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NEW TEST ANNOUNCEMENT
REFERRAL

NOTIFICATION DATE: November 16, 2012
EFFECTIVE DATE: November 19, 2012

BARTONELLA ANTIBODY PROFILE
Test ID: FBAP

EXPLANATION: The following new orderable unit code, referred to LabCorp Burlington, will be available effective November 19, 2012, for temporary referral during test down for Mayo test.

NOTE: This test will become obsolete when Mayo Test ID: BART, *Bartonella* Antibody Panel, IgG and IgM, Serum resumes.

REFERRAL LAB CODE: 163162

METHODOLOGY: Indirect fluorescent antibody (IFA)

REFERENCE VALUES:

B. henselae IgG Neg: <1:320
 B. henselae IgM Neg: <1:100
 B. quintana IgG Neg: <1:320
 B. quintana IgM Neg: <1:100

Note: *Bartonella henselae* is now regarded as the etiologic agent of Cat Scratch Disease; bacillary angiomatosis, endocarditis and fever with bacteremia. *Bartonella quintana* also causes bacillary angiomatosis particularly among immunocompromised patients, and trench fever.

Test Performed by: LabCorp Burlington
 1447 York Court
 Burlington, NC 27215-2230

Specimen Requirements:

Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). (Serum gel tube is acceptable.) Spin down and send 2 mL of serum refrigerated in a plastic vial.

SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:

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

FEE: \$ 241.00

CPT CODE: 86611 x 4

DAY(S) SET UP: Monday - Friday

ANALYTIC TIME: 1 - 2 days

QUESTIONS: Contact Mary Erath, MML Laboratory Technologist Resource Coordinator
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