

REFERENCE VALUE CHANGE TO REFLEX TEST

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NOTIFICATION DATE: January 19, 2011 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 17, 2011

RAPID PLASMA REAGIN (RPR) TEST, SERUM #800137

EXPLANATION: Effective February 17, 2011, there will be reporting changes to test #800137 Rapid Plasma Reagin Test, Serum. Comments regarding the reference values for the reflex test #800137 will be dropped from the report.

NOTE: #800137 Rapid Plasma Reagin Test, Serum is only available as a reflex from the following Syphilis Antibody tests.

#800130 Syphilis IgG and IgM w/Reflex RPR #800129 Syphilis IgM w/Reflex RPR #800124 Syphilis IgG w/Reflex RPR

CURRENT REFERENCE VALUE:

Negative If positive, titer will be reported.

NEW REFERENCE VALUE: Negative

NOTE: There will be no change to the fee, CPT code or specimen requirements for this test.