

REFERRAL TEST UPDATE

NOTIFICATION DATE: April 5, 2011 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** April 6, 2011

THC (TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL) AND CARBOXY-THC SCREEN AND GC/MS CONFIRMATION, BLOOD-FORENSIC #90479

EXPLANATION OF CHANGE: The following changes to Unit code 90479, referred to Medtox Laboratories, Inc., are effective April 6, 2011. This will require file definition change.

	CURRENT	New
Test Code	90479 – THC (Marijuana)	90479 – THC (Marijuana)
Order	Metabolite	Metabolite
	91053 – Tetrahydrocannabinol	91051 – Specimen Type
	GC/MS Confirm	91053 – Tetrahydrocannabinol
	91050 – Carboxy-THC	GC/MS Confirm
	91051 – Specimen Type	91050 – Carboxy-THC
Published Test	THC (Tetrahydrocannabinol) and	Cannabinoid Analysis, whole
name:	Carboxy-THC Screen and	blood
	GC/MS Confirmation, blood-	
	Forensic	
Reporting Title:	THC Screen and Confirmation, B	Cannabinoid Analysis, whole
		blood
Specimen	Draw blood in green-top (sodium	Draw blood in grey-top
requirements	heparin) tube(s). Refrigerate	NaF/oxalate (sodium
	specimen after collection. Send 10	fluoride/oxalate) tube(s).
	mL of sodium heparin whole	Refrigerate specimen after
	blood refrigerated.	collection. Send 7 mL of sodium
		fluoride/oxalate whole
		blood refrigerated.
Fee:	\$114.83	No change
CPT Codes:	80101; 82542 (if appropriate)	No change

QUESTIONS: Contact Mayo Medical Laboratories

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