

TEST OBSOLETE
REFERRAL

NOTIFICATION DATE: January 12, 2012

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 16, 2012

GROWTH HORMONE ANTIBODIES

Test ID: FGHAB

Secondary ID: 90135

EXPLANATION OF CHANGE: Effective January 16, 2012, Test Id FGHAB, referred to Esoterix Endocrinology will be become obsolete due to low volume. The test will be available as a Misc. Esoterix Endocrinology test.

ALTERNATIVE TEST: ZW59 – Misc. Esoterix Endocrinology

ESOTERIX ENDOCRINOLOGY TEST CODE: 500214

METHODOLOGY: Radioimmunoprecipitation (RIPA)

REFERENCE VALUES:

< or = 8.3 Negative

> or = 8.4 Positive

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:

Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s) or a serum gel tube(s). Spin down within 1 hour of collection and send 1 mL of serum frozen in plastic vial on dry ice.

Note: Samples drawn in serum gel tube(s) must be poured off into a plastic screw cap vial prior to freezing.

SPECIMEN TRANSPORT TEMPERATURE: Frozen OK\ Refrig 48 hours\Ambient 48 hours

LIST FEE: \$65.00

CPT CODE: 86277

DAY(S) SET UP: Tuesday

ANALYTIC TIME: 4-16 days