

TEST STATUS**MML NEW ENGLAND****NOTIFICATION DATE:** May 27, 2015**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 26, 2015**PHENYTOIN, TOTAL, SERUM**

Test ID: PNYT

EXPLANATION: On June 26, 2015 MML test code PNYT, Phenytoin, Total, Serum, will become obsolete due to a testing platform change. Testing will be performed on the Roche Cobas. Please see the information below for the recommended alternative.

RECOMMENDED ALTERNATIVE TEST:**PHENYTOIN, TOTAL, SERUM**

Test ID: PNYA

METHODOLOGY:

Kinetic Interaction of Microparticles in a Solution (KIMS)

REFERENCE VALUES:

Therapeutic: 10.0-20.0 mcg/mL

Critical value: > or =30.0 mcg/mL

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:**Container/Tube:** Red top**Specimen Volume:** 0.5 mL**Collection Instructions:** Red-top tubes should be centrifuged and aliquoted within 2 hours of collection.**SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days
	Ambient	7 days
	Frozen	14 days

CPT CODE: 80185**DAY(S) SET UP:** Monday – Friday; 3rd shift **ANALYTIC TIME:** Same day/1 day

QUESTIONS: Contact your Mayo Medical Laboratories' Regional Manager or
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