

## Hepatitis B Virus Perinatal Exposure Follow-up Panel, Serum

Test ID: HBABY

**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

### Questions

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