

**METHOD CHANGE**

**NOTIFICATION DATE:** November 2, 2010

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** December 2, 2010

**ALPHA-GALACTOSIDASE, LEUKOCYTES**  
**#8785**

**EXPLANATION:** This test will undergo a change from a colorimetric to a fluorometric method. This change will result in a new reference value and updated units of measure. There will also be additional result codes associated with this change. These updates will require a new file definition.

**CURRENT METHODOLOGY:** Colorimetric

**NEW METHODOLOGY:** Fluorometric

**CURRENT REFERENCE VALUE:** 0.60-3.63 U/10(10) cells

**NEW REFERENCE VALUE:**  $\geq 23.1$  nmol/h/mg protein

**LIST FEE:** \$282.20

**CPT CODE:** 82657

**ANALYTIC TIME:** 8 days

**DAY(S) SET UP:** Specimens are processed Monday through Sunday. Assay is performed on Friday.

QUESTIONS: Contact your Mayo Medical Laboratories' Regional Manager or  
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