

REFERENCE VALUES CHANGE

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NOTIFICATION DATE: March 3, 2011

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 6, 2011

HELICOBACTER PYLORI ANTIBODY, IGG, IGM, AND IGA, SERUM #800110

EXPLANATION: Effective April 6, 2011 there will be reference value changes for #800111 Helicobacter pylori Antibody, IgM and #800112 Helicobacter pylori Antibody, IgA portions of this profile.

CURRENT REFERENCE VALUES:

IgM

< or =30.00 U/mL (negative)
30.01-39.99 U/mL (equivocal)
> or =40.00 U/mL (positive)

IgA

< or =12.50 U/mL (negative)
12.51-19.99 U/mL (equivocal)
> or =20.00 U/mL (positive)

NEW REFERENCE VALUES:

IgM

Negative (Results with index values of <36.00 are negative.)
Equivocal (Results with index values of > or = 36.00 but < 40.00 are equivocal.)
Positive (Results with index values of >40.00 are positive.)

IgA

Negative (Results with index values of <18.00 are negative.)
Equivocal (Results with index values of > or = 18.00 but < 20.00 are equivocal.)
Positive (Results with index values of >20.00 are positive.)

NOTE: CPT codes and Fees will remain unchanged

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