

Hepatitis B Virus Past Exposure Panel, Serum

Test ID: HBPES

Explanation: Due to a method change, the following changes will be implemented on the effective date.

Current Method
Chemiluminescence Immunoassay (CIA)

New Method
Electrochemiluminescence Immunoassay (ECLIA)

Current Specimen Stability		
Specimen	Temperature	Time
Serum SST	Frozen (preferred)	28 days
	Ambient	24 hours
	Refrigerated	7 days

New Specimen Stability		
Specimen	Temperature	Time
Serum SST	Frozen (preferred)	90 days
	Ambient	72 hours
	Refrigerated	6 days

Current CPT Code
86706 86704 87340 G0499 (if appropriate)

New CPT Code
86706 86704 87340 87341 (if appropriate) G0499 (if appropriate)

Questions

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