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Test Updates

In our continuing effort to provide you with the highest quality toxicology laboratory services available, we have compiled important changes regarding a number of tests we perform. Listed below are the types of changes that may be included in this notification, effective Monday, July 12, 2021

Test Changes - Tests that have had changes to the method/ CPT code, units of measurement, scope of analysis, reference comments, or specimen requirements.

Discontinued Tests - Tests being discontinued with alternate testing suggestions.

Please use this information to update your computer systems/records. These changes are important to ensure standardization of our mutual laboratory databases.

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

The CPT Codes provided in this document are based on AMA guidelines and are for informational purposes only. NMS Labs does not assume responsibility for billing errors due to reliance on the CPT Codes listed in this document.



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Test Code	Test Name	Test Name	Method / CPT Code	Specimen Req.	Stability	Scope	Units	Reference Comments	Discontinue
0014B	3-MeO-PCP and 3-hydroxy-PCP (Qualitative), Blood				•				
0030U	Acetaminophen, Urine							•	
0266U	Aluminum Proficiency, Urine			•					
0264UH	Aluminum, 24 Hour Urine			•					
0264FL	Aluminum, Fluid			•					
0264LI	Aluminum, Liquid			•					
0264SP	Aluminum, Serum/Plasma			•					
0264U	Aluminum, Urine			•					
0269SP	Aminocaproic Acid, Serum/Plasma			•					
0486U	Atomoxetine, Urine							•	
2626B	Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Blood	•		•	•	•			
2626SP	Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Serum/Plasma	•		•	•	•			
2626U	Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Urine	•		•	•	•			
0630B	Benzyl Alcohol, Blood							•	
0640SP	Beryllium Proficiency, Serum/Plasma			•					
0640U	Beryllium Proficiency, Urine			•					
0638LI	Beryllium, Liquid			•					
0638SP	Beryllium, Serum/Plasma			•					
0802U	Buprenorphine Screen, Urine							•	
0805U	Buspirone, Urine							•	
0930U	Caffeine, Urine							•	
0964U	Cannabinoid Metabolite, Urine							•	
1030U	Carisoprodol and Metabolite, Urine							•	
1270U	Clonazepam and Metabolite, Urine							•	
1275U	Clonidine, Urine							•	
1350B	Cresols, Blood							•	
1405U	Cyclobenzaprine, Urine							•	
1495B	Desomorphine, Blood							•	
1590B	Diethyl Ether, Blood							•	
1482B	Diethyl-M-Toluamide, Blood							•	
1615B	Digoxin, Blood							•	
1038B	Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether, Blood							•	



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2156B	Germanium, Blood			•					
2156SP	Germanium, Serum/Plasma			•					
2156U	Germanium, Urine			•					
8758B	Hallucinogens Screen, Blood							•	
2365B	Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Blood							•	
2365SP	Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Serum/Plasma							•	
2365U	Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Urine							•	
52065B	LSD Confirmation, Blood							•	
5811B	LSD Confirmation, Blood							•	
5811SP	LSD Confirmation, Serum/Plasma							•	
52065U	LSD Confirmation, Urine							•	
5811U	LSD Confirmation, Urine							•	
2541B	LSD Screen, Blood							•	
2541SP	LSD Screen, Serum/Plasma							•	
2541U	LSD Screen, Urine							•	
2540B	LSD Trace Analysis, Blood							•	
2540U	LSD Trace Analysis, Urine							•	
2693H	Metals/Metalloids Acute Poisoning Panel, Hair							•	
2663N	Metals/Metalloids Panel 3, Nails							•	
2673SP	Proficiency Panel 4, Serum/Plasma				•				
2673U	Proficiency Panel 4, Urine				•				
4201B	Silver Proficiency, Blood				•				
4200B	Silver, Blood				•				
4200SP	Silver, Serum/Plasma				•				
4200U	Silver, Urine				•				



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0014B 3-MeO-PCP and 3-hydroxy-PCP (Qualitative), Blood

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 30 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)

0030U Acetaminophen, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80143): Acetaminophen
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Acetaminophen	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

0266U Aluminum Proficiency, Urine

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Urine
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Unpreserved urine should be refrigerated immediately and analyzed within 1 week of collection. Acceptable preservatives include: Trace Metal Free Hydrochloric Acid or Nitric Acid (0.1 mL of 12M acid/10 mL urine). Avoid exposure to gadolinium-based contrast media for 48 hours prior to sample collection.
Rejection Criteria: None

0264UH Aluminum, 24 Hour Urine

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL 24 Hour Urine
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Unpreserved urine should be refrigerated immediately and analyzed within 1 week of collection. Acceptable preservatives include: Trace Metal Free Hydrochloric Acid or Nitric Acid (0.1 mL of 12M acid/10 mL urine). Avoid exposure to gadolinium-based contrast media for 48 hours prior to sample collection.
Rejection Criteria: None



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0264FL Aluminum, Fluid

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 5 mL Fluid
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: None
Rejection Criteria: None

0264LI Aluminum, Liquid

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 5 mL Liquid
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: None
Rejection Criteria: None

0264SP Aluminum, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Serum or Plasma
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plasma: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; EDTA), Serum: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; No additive)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into an acid washed plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
Rejection Criteria: Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).

0264U Aluminum, Urine

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.



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Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Urine
 Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
 Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
 Light Protection: Not Required
 Special Handling: Unpreserved urine should be refrigerated immediately and analyzed within 1 week of collection. Acceptable preservatives include: Trace Metal Free Hydrochloric Acid or Nitric Acid (0.1 mL of 12M acid/10 mL urine). Avoid exposure to gadolinium-based contrast media for 48 hours prior to sample collection.
 Rejection Criteria: None

0269SP Aminocaproic Acid, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 1 mL Serum or Plasma
 Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
 Specimen Container: Plastic container (preservative-free)
 Light Protection: Not Required
 Special Handling: Serum: Collect sample in Red top tube
 Plasma: Collect sample in Lavender top tube (EDTA) or Pink top tube.
 Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into a plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
 Rejection Criteria: Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).

0486U Atomoxetine, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC/MS (80338): Atomoxetine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Atomoxetine	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2626B Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Blood

Summary of Changes: Test Name was changed.
 Specimen Requirements were changed.
 Specimen Requirements (Rejection Criteria) were changed.
 Stability was changed.
 Scope of Analysis was changed.
 alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone, Benzylone and N-butyl Pentylone were added.
 alpha-PVP, MDPV, Mephedrone, Methoxetamine, Methylone and Pentedrone were removed.



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Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Blood
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Gray top tube (Sodium Fluoride / Potassium Oxalate)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: None
Rejection Criteria: None
Stability: Room Temperature: 7 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)
Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80371): alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone,
Method (CPT Code) Benzylone, N-butyl Pentylone

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP	ng/mL	Alpha-PHP and alpha-PiHP (alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinohexanophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinoisohexanophenone) are psychoactive stimulants of the pyrrolidinophenone series that are structurally related to alpha-PVP. These compounds have been sold as novel psychoactive substances (NPS) for their stimulating and empathogenic effects and are used as alternatives to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine. Alpha-PHP and its isomer alpha-PiHP are not differentiated. If additional testing is needed, please contact the laboratory.
4-chloro alpha-PVP	ng/mL	4-chloro alpha-PVP (4-chloro-alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone) is a psychoactive stimulant of the pyrrolidinophenone series that is structurally related to alpha-PVP. This compound has been sold as a novel psychoactive substance (NPS) for its stimulating and empathogenic effects and is used as an alternative to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine.
Eutylone	ng/mL	Eutylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.
Benzylone	ng/mL	Benzylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.



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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
N-butyl Pentylone	ng/mL	N-butyl Pentylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.

2626SP Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Test Name was changed.
 Specimen Requirements were changed.
 Specimen Requirements (Transport Temperature) were changed.
 Stability was changed.
 Scope of Analysis was changed.
 alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone, Benzylone and N-butyl Pentylone were added.
 alpha-PVP, MDPV, Mephedrone, Methoxetamine, Methylone and Pentedrone were removed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Serum or Plasma
 Transport Temperature: Frozen
 Specimen Container: Plastic container (preservative-free)
 Light Protection: Not Required
 Special Handling: Serum: Collect sample in Red top tube
 Plasma: Collect sample in Lavender top tube (EDTA) or Pink top tube.
 Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into a plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
 Rejection Criteria: Received Room Temperature. Received Refrigerated. Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).
 Stability: Room Temperature: Not Stable
 Refrigerated: 2 day(s)
 Frozen (-20 °C): 14 day(s)
 Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80371): alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone,
 Method (CPT Code) Benzylone, N-butyl Pentylone

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP	ng/mL	Alpha-PHP and alpha-PiHP (alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinohexanophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinoisohexanophenone) are psychoactive stimulants of the pyrrolidinophenone series that are structurally related to alpha-PVP. These compounds have been sold as novel psychoactive substances (NPS)



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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
		for their stimulating and empathogenic effects and are used as alternatives to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine. Alpha-PHP and its isomer alpha-PiHP are not differentiated. If additional testing is needed, please contact the laboratory.
4-chloro alpha-PVP	ng/mL	4-chloro alpha-PVP (4-chloro-alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone) is a psychoactive stimulant of the pyrrolidinophenone series that is structurally related to alpha-PVP. This compound has been sold as a novel psychoactive substance (NPS) for its stimulating and empathogenic effects and is used as an alternative to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine.
Eutylone	ng/mL	Eutylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.
Benzyllone	ng/mL	Benzyllone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.
N-butyl Pentylone	ng/mL	N-butyl Pentylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.

2626U Bath Salts Panel (Qualitative), Urine

Summary of Changes: Test Name was changed.
 Specimen Requirements were changed.
 Specimen Requirements (Rejection Criteria) were changed.
 Stability was changed.
 Scope of Analysis was changed.
 alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone, Benzyllone and N-butyl Pentylone were added.
 alpha-PVP, MDPV, Mephedrone, Methoxetamine, Methylone and Pentedrone were removed.



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Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Urine
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (preservative-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: None
Rejection Criteria: None
Stability: Room Temperature: 7 day(s)
Refrigerated: 1 month(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 1 month(s)
Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80371): alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP, 4-chloro alpha-PVP, Eutylone,
Method (CPT Code) Benzylone, N-butyl Pentylone

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
alpha-PHP / alpha-PiHP	ng/mL	Alpha-PHP and alpha-PiHP (alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinohexanophenone, alpha-Pyrrolidinoisohexanophenone) are psychoactive stimulants of the pyrrolidinophenone series that are structurally related to alpha-PVP. These compounds have been sold as novel psychoactive substances (NPS) for their stimulating and empathogenic effects and are used as alternatives to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine. Alpha-PHP and its isomer alpha-PiHP are not differentiated. If additional testing is needed, please contact the laboratory.
4-chloro alpha-PVP	ng/mL	4-chloro alpha-PVP (4-chloro-alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone) is a psychoactive stimulant of the pyrrolidinophenone series that is structurally related to alpha-PVP. This compound has been sold as a novel psychoactive substance (NPS) for its stimulating and empathogenic effects and is used as an alternative to amphetamine, MDMA, and/or cocaine.
Eutylone	ng/mL	Eutylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.
Benzylone	ng/mL	Benzylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.



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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
N-butyl Pentylone	ng/mL	N-butyl Pentylone is classified as a synthetic stimulant and belongs to the beta-keto-methylenedioxyamphetamine subclass, which includes synthetic stimulants methylone, butylone, ethylone, and N-ethylpentylone.

0630B Benzyl Alcohol, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC (84600): Benzyl Alcohol
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Benzyl Alcohol	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

0640SP Beryllium Proficiency, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Serum or Plasma
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plasma: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; EDTA), Serum: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; No additive)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into an acid washed plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
Rejection Criteria: Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).

0640U Beryllium Proficiency, Urine

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Urine
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Avoid exposure to gadolinium-based contrast media for 48 hours prior to sample collection.
Rejection Criteria: None

0638LI Beryllium, Liquid



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Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 5 mL Liquid
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: None
Rejection Criteria: None

0638SP Beryllium, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Serum or Plasma
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plasma: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; EDTA), Serum: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; No additive)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into an acid washed plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
Rejection Criteria: Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).

0802U Buprenorphine Screen, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: EIA (80307): Buprenorphine / Metabolite
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Buprenorphine / Metabolite	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

0805U Buspirone, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80375): Buspirone
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Buspirone	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

0930U Caffeine, Urine



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Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80155): Caffeine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Caffeine	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

0964U Cannabinoid Metabolite, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80349): Delta-9 Carboxy THC - Total
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Delta-9 Carboxy THC - Total	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1030U Carisoprodol and Metabolite, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC/MS (80369): Carisoprodol, Meprobamate
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Meprobamate	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1270U Clonazepam and Metabolite, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80346): Clonazepam, 7-Amino Clonazepam
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
7-Amino Clonazepam	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1275U Clonidine, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80375): Clonidine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Clonidine	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]



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1350B Cresols, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC (84600): o-Cresol, p-and/or m-Cresol
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
p-and/or m-Cresol	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1405U Cyclobenzaprine, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80369): Cyclobenzaprine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Cyclobenzaprine	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1495B Desomorphine, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80362): Desomorphine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Desomorphine	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1590B Diethyl Ether, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: Headspace GC (84600): Diethyl Ether
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Diethyl Ether	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1482B Diethyl-M-Toluamide, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC (82542): N,N-Diethyl-m-Toluamide
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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
N,N-Diethyl-m-Toluamide	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1615B Digoxin, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80162): Digoxin
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Digoxin	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

1038B Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: GC (84600): Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether	mcg/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2156B Germanium, Blood

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 5 mL Blood
 Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
 Specimen Container: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; EDTA)
 Light Protection: Not Required
 Special Handling: Clotted Blood specimens are not acceptable.
 Tubes containing Heparin based anticoagulants are not acceptable.
 Rejection Criteria: Light Green top tube (Lithium Heparin). Tan top tube - glass (Sodium Heparin).
 Green top tube (Lithium Heparin). Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; Sodium Heparin).
 Green top tube (Sodium Heparin).

2156SP Germanium, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.



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Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Serum or Plasma
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plasma: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; EDTA), Serum: Royal Blue top tube (Trace metal-free; No additive)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Promptly centrifuge and separate Serum or Plasma into an acid washed plastic screw capped vial using approved guidelines.
Rejection Criteria: Received Room Temperature. Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST).

2156U Germanium, Urine

Summary of Changes: Specimen Requirements were changed.

Specimen Requirements: 2 mL Urine
Transport Temperature: Refrigerated
Specimen Container: Plastic container (Acid washed or Trace metal-free)
Light Protection: Not Required
Special Handling: Avoid exposure to gadolinium-based contrast media for 48 hours prior to sample collection.
Rejection Criteria: Received Room Temperature.

8758B Hallucinogens Screen, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: ELISA (80307): LSD
Method (CPT Code) ELISA (80307): Cocaine / Metabolites, Amphetamines, Phencyclidine, Cannabinoids, Methamphetamine / MDMA

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	No reference data available.

2365B Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80375): Hydroxyzine, Cetirizine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Cetirizine	ng/mL	Cetirizine is an active metabolite of Hydroxyzine.

2365SP Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.



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Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80375): Hydroxyzine, Cetirizine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Cetirizine	ng/mL	Cetirizine is an active metabolite of Hydroxyzine.

2365U Hydroxyzine and Metabolite, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80375): Hydroxyzine, Cetirizine
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Hydroxyzine	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]
Cetirizine	ng/mL	Cetirizine is an active metabolite of Hydroxyzine.

52065B LSD Confirmation, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

5811B LSD Confirmation, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

5811SP LSD Confirmation, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]



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52065U LSD Confirmation, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

5811U LSD Confirmation, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2541B LSD Screen, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80307): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2541SP LSD Screen, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: ELISA (80307): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2541U LSD Screen, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: ELISA (80307): LSD
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Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2540B LSD Trace Analysis, Blood

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2540U LSD Trace Analysis, Urine

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: LC-MS/MS (80323): LSD
Method (CPT Code)

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
LSD	ng/mL	[Reference comment removed]

2693H Metals/Metalloids Acute Poisoning Panel, Hair

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: ICP/MS (82175,83018x4,83655,84255): Arsenic, Selenium, Antimony, Barium, Thallium, Lead, Bismuth
Method (CPT Code)
ICP/MS (None):
ICP/MS (83825): Mercury
ICP/MS (None):

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Bismuth	mcg/g	Not for clinical diagnostic purposes.

2663N Metals/Metalloids Panel 3, Nails

Summary of Changes: Reference Comment was changed.

Scope of Analysis: ICP/MS (82495, 82175, 82300, 83655): Chromium, Arsenic, Cadmium, Lead
Method (CPT Code) ICP/MS (83825): Mercury

Compound Name	Units	Reference Comment
Chromium	mcg/g	Not for clinical diagnostic purposes.
Cadmium	mcg/g	Not for clinical diagnostic purposes.



Test Updates

Test Changes

2673SP Proficiency Panel 4, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 30 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)

2673U Proficiency Panel 4, Urine

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 14 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)

4201B Silver Proficiency, Blood

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 25 day(s)
Refrigerated: 25 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 25 day(s)

4200B Silver, Blood

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 25 day(s)
Refrigerated: 25 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 25 day(s)

4200SP Silver, Serum/Plasma

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 30 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)

4200U Silver, Urine

Summary of Changes: Stability was changed.

Stability: Room Temperature: 14 day(s)
Refrigerated: 30 day(s)
Frozen (-20 °C): 30 day(s)