for this test. Light Protection: Not Required Special Handling: None Rejection Criteria: None			
Stability:	Room Temperature: 20 day(s) Refrigerated: 20 day(s) Frozen (-20 °C): 8 month(s)			
Notes:	<b>5392U Opiates - Total (Conjugated/Unconjugated) Confirmation, Urine</b> is a new test (replacing 5838U Opiates - Total (Conjugated/Unconjugated) Confirmation, Urine). Oxycodone - Total and Oxymorphone - Total compounds were added to the scope of the new confirmation test (5392U).  <b>5392U Opiates - Total (Conjugated/Unconjugated) Confirmation, Urine</b> reflexes from the following screening tests: 8500U Medical Professional Panel, Urine 8503U Medical Professional Urine Panel 2 8509U Medical Professional Comprehensive Panel 3, Urine (CSA) 8510U Medical Professional Comprehensive Panel 4, Urine (CSA).			