

REFERENCE VALUE/FILE DEFINITION CHANGE

NOTIFICATION DATE: March 5, 2013 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** April 16, 2013

DNA DOUBLE-STRANDED (DSDNA) ANTIBODIES, IGG, SERUM

Test ID: ADNA Secondary ID: 8178

NOTE: Effective with this change, all orders placed for this test must be submitted in the alphanumeric character Test ID format instead of the numeric Secondary ID. Result codes may also be subject to change. Please review Test Set-Up and Conversion Mapping information at: http://www.mayomedicallaboratories.com/test-notifications/index.html

EXPLANATION: Effective April 16, 2013, there will be one reference value for the ADNA test across all ages.

CURRENT REFERENCE VALUE:

Patient Age < 60 years: < 30.0 IU/mL (negative) > or = 30.0 IU/mL (positive) Reference ranges apply to pediatrics and adults

Patient Age > or = 60 years: < 30.0 IU/mL (negative) 30.0 - 75.0 IU/mL (borderline) > 75.0 IU/mL (positive)

Negative is considered normal.

NEW REFERENCE VALUE:

< 30.0 IU/mL (negative) 30.0 – 75.0 IU/mL (borderline) > 75.0 IU/mL (positive) Negative is considered normal. Reference values apply to all ages.

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