

As an Interpath customer who receives electronic results or sends electronic orders you may need to be notified when we update our Service Manual. Although we try to keep these changes to a minimum, laboratory medicine is an evolving industry requiring changes to our technology from time to time. Depending on the requirements of your EMR or Hospital Information System you may be required to make similar changes to your system in order to correctly process inbound electronic results and create outbound electronic orders.

If you are uncertain that you are required to update your system we recommend that you contact your vendor for more information. As your laboratory service provider we are available to participate in the discussion with your vendor so that you clearly understand the impact of these changes.

Included in this email:

- This cover letter with a summary of the changes
- Microsoft Word® Document with the detail of these changes to our Service Manual
- Interpath Master Order/Result Compendium

Additional information including our most recent Service Manual and additional contact information can be found at www.interpathlab.com

Effective Date: November 15, 2021



		NC	CC	СРТ	SRC	RRC	NT	DT	AOE
		Name Change	Component Change	CPT Change	Specimen Requirements Change	Reference Range Change	w Test	Discontinued Test	Ask on Order Entry Questions
Order Code	Test Name	Na Ch	లో లో	ರ	Sp. Re. Ch	Re Ra	New	Disc Test	Asl Qu Qu
70141	Antidepressant (TCA) , Urine (Screen to Confirmation)							•	
90020	BK Virus, Quantitative by PCR				•				
91035	C1 Esterase Inhibitor Panel				•	*			
2036	Cholride, Stool							♦	
2045	Potassium, Stool							♦	
2037	Sodium, Stool							•	
91208	Stone Analysis		•						
91353	Felbamate					*			
90077	Lacosamide, Serum or Plasma					♦			
70140	Zolpidem, Urine Confirmation							♦	
74126	Zolpidem, Urine Confirmation						♦		



70141 Antidepressant (TCA), Urine (Screen to Confirmation) Please take note test is being discontinued.

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90020 BK Virus, Quantitative by PCR

SRC

Specimen:			
Collect:	One Lavender (EDTA)		
	Also Acceptable One Pink Top (EDTA) One Red Top One SST One Random Urine in Sterile Specimen Container		
1 mL (Min:0.5 mL) Whole blood. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tu			
Also Acceptable 1 mL (Min:0.5 mL) Plasma. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube. 1 mL (Min:0.5 mL) Serum. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube. 1 mL (Min:0.5 mL) Random Urine. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube.			
Special Handling:	State Source		
Rejection Criteria:	Frozen Whole Blood Heparinized specimens		
Stability:	Ambient: 1 Day(s); Refrigerated: 3 Day(s); Frozen: 1 Month(s); Incubated: Unacceptable		
Methodology:	: Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction		
Performed:	Sun-Sat Sun-Sat		
Reported:	2-4 Day(s)		
CPT Codes:	87799		
Interpretive Data	Please see report for interpretive data.		
Components:	90021 - BK QUANT SOURCE 90022 - BK QUANT copy/mL 90023 - BK QUANT log 90024 - BK QUANT INTERP		

Please take note of changes to submit temperature.



91035 C1 Esterase Inhibitor Panel

SRC/RRC

Specimen:			
Collect:	One SST		
	Also Acceptable One Red Top		
Submit:	Three 1 mL (Min:1 mL) Serum. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube.		
Special Handling:	Critical Frozen Separate from cells ASAP Three separate 1 mL aliquots required.		
Stability:	See Individual Components		
Methodology:	Immunoturbidometric; Semi-Quantitative Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay; Quantitative Turbidmetric		
Performed:	Wednesday, Friday, Saturday		
Reported:	2-5 Day(s)		
CPT Codes:	86161	86160x2	
Interpretive Data	Please see report for interpretive data.		
Components:	90163 - C1 EST INHIBITOR 93066 - COMPLEMENT C4	91034 - C1 EST INHIB FUNC	

Please take note of changes to submit volume, methodology, performed dates and reference range.

Reference range change: C1 Esterase Inhibitor: 21-38 mg/dL

2036 Chloride, Stool

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Please take note test is being discontinued.

2037 Potassium, Stool

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Please take note test is being discontinued.

2037 Sodium, Stool

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Please take note test is being discontinued.



RRC

91208 S	Stone Analysis	CC		
Specimen:	•			
Collect:	Calculi in Sterile Specimen Container			
Submit:	Calculi in Sterile Specimen Container. Submit Ambient.			
Special Handling:	Calculi submitted in liquid or bloody, will be dried 47-72 hours prior to analysis - dry specimens preferred.			
	Collection Instructions: Stones originating from sources not related to the kidney should be air-dried, then placed in a plastic tube or a urine collection cup. Do not use tape. Minute specimens may be placed in a gelatin capsule. Ship ambient.			
Stability:	Ambient: 12 Month(s); Refrigerated: 12 Month(s); Frozen: 12 Month(s); Incubated: Unacceptable			
Methodology:	gy: Quantitative Reflectance Fourier Transform Infrared Spectroscopy/Quantita	tive Polarizing Microscopy		
Performed:	Sun-Sat Sun-Sat			
Reported:	2-6 Day(s)			
CPT Codes:	82365			
Interpretive Data:	Please see report for interpretive data.			
Components:	ts: 93019 - MASS 93369 - C	OMPOSITION		
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Please take note of changes to components

Component Changes:

Remove: 93601 - SIZE; 93603 - NUMBER

91353 Felbamate RRC

Please take note of change to reference range.

Reference Range: Toxic Level Greater than or equal to 100 µg/mL

90077 Lacosamide, Serum or Plasma Please take note of change to reference range.

Reference Range:

Therapeutic Range 1.0-10.0 µg/mL

Toxic Level Greater than or equal to 20 µg/mL



91173 Olanzapine

SRC/RRC

Specimen:			
Collect:	One Red Top		
	Also Acceptable Two Lavender (EDTA) One Pink Top (EDTA)		
Submit:	2 mL (Min:1 mL) Serum. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube.		
	Also Acceptable 2 mL (Min:1 mL) Plasma. Submit Frozen. Submit in a Standard Transport Tube.		
Special Handling:	g: Critical Frozen Separate aliquot required for each frozen test ordered Separate from cells within 2 hours of collection Timing of specimen collection: Pre-dose (trough) draw - At steady state concentration.		
Rejection Criteria:	Hemolyzed specimens Use of separator tubes		
Stability:	Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: Unacceptable; Frozen: 1 Month(s); Incubated: Unacceptable		
Methodology:	Quantitative Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry		
Performed:	Tuesday, Friday		
Reported:	2-9 Day(s)		
CPT Codes:	80342		

Please take note of changes to rejection criteria, stability, performed dates, reported dates, and reference range.

Reference Range: Toxic Level Greater than or equal to 100 ng/mL

70140 Zolpidem, Urine Confirmation Please take note test is being discontinued.

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74126 Zolpidem, Urine Confirmation

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Specimen:	
Collect:	Random Urine in Sterile Specimen Container
Submit:	10 mL (Min:3 mL) Random Urine. Submit Refrigerated.
Special Handling:	Avoid Repeated Freeze/Thaw Cycles
Rejection Criteria:	Urine stabilized with additives or preservatives
Stability:	Ambient: 1 Week(s); Refrigerated: 1 Week(s); Frozen: 24 Month(s); Incubated: Unacceptable
Methodology:	Liquid Chromatography Mass Spectrometry
Performed:	Mon-Fri
Reported:	1-6 Day(s)
Interpretive Data:	General Reference Range : <20 ng/mL

Please take note of new test number.