



IMPORTANT CLINICAL LABORATORY MEMORANDUM

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TOPIC: Herpes Simplex – VZ Virus ID Test is inactivated – replacement tests available

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The following test is no longer available to be ordered Herpes Simplex – VZ Virus ID. It has been replaced with the following two tests HSV PCR Herpes Simplex, PCR and VZV PCR Varicella Zoster virus, PCR. Please note when the Herpes Simplex – VZ Virus ID is needed replace it with the two tests listed above.

For any further questions please contact the Virology Laboratory.

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