

TEST STATUS

NOTIFICATION DATE: May 2, 2017 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 2, 2017

CHLAMYDIA AND CHLAMYDOPHILA ANTIBODY PANEL 3 (IGG, IGA, IGM)

Test ID: CHPA

EXPLANATION: Effective June 2, 2017, test ID CHPA, referred to Quest Diagnostics Infectious Disease, Inc., will become obsolete due to the availability of Mayo test ID SCLAM, which includes IgM- and IgG-class antibodies to these bacteria. The clinical utility of evaluation for IgA-class antibodies is limited and not recommended by any national or international guidelines.

RECOMMENDED ALTERNATIVE TEST:

CHLAMYDIA SEROLOGY, SERUM

Test ID: SCLAM

METHODOLOGY: Micro-Immunofluorescent Antibody (MIF) Assay

REFERENCE VALUES:

Chlamydophila pneumoniae Chlamydophila psittaci Chlamydia trachomatis

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:

Container/Tube: Preferred: Serum gel

Acceptable: Red top **Specimen Volume:** 0.2 mL

Minimum Volume: 0.2 mL **Minimum Volume:** 0.15 mL

SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	30 days
	Frozen	30 days

CPT CODE: 86631 x 3-IgG

86632 x 3-IgM

DAY(S) SET UP: Monday through Saturday **ANALYTIC TIME**: Same day/1 day

QUESTIONS: Contact Mary Erath, MML Referrals Supervisor Telephone: 800-533-1710