

CPT CODE AMENDMENT

NOTIFICATION DATE: July 21, 2010

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 17, 2010

**PHENYLALANINE AND TYROSINE, PLASMA
#8380**

EXPLANATION: The previous announcement sent on July 19, 2010 for the Method and Units of Measure Change provided the incorrect CPT code. The correct CPT codes are listed below. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

CURRENT METHODOLOGY: HPLC Ion-Exchange Chromatography

NEW METHODOLOGY: Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC-MS/MS)

CURRENT UNITS OF MEASURE: umol/L

NEW UNITS OF MEASURE: nmol/mL

LIST FEE: \$242.10

CORRECTED CPT CODES: 84030- Phenylalanine
84510- Tyrosine

ANALYTIC TIME: 3 days (Not reported on Saturday and Sunday)

DAY(S) SET UP: Monday through Friday;
12:00 p.m.

QUESTIONS: Contact your Mayo Medical Laboratories' Regional Manager or
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