

Update Notes

Quest notified us that the National Prion Lab, where testing is performed on CSF for 14-3-3 Protein (Prion Disease), will be closed from December 20, 2019 to January 2, 2020. Samples will be held at Quest after December 18, and shipped to National Prion January 2. There will be a 2-3 week delay for this testing. The Warde code for this test is CSFPR.

Update Summary

Update Existing Test	1/20/2020	CNREC - "Chlamydia/Neisseria gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Rectal"
Update Existing Test	1/20/2020	CNTH - "Chlamydia/Neisseria gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Throat"
Update Existing Test	1/20/2020	CNTMA - "Chlamydia/N. gonorrhoeae and T. vaginalis RNA, Qual, TMA"
Update Existing Test	12/12/2019	CRP - "C- Reactive Protein"
Update Existing Test	12/12/2019	FMP3 - "MyoMarker Panel 3"
Update Existing Test	12/12/2019	RT3 - "T3, Reverse, LC/MS/MS"
Update Existing Test	1/20/2020	SWCN - "C. Trachomatis/N. gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Surepath"
Inactivate Test With Replacement	1/21/2020	CALPR - "Calprotectin, Stool" replaced by CALPT - "CALPROTECTIN"
Inactivate Test With Replacement	1/27/2020	THTBI - "TRAb (TSH Receptor Binding Antibody)" replaced by TSHRA - "TRAb (TSH Receptor Antibody)"

Update Existing Test

Effective Date	1/20/2020
Name	Chlamydia/Neisseria gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Rectal
Code	CNREC
Interface Order Code	3435330
Legacy Code	CNREC
Notes	

Required Testing Changes

Specimen Required	<p>Send rectal swab in Aptima® Combo 2 Transport Media at room temperature. Use the APTIMA® Unisex Swab specimen collection kit (white label) or the APTIMA® Vaginal Swab Specimen Collection kit (orange label). Insert the small, blue shafted collection swab (Unisex kit, NOT the larger white shafted cleansing swab) or the small, pink shafted collection swab (Vaginal kit) approximately 3-5 cm into the rectum. Rotate swab against the rectal wall at least 3 times. Withdraw the swab carefully. Swabs that are grossly contaminated with feces should be discarded and the collection repeated. Remove the cap from the swab specimen transport tube and immediately place the swab into the transport tube. Carefully break the swab shaft at the score line. Re-cap the swab specimen transport tube tightly, label and ship to the lab.</p>
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Update Existing Test	
Effective Date	1/20/2020
Name	Chlamydia/Neisseria gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Throat
Code	CNTH
Interface Order Code	3435350
Legacy Code	CNTH
Notes	
Required Testing Changes	
Specimen Required	Send throat swab in Aptima® Combo 2 Transport media at room temperature . Use the Aptima® Unisex Swab Specimen Collection kit (white label) or Aptima® Vaginal Swab Specimen Collection kit (orange label). Using a tongue depressor, insert the small, blue shafted collection swab (Unisex kit, NOT the larger white shafted cleansing swab) or the small pink shafted collection swab (Vaginal kit) and vigorously rub the tonsils and the posterior pharynx. Carefully remove the swab without touching any area of the mouth. Remove the cap from the swab specimen transport tube and immediately place the swab into the transport tube. Carefully break the swab shaft at the score line. Re-cap the swab specimen transport tube tightly, label and ship to the lab.

Update Existing Test	
Effective Date	1/20/2020
Name	Chlamydia/N. gonorrhoeae and T. vaginalis RNA, Qual, TMA
Code	CNTMA
Interface Order Code	3435200
Legacy Code	CNTMA
Notes	
Required Testing Changes	
Specimen Required	Send 1.0 mL of SurePath™ preservative fluid (0.5 mL minimum) collected in Aptima® Vaginal collection kit (orange label) or Aptima® Unisex collection kit (white label with purple writing) or Aptima® transfer tube (green label). The source (ThinPrep® or SurePath™) MUST be written on the label. Send refrigerated.
Alternate Specimen	1.0 mL PreservCyt® Preservative (ThinPrep®) placed in Aptima Vaginal collection tube (orange label) or Aptima Specimen Transfer tube (green label) or Aptima Unisex collection tube (white label with purple writing) and send refrigerated. The source (ThinPrep® or SurePath™) MUST be written on the label. 20.0 mL liquid cytology (PreservCyt®) Preservative® (ThinPrep)
Rejection Criteria	PreservCyt® or SurePath™ material previously processed for cytology, PreservCyt® with excess mucus.

Update Existing Test	
Effective Date	12/12/2019
Name	C- Reactive Protein
Code	CRP
Interface Order Code	3000260
Legacy Code	CRP
Notes	
Required Testing Changes	
Alternate Specimen	Plasma no longer acceptable

Update Existing Test			
Effective Date	12/12/2019		
Name	MyoMarker Panel 3		
Code	FMP3		
Interface Order Code	3800044		
Legacy Code	FMP3		
Notes	The LOINC has been updated for result code 3800048.		
Required Testing Changes			
Result Code	Name	LOINC Code	AOE/Prompt ²
3800045	Anti-Jo-1 Ab	35333-4	No
3800046	PL-7	33772-5	No
3800047	PL-12	33771-7	No
3800048	EJ	45149-2	No
3800049	OJ	45152-6	No
3800050	SRP	33921-8	No
3800051	MI-2	18485-3	No
3800052	TIF1 Gamma (P155/140)	88739-8	No
3800053	MDA-5 (P140)(CADM-140)	88725-7	No
3800054	NXP-2 (P140)	82425-0	No
3800055	Anti-PM/Scl-100 Ab	61120-2	No
3800056	Fibrillarin (U3 RNP)	49963-2	No
3800057	U2 snRNP	68549-5	No
3800058	Anti-U1-RNP Ab	57662-9	No
3800059	Ku	18484-6	No
3800060	Anti-SS-A 52 kD Ab, IgG	56549-9	No

Update Existing Test	
Effective Date	12/12/2019
Name	T3, Reverse, LC/MS/MS
Code	RT3
Interface Order Code	3426700
Legacy Code	RT3Q
Notes	
Required Testing Changes	
Performed Days	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

Update Existing Test			
Effective Date	1/20/2020		
Name	Chlam trach/N. gonorr rRNA TMA		
Code	SWCN		
Interface Order Code	3723400		
Legacy Code	SWCN		
Notes	This test code should only be used for SurePath™ samples. The name of this test has changed.		
Required Testing Changes			
Name	C. trachomatis/N. gonorrhoeae RNA, TMA, Surepath		
CPT Code(s)	Chlamydia - 87491, N. Gonorrhoeae - 87591		
Specimen Required	Send 1.0 mL SurePath™ Preservative Fluid (0.5 mL minimum) refrigerated in an Aptima® transfer tube (green label). Specimen must be transferred to Aptima® tube within 4 days of collection.		
Alternate Specimen	SurePath™ fluid in Aptima® Vaginal Collection tube (orange label) or Unisex specimen collection tube (white label).		
Stability	Room temperature: 14 days; Refrigerated: 14 days; Frozen: Unacceptable		
Methodology	Transcription Mediated Amplification (TMA)		
Reference Range	Not detected		
Performed Days	Sunday - Saturday		
Turnaround Time	2 - 4 days		
Performing Laboratory	Quest SJC		
Legacy Code ¹	SWCN		
Interface Order Code	3723400		
Result Code	Name	LOINC Code	AOE/Prompt ²
3723410	N. gonorrhoeae RNA, Urogen	43305-2	No
3723420	C. trachomatis RNA, Urogen	43304-5	No

Inactivate Test With Replacement			
Effective Date	1/21/2020		
Inactivated Test			
Name	Calprotectin, Stool		
Code	CALPR		
Legacy Code¹	CALPQ		
Interface Order Code	3422180		
Notes			
Replacement Test			
Name	CALPROTECTIN		
Code	CALPT		
CPT Code(s)	83993		
Notes			
Specimen Requirements			
Specimen Required	Collect random stool. Send 1.5 g unpreserved stool (0.3 g minimum) refrigerated in an IATA-approved screw-capped plastic stool container.		
Alternate Specimen			
Rejection Criteria			
Stability	Room temperature: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 10 days; Frozen: 1 year		
Performing Information			
Methodology	Immunoassay		
Reference Range	Normal: <15.625-50 mcg/g Borderline: >50-120 mcg/g Abnormal: >120 mcg/g		
Performed Days	Monday-Friday		
Turnaround Time	6-8 days		
Performing Laboratory	Quest SJC		
Interface Information			
Legacy Code¹	CALPT		
Interface Order Code	3000049		
Result Code	Name	LOINC Code	AOE/Prompt²
3000050	Calprotectin	38445-3	No

Inactivate Test With Replacement			
Effective Date	1/27/2020		
Inactivated Test			
Name	TRAb (TSH Receptor Binding Antibody)		
Code	THTBI		
Legacy Code¹	THYRABSP		
Interface Order Code	3710700		
Notes			
Replacement Test			
Name	TRAb (TSH Receptor Antibody)		
Code	TSHRA		
CPT Code(s)	83520		
Notes			
Specimen Requirements			
Specimen Required	Draw blood in a SST. Allow serum to clot at room temperature 1 hour. Centrifuge, separate serum from cells and send 1.0 mL serum (0.5 mL minimum) refrigerated in a screw-capped plastic vial.		
Rejection Criteria	Gross hemolysis		
Stability	Room temperature: 7 days; Refrigerated: 14 days; Frozen: 21 days		
Performing Information			
Methodology	Radioimmunoassay		
Reference Range	≤ 2.00 IU/mL		
Performed Days	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday		
Turnaround Time	5-7 days		
Performing Laboratory	Quest SJC		
Interface Information			
Legacy Code¹	TSHRA		
Interface Order Code	3400198		
Result Code	Name	LOINC Code	AOE/Prompt²
3400198	TRAb (TSH Receptor Antibody)	40673-6	No