

NEW TEST ANNOUNCEMENT REFERRAL

NOTIFICATION DATE: March 14, 2014 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** April 15, 2014

OVARIAN ANTIBODY SCREEN WITH REFLEX TO TITER, IFA Test ID: FOVAS

EXPLANATION: The following new orderable, referred to Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, will be available April 15, 2014. This test will replace Test ID ZW131, referral lab code 10328.

REFERRAL LAB CODE: 10328

REFLEX TESTS:

Test ID	Reporting Name	Available Separately	Always Performed
FOVAT	Anti-Ovary Ab Titer	No	No

TEST ALGORITHM:

If FOVAS "Ovarian Ab Screen w/Reflex" is positive, then FOVAT "Anti-Ovary Ab Titer" will be performed at an additional charge.

METHODOLOGY:

Immunofluorescence Assay (IFA)

REFERENCE VALUES:

Negative

Ovarian antibody screen is at 1:5 dilution

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:

Draw blood in a plain red-top tube(s), serum gel tube(s) is acceptable. Spin down and send 1 mL of serum refrigerated in a plastic vial.

SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days
	Ambient	7 days
	Frozen	30 days

FEE: \$ 80.50

Reflex tests will be performed at additional charge:

FOVAT = \$61.50

CPT CODE: 86255; 86256 (If appropriate)

DAY(S) SET UP: Wednesday ANALYTIC TIME: 2 days

QUESTIONS: Contact Mary Erath, MML Referrals Supervisor

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