

TEST CHANGE – SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Notification Date: April 18th, 2024

Effective Date: May 8th, 2024

Beta hCG, Plasma or Serum (Pregnancy)

Test ID: BHC, LAB143

Explanation: On the effective date, the tube type required for Beta hCG will change to a Lithium Heparin Green Top tube.

Current Tube Type	Red Top
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New Tube Type	Green Top
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Questions:

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