

***Blastomyces* Antibody, Enzyme Immunoassay, Serum**

Test ID: BLAST

Explanation: Effective immediately, potential reflex test SBL is unable to be performed at Mayo Clinic Laboratories due to manufacturer reagent backorder. Specimens that meet the reflexing criteria will be forwarded to Quest Diagnostics Infectious Disease, test ID FBAI. An update will be provided once reagents are available and testing resumes at MCL.

Recommended Alternative Reflex Test:

***Blastomyces* Antibody, Immunodiffusion**

Test ID: FBAI**Method:**

Immunodiffusion (ID)

Reference Values:

Negative

Specimen Requirements:**Specimen Type:** Serum**Container/Tube:** Red top**Acceptable:** SST**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL**Collection Instructions:** Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). Serum gel tube is acceptable.
Spin down and send 1 mL of serum refrigerated in plastic vial.**Minimum Volume:** 0.5 mL**Specimen Stability Information:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days
	Ambient	7 days
	Frozen	30 days

Fee:

\$78.66

CPT Code(s):

86612

Day(s) Setup: Tuesday through Saturday**Report Available:** 7-12 days**Questions**

Contact Dunisha Messmer, Laboratory Technologist Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.