

Notification Date: October 30, 2025 Effective Date: November 3, 2025

Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia, Specified FISH, Varies

Test ID: CLLMF

Explanation: This test will become non-orderable, effective November 3, 2025. The duration of test down is expected to last 2 months. An update will be provided when testing resumes.

The recommended alternative will be referred to Quest Diagnostics and testing will follow the current algorithms as designated by Quest.

Chromosome analysis (CHRBM or CHRHB) ordered on the same specimen will also be referred to Quest for continuity via test code: FCLPD / Chromosome Analysis, CLL/LPD.

If ordering additional Mayo Clinic Lab test codes, please send an additional specimen.

Note:

The client-specific fee for CLLMF, CHRBM and CHRHB will be honored throughout this time via a lump sum credit applied once testing resumes.

Recommended Alternative Test:

FISH, B-Cell Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia Panel

Test ID: FBCEL

Methodology:

Fluorescence in situ Hybridization (FISH)

Reference Values:

An interpretive report will be provided

Specimen Requirements:

Submit only one of the following specimens:

Specimen Type: Whole blood

Container/Tube: Green top (sodium heparin)

Specimen Volume: 5 mL **Minimum Volume:** 3 mL

Specimen Type: Bone marrow

Container/Tube: Green top (sodium heparin)

Specimen Volume: 3 mL **Minimum Volume:** 1 mL

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Ambient (preferred)		
	Refrigerated		

CPT Code:

88271 x 5 88275 x 5

Day(s) Performed: Daily Report Available: 9 to 12 days

Questions

Contact Joshua Couchene Laboratory Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.