

Effective **September 15, 2009**, Mayo Medical Laboratories will no longer accept plasma specimens as an alternate source for the following infectious disease serologic marker assays. Serum is the preferred and most commonly collected specimen type for these tests.

| <b>Test Name</b>                                      | <b>Unit Code</b> |
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| Acute Hepatitis Profile, Serum                        | 800085           |
| HIV Types 1 and 2 Antibodies (Combined), Serum        | 800051           |
| HBs Antigen Confirmation, S                           | 800098           |
| Hepatitis B core Antibody, Total, Serum               | 800049           |
| Hepatitis Bs Antigen (HBsAg), Serum                   | 800050           |
| Hepatitis Bs Antibody, Serum                          | 800045           |
| Hepatitis B core Antibody, IgM, Serum                 | 800044           |
| Hepatitis A Antibody, IgM Only (Anti-HAV, IgM), Serum | 800048           |
| Hepatitis A Antibody, IgG and IgM (Anti-HAV), Serum   | 800147           |
| Chronic Hepatitis Profile                             | 800138           |
| Previous Hepatitis Exposure Profile                   | 800159           |
| HTLV I/II   | 800243           |
| HCV Ab Scrn w/Reflex to Ab Conf, S                    | 800250           |

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