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**NEW TEST ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**REFERRAL**

**NOTIFICATION DATE:** October 30, 2012  
**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Immediately

**BORDETELLA PERTUSSIS / PARAPERTUSSIS BY PCR**  
**Test ID: FBORP**

**EXPLANATION:** The following new orderable, referred to ARUP Laboratories, will be available immediately.

**REFERRAL LAB CODE:** 0065080

**METHODOLOGY:** Qualitative Polymerase Chain Reaction

**REFERENCE VALUES:**  
 Not applicable

**SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:**  
 Specimen source is required.

Submit only 1 of the following specimens:

Preferred:

Specimen Type: Nasopharyngeal swab

Container/Tube: Rayon swab with an aluminum shaft placed in transport medium such as Stuart's with charcoal or Amies with charcoal (Transwab Nasopharyngeal with Charcoal System [Supply T286])

Additional Information: Other swab or media types may be inhibitory to PCR testing and will be rejected.

Acceptable:

Specimen Type: Nasopharyngeal (not throat) aspirate/wash or nasal aspirate/wash

Container/Tube: Sterile container

Specimen Volume: Entire collection

**SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Varies	Frozen	14 days
	Refrigerated	5 days
	Ambient	24 hours

**FEE:** \$193.30

**CPT Code:** 87801

**DAY(S) SET UP:** Sunday through Saturday

**ANALYTIC TIME:** 1 - 4 days

**QUESTIONS:** Contact Mary Erath, MML Laboratory Technologist Resource Coordinator  
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