

TESTING RESUMED

NOTIFICATION DATE: September 21, 2011 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** September 21, 2011

ACETYLCHOLINE RECEPTOR (MUSCLE ACHR) MODULATING ANTIBODIES, SERUM #83378

This test is only available in the following evaluations:

#83371 - Myasthenia Gravis, Pediatric

#83370 - Myasthenia Gravis, Adult

#83372 - Myasthenia Gravis, Thymoma

#83369 - MYASTHENIA GRAVIS, LES

#83380 - PARANEOPLASTIC AUTOANTIBODY EVALUATION (AS REFLEX)

EXPLANATION: Testing has resumed for the Acetylcholine Receptor (Muscle AChR) Modulating Antibodies (#83378), only orderable as part of the myasthenia gravis evaluations listed above and as a possible reflex in the paraneoplastic evaluation. Extra analytical runs will be performed to expedite resulting.

We thank you for your patience during the test down period and apologize for any inconvenience this delay in testing may have caused.

QUESTIONS: Contact your Mayo Medical Laboratories' Regional Manager Steven Monson, MML Laboratory Technologist Resource Coordinator Telephone: 800-533-1710