

NOTICE:

Updated Physician Office Lab Testing (POLT) List

9/1/2017

In our ongoing efforts to ensure the provision of quality care and services to our members, Health Choice Arizona, Health Choice Integrated Care (HCIC) and Health Choice Generations have updated our list of approved Physician Office Lab Testing (POLT) services. The new list will be effective on 10/1/2017.

Effective 10/1/2017, we have added the following code to our POLT list:

80305 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, qualitative; any number of devices or procedures, (e.g., immunoassay) capable of being read by direct optical observation only (e.g., dipstick, cups, cards, cartridges) includes sample validation when performed, per date of service (maps to 80300 or G0477)

As a reminder, all lab work is contracted through LabCorp effective 1/1/2017, including reference and specialty. Providers may perform lab work indicated on the POLT list in their/your office.

For additional information or a full list of our approved POLT services, please contact your Network Representative or contact Customer Service at 1-800-322-8670.



Provider Office STAT Laboratory Testing List – 10/1/17

Code Description:

85004 Blood Count; Automated Differential Wbc Count
85013 Blood Count; Spun Microhematocrit
85014 Blood Count; Hematocrit (Hct)
85018 Blood Count; Hemoglobin (Hgb)
85025 Blood Count; Complete (Cbc), Automated (Hgb, Hct, Rbc, Wbc And Platelet Count, Differential)
85027 Blood Count; Complete (Cbc), Automated (Hgb, Hct, Rbc, Wbc And Platelet Count)
85651 Sedimentation Rate, Erythrocyte; Non-Automated
85610 Prothrombin Time;
87880 Infectious Agent Detection by Immunoassay with Direct Optical Observation;
87210 Smear, Primary Source with Interpretation; Wet Mount For Infectious Agents (Eg,
87220 Tissue Examination by Koh Slide of Samples from Skin, Hair, or Nails for Fungi
81000 Urinalysis, By Dip Stick or Tablet Reagent for Bilirubin, Glucose, Hemoglobin, K
81005 Urinalysis; Qualitative or Semi quantitative, Except Immunoassays
81025 Urine Pregnancy Test, By Visual Color Comparison Methods
82270 Blood, Occult, By Peroxidase Activity (e.g., Guaiac), Qualitative; Feces, Consecut
82947 Glucose; Quantitative, Blood (Except Reagent Strip)
82948 Glucose; Blood, Reagent Strip
81002 Urinalysis, By Dip Stick or Tablet Reagent for Bilirubin, Glucose, Hemoglobin,
81001 Urinalysis, By Dip Stick or Tablet Reagent for Bilirubin, Glucose, Hemoglobin,
81003 Urinalysis, By Dip Stick or Tablet Reagent for Bilirubin, Glucose, Hemoglobin,
86580 Skin Test; Tuberculosis, Intradermal
87804 Infectious Agent Antigen Detection by Immunoassay with Direct Optical
82962 Glucose, Blood by Glucose Monitoring Device(S) Cleared by the FDA Specifically
82272 Blood, Occult, By Peroxidase Activity (e.g., Guaiac), Qualitative, Feces, 1-3 Simu
86308 Heterophile Antibodies; Screening
83655 Lead
87205 Smear, Primary Source with Interpretation; Gram Or Giemsa Stain for Bacteria,
87807 Infectious Agent Antigen Detection by Immunoassay with Direct Optical\
89320 Semen Analysis; Complete (Volume, Count, Motility and Differential)
89300 Semen Analysis; Presence And/or Motility of Sperm Including Huhner Test (Post Coital)

89310 Semen Analysis; Motility and Count (Not Including Huhner Test
80048 Blood Test, Basic Group of Blood Chemicals
83036 Hemoglobin; Glycosylated (A1C)
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