

NEW TEST ANNOUNCEMENT REFERRAL

NOTIFICATION DATE: August 15, 2012 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** September 18, 2012

HISTAMINE, WHOLE BLOOD Test ID: FHSTW

EXPLANATION: The following new orderable, referred to ARUP Laboratories, will be available September 18, 2012.

REFERRAL LAB CODE: 0070037

METHODOLOGY: Quantitative Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay

REFERENCE VALUES: 180 - 1800 nmol/L

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS: Collect blood in a green top tube (sodium or lithium heparin). Submit 1 mL well-mixed blood frozen.

NOTE: 1. Critical frozen. Separate samples must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.

2. Unacceptable: non-frozen samples

SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
WB Heparin	Frozen (preferred)	180 days
	Ambient	2 hours
	Refrigerated	6 hours

FEE: \$71.75

CPT CODE: 83088

DAY(S) SET UP: Monday, Thursday **ANALYTIC TIME:** 1 - 5 days

QUESTIONS: Contact Mary Erath, MML Laboratory Technologist Resource Coordinator Telephone: 800-533-1710