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NEW TESTS			
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92535		Mold Susceptibility, 5 Drug		13
19595	S51231	Hypoglycemic Panel, Serum/Plasma	2/2/2015	13

New Test Offerings

The following tests will be available through Quest Diagnostics on the dates indicated below.

HIV-1 RNA, Quantitative Real-Time PCR with Reflex to Coreceptor Tropism																													
Clinical Significance	This test may be used to determine whether the patient's HIV-1 viral load is sufficient to perform the HIV-1 RNA tropism test. If the viral load is at least 1000 copies/mL, then the RNA tropism test will be performed.																												
Effective Date	1/12/2015																												
Test Code	92670																												
CPT Codes	87536																												
Specimen Requirements	3 mL (2.5 mL minimum) plasma collected in an EDTA (lavender-top) tube																												
Reject Criteria	Specimen collected using heparin as anticoagulant; frozen plasma received in PPT																												
Instructions	Collect blood in sterile tubes containing EDTA anticoagulant (lavender-top) or PPT (white-top) tube. Separate plasma from the cells by centrifugation within 24 hours after collection, transfer the plasma to a separate plastic screw-cap vial, and ship frozen.																												
Transport Temperature	Frozen																												
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 24 hours Refrigerated: 5 days Frozen: 30 days																												
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Mon-Sat; Report available: 2-4 days																												
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Methodology	Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction																												
Performing Site	Focus Diagnostics, Inc.																												
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	Non-orderable Reflex: 90958 Ultradeep Sequencing	
	Result Code	Result Name
	86008043	UDS X4
Additional Information	If HIV-1 RNA Quantitative PCR is greater than or equal to 1000 copies/mL, then HIV-1 Coreceptor Tropism with Reflex to Ultradeep Sequencing will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 87906). If the HIV-1 Coreceptor Tropism result is Not Detected, then the Ultradeep Sequencing will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 87906).	
Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on 40085 will be applied to code 92670.	

Aldosterone, LC/MS/MS, Adrenal Vein											
Effective Date	2/9/2015										
Test Code	95084										
CPT Codes	82088										
Specimen Requirements	1 mL (0.25 mL minimum) serum collected in a red-top tube (no gel)										
Reject Criteria	Serum separator tubes										
Instructions	Draw blood in a red-top tube (no gel). Separate serum after clotting. Ship serum refrigerated or frozen. Do not submit glass tubes. Draw "upright" samples at least 1/2 hour after patient sits up.										
Transport Temperature	Refrigerated										
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 4 days Refrigerated : 7 days Frozen: 28 days										
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Sun-Fri; Report available: 4-6 days										
Reference Range	Accompanies report										
Methodology	Liquid Chromatography, Tandem Mass Spectrometry										
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, San Juan Capistrano										
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FISH, Myeloma, 17p-, rea 14q32 with Reflexes	
Clinical Significance	Plasma cell myeloma (PCM) is characterized by the proliferation of malignant monoclonal plasma cells in the bone marrow. Initial FISH testing is performed to detect high risk rearrangements of IGH (14q32) and deletion of TP53 (17p13.1). The prognostic panel also includes probes to detect gains of 1q and monosomy or deletion 13q associated with less favorable outcome and gains of chromosome 9, 11, and 15 associated with more favorable outcome.
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Test Code	92497
CPT Codes	88271 (x4), 88275 (x2) for the FISH, Myeloma, 17p-, rea 14q32 component 88271 (x7), 88275 (x3) for the FISH, Myeloma, Risk Assessment Panel component

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Specimen Requirements	<p>Preferred: 3 mL (1 mL minimum) bone marrow in transport media</p> <p>Acceptable: Bone marrow submitted in sodium heparin (green-top) or lead-free (tan-top) tube</p>																																							
Instructions	<p>Submit 1-3 mL bone marrow aspirate in transport media (preferred) or bone marrow in sodium heparin tubes.</p> <p>Ship at room temperature. Do not Freeze.</p> <p>Specimen viability decreases during transit. Send specimen to testing lab for viability determination. Do not reject.</p>																																							
Transport Temperature	Room temperature																																							
Specimen Stability	See instructions																																							
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Daily; Report available: 8 days																																							
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Methodology	Fluorescence In Situ Hybridization (FISH)																																							
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Additional Information	<p>When the result for IGH rearrangement is positive during initial FISH analysis, the IGH Panel (MAFB, MAF, FGFR3, CCND1) will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 88271 (x8), 88275 (x4)). This allows identification of high risk t(14;16) and t(14;20), intermediate risk t(4;14), and standard risk t(11;14).</p> <p>Please note that partial reports are issued when the sample is insufficient to perform all components of the FISH panel.</p>																																							

FISH, Myeloma, Chromosomes CEP 9, 11, 15	
Clinical Significance	<p>Plasma cell myeloma (PCM) is characterized by the proliferation of malignant monoclonal plasma cells in the bone marrow. Hyperdiploidy with gains of odd numbered chromosomes, including 9, 11, and 15, has been associated with a more favorable outcome in myeloma patients. This test replaces FISH, Multiple Myeloma (5, 9, 15) (test code 19619), which is no longer available.</p>

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Effective Date	2/9/2015																												
Test Code	92495																												
CPT Codes	88271 (x3), 88275																												
Specimen Requirements	Preferred: 3 mL (1 mL minimum) bone marrow in transport media Acceptable: Bone marrow submitted in sodium heparin (green-top) or lead-free (tan-top) tube																												
Instructions	Please submit 1-3 mL bone marrow aspirate in transport media (preferred) or in sodium heparin tubes. Ship at room temperature. Do not freeze. Specimen viability decreases during transit. Send specimen to testing lab for viability determination. Do not reject.																												
Transport Temperature	Room temperature																												
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Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on S51712 will be applied to code 92495.																												

Test Changes

The following test changes will be effective on the dates indicated below. **Please note information that is changing appears in bold text in this update.** Former test names and test codes have been italicized.

Apolipoprotein A1	
Clinical Significance	Apolipoprotein A1 is the primary protein associated with HDL cholesterol. Like HDL cholesterol, increased concentrations are associated with reduced risk of cardiovascular disease.
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Former Test Name	<i>Apolipoprotein A-1</i>

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Former Test Code	1901																	
Test Code	5223																	
Reject Criteria	Grossly lipemic																	
Instructions	Remove fasting collection instructions																	
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 7 days Refrigerated: 10 days Frozen: 90 days																	
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50057600	Apolipoprotein A1	mg/dL																
Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on 1901 will be applied to code 5223.																	

Apolipoprotein B																					
Clinical Significance	Apolipoprotein B (APO B) has been reported to be a powerful indicator of CAD. In some patients with CAD, APO B is elevated even in the presence of normal LDL cholesterol.																				
Effective Date	2/9/2015																				
Former Test Code	1903																				
Test Code	5224																				
Reject Criteria	Grossly lipemic																				
Instructions	Remove fasting and collection instructions																				
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 7 days Refrigerated: 10 days Frozen: 90 days																				
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High	> or = 120	> or = 120																			
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, Valencia																				

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Interface Mapping	Result Code	Result Name	Unit of Measure
	50057700	Apolipoprotein B	mg/dL
Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on 1903 will be applied to code 5224.		

Apolipoprotein Evaluation				
Clinical Significance	Apolipoprotein A1 is the primary protein associated with HDL cholesterol. Like HDL cholesterol, increased concentrations are associated with reduced risk of cardiovascular disease. Apolipoprotein B-100 is the primary protein associated with LDL cholesterol and other lipid particles. Like LDL cholesterol, increased concentrations are associated with increased risk of cardiovascular disease. The ratio of these two apolipoproteins correlates with risk of cardiovascular disease.			
Effective Date	2/9/2015			
Former Test Name	Apolipoprotein A-1 & B			
Former Test Code	1904			
Test Code	7018			
Specimen Requirements	1 mL (0.5 mL minimum) serum			
Reject Criteria	Grossly lipemic Remove gross hemolysis			
Instructions	Remove fasting and collection instructions			
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 7 days Refrigerated: 10 days Frozen: 90 days			
Reference Range	Reference Range		Male	Female
	Apolipoprotein A1		94-176	101-198
	Apolipoprotein B		52-109	49-103
		Risk Category	Male	Female
	Apolipoprotein A1	Optimal	> or = 115 mg/dL	>or =125 mg/dL
		High	<115 mg/dL	<125 mg/dL
	Apolipoprotein B	Optimal	<80 mg/dL	<80 mg/dL
		Moderate	80-119 mg/dL	80-119 mg/dL
		High	> or = 120 mg/dL	> or = 120 mg/dL
	Apolipoprotein B/A1 Ratio	Optimal	<0.77	<0.63
		Moderate	0.77-0.95	0.63-0.78
		High	>0.95	>0.78
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, Valencia			
Interface Mapping	Result Code	Result Name	Unit of Measure	
	50057600	Apolipoprotein A1	mg/dL	

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	50057700	Apolipoprotein B	mg/dL
	50059900	Apo B/A1 Ratio	
Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on 1904 will be applied to code 7018.		

Cardio IQ® Advanced Lipid Panel							
Effective Date	2/9/2015						
Test Code	92145						
Reject Criteria	Moderately icteric; grossly icteric; gross hemolysis; grossly lipemic						
Always Message	<p>92145-7-Cardio IQ® Apolipoprotein B</p> <p>Risk:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Optimal</td> <td><80 mg/dL</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Moderate</td> <td>80-119 mg/dL</td> </tr> <tr> <td>High</td> <td>>=120 mg/dL</td> </tr> </table> <p>Cardiovascular event risk category cut points (optimal, moderate, high) are based on National Lipid Association recommendations - Davidson et al. J Clin Lipidol. 2011;5:338</p>	Optimal	<80 mg/dL	Moderate	80-119 mg/dL	High	>=120 mg/dL
Optimal	<80 mg/dL						
Moderate	80-119 mg/dL						
High	>=120 mg/dL						
Methodology	Enzymatic, Spectrophotometric, Ion Mobility, Nephelometry , Immunoturbidometric						
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, San Juan Capistrano						

Factor VIII Activity, Chromogenic							
Clinical Significance	Preferred test in patients with Lupus anticoagulant, on heparin or direct thrombin inhibitors, or on Factor VIII concentrates.						
Effective Date	2/9/2015						
<i>Former Test Code</i>	<i>S51435</i>						
Test Code	16049						
Transport Temperature	Frozen						
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Wed, Sat; Report available: 1-5 days						
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, San Juan Capistrano						
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Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on S51435 will be applied to code 16049.						

Factor VIII Activity, Clotting	
Clinical Significance	Bleeding disorders may be due to inherited or acquired deficiencies of a clotting factor.
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Test Code	347

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Transport Temperature	Frozen								
Specimen Stability	Room temperature and Refrigerated: Unacceptable Frozen -20° C: 14 days Frozen -70° C: 1 year								
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Mon-Sat; Report available: 1-3 days								
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Factor VIII Inhibitor Panel													
Effective Date	2/9/2015												
Test Code	40083												
Specimen Requirements	2 mL (1 mL minimum) plasma collected in each of 3 separate 3.2% sodium citrate (light blue-top) tubes												
Transport Temperature	Frozen												
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Sun, Tues, Thurs; Report available: 1-4 days, if reflexed 2-5 days												
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Additional Information	<p>Update report format to remove Factor VIII Human Inhibitor component from this test.</p> <p>If Factor VIII Inhibitor, EIA Screen is positive, then the Nijmegen Assay will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 85335).</p>												

Growth Hormone (GH)	
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Test Code	3182
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 7 days Refrigerated: 14 days Frozen: 28 days

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Reference Range	< 20 years	< or = 10.1	ng/mL										
	> or = 20years	< or = 7.1	ng/mL										
Always Message	<p>Because of a pulsatile secretion pattern, random (unstimulated) growth hormone (GH) levels are frequently undetectable in normal children and adults and are not reliable for diagnosing GH deficiency. Regarding suppression tests, failure to suppress GH is diagnostic of acromegaly.</p> <p>Typical GH response in healthy subjects: Using the glucose tolerance (GH suppression) test, acromegaly is ruled out if the patient's GH level is <1.0 ng/mL at any point in the timed sequence. [Katznelson L, Laws Jr ER, Melmed S, et al. Acromegaly: an Endocrine Society Clinical Practice Guideline. J Clin Endocrinol Metab 2014; 99: 3933-3951].</p> <p>Using GH stimulation testing, the following result at any point in the timed sequence makes GH deficiency unlikely: Adults (> or = 20 years): Insulin Hypoglycemia > or = 5.1 ng/mL Arginine/GHRH > or = 4.1 ng/mL Glucagon > or = 3.0 ng/mL Children (<20 years): All Stimulation Tests > or = 10.0 ng/mL</p> <p>This growth hormone assay (Beckman Coulter Dxl) produces results approximately 20% lower than the previously-used assay (Siemens Immulite). Interpret results accordingly relative to the provided clinical thresholds, all of which have been prescribed by endocrine professional societies without regard to any specific growth hormone assay.</p>												
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HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation (Supplemental Use Only)							
Effective Date	2/9/2015						
Former Test Name	HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation						
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HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation(Supplemental Use Only)Reflex HIV-1 RNA,TMA	
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Former Test Name	HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation with Reflex to HIV-1 RNA, Qualitative, TMA

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Test Code	91778
Performing Site	Focus Diagnostics, Inc.

Lysozyme (Muramidase)					
Clinical Significance	Lysozyme in the serum is primarily due to the degradation of granulocytes and monocytes and its concentration reflects the turnover of these cells. Increases are seen in benign and malignant processes. Serum lysozyme is elevated in patients with acute or chronic granulocytic or monocytic leukemias and levels decrease with successful treatment. Conversely, patients with lymphocytic leukemia may have depressed plasma lysozyme levels.				
Effective Date	2/9/2015				
Former Test Name	<i>Muramidase (Lysozyme), Serum</i>				
Former Test Code	S51290				
Test Code	619				
Specimen Requirements	1 mL (0.5 mL minimum) serum				
Reject Criteria	Room temperature samples older than 24 hours; plasma collection in citrate or heparin; moderate to gross hemolysis; grossly lipemic				
Instructions	Centrifuge serum specimens within 1 hour of collection. Transfer serum to sterile, plastic, screw-cap vial. Delayed separation of the serum can result in spuriously high levels of lysozyme, presumably because of the breakdown of leukocytes.				
Transport Temperature	Refrigerated				
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 24 hours Refrigerated: 15 days Frozen: 18 days				
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Mon-Sat; Report available: Next day				
Reference Range	5.0-11.0 mcg/mL				
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, Chantilly				
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Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on S51290 will be applied to code 619.				

IGF-I, LC/MS																									
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4-4.9 years:	28-181	34-238	ng/mL
5-5.9 years:	31-214	37-272	ng/mL
6-6.9 years:	38-253	45-316	ng/mL
7-7.9 years:	48-298	58-367	ng/mL
8-8.9 years:	62-347	76-424	ng/mL
9-9.9 years:	80-398	99-483	ng/mL
10-10.9 years:	100-449	125-541	ng/mL
11-11.9 years:	123-497	152-593	ng/mL
12-12.9 years:	146-541	178-636	ng/mL
13-13.9 years:	168-576	200-664	ng/mL
14-14.9 years:	187-599	214-673	ng/mL
15-15.9 years:	201-609	218-659	ng/mL
16-16.9 years:	209-602	208-619	ng/mL
17-17.9 years:	207-576	185-551	ng/mL
Adult Reference Ranges			
Age	Male and Female		Unit of Measure
18-19.9 years:	108-548		ng/mL
20-24.9 years:	83-456		ng/mL
25-29.9 years:	63-373		ng/mL
30-39.9 years:	53-331		ng/mL
40-49.9 years:	52-328		ng/mL
50-59.9 years:	50-317		ng/mL
60-69.9 years:	41-279		ng/mL
70-79.9 years:	34-245		ng/mL
>80 years:	34-246		ng/mL
Z-Score:	-2.0 - +2.0		SD
Performing Site	Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, San Juan Capistrano		

Discontinued Tests

FISH, Multiple Myeloma, 5, 9, 15	
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Test Code	S51712
Additional Information	Please note: Orders for S51712 will automatically be replaced with test code 92495 - FISH, Myeloma, Chromosomes CEP 9, 11, 15, in the New Test Offerings section.
Pricing Message	Negotiated pricing on S51712 will be applied to code 92495.

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FISH, Myeloma, 13q,14q, 17p with Reflex to 5,9,15	
Effective Date	2/9/2015
Test Code	S51713
Additional Information	The recommended alternative is test code 92497 - FISH, Myeloma, 17p-, rea 14q32 with Reflexes, in the New Test Offering section.
Pricing Message	Due to the suggested replacement, negotiated fees will not be copied.

Bacterial, Culture, Aerobic, Environmental	
Effective Date	2/23/2015
Test Code	S50634
Additional Information	The recommended alternatives are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 39489-Fungal Identification, Molds 34118-Bacterial Identification, Aerobic
Pricing Message	Due to the suggested replacement, negotiated fees will not be copied.

Schistosoma IgG Antibody, FMI (CSF)	
Effective Date	2/23/2015
Test Code	S49495
Additional Information	There is no recommended alternative.

Teichoic Acid Antibody, Quantitative, ID	
Effective Date	2/23/2015
Test Code	S49593
Additional Information	The recommended alternative is 36568X {65383N} [798]-Teichoic Acid Antibody Screen with Reflex to Titer.
Pricing Message	Due to the suggested replacement, negotiated fees will not be copied.

Test Send Outs (Referrals)

Mold Susceptibility, 5 Drug	
Message	**This test is now available for New York patient testing.**
Test Code	92535
Performing Site	University of Texas Health Science Center

Hypoglycemic Panel, Serum/Plasma	
Effective Date	2/2/2015
Former Test Name	Hypoglycemic Panel, Qualitative Serum/Plasma

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Former Test Code	S51231		
Test Code	19595		
Specimen Requirements	1 mL (0.3 mL minimum) serum collected in a red-top tube (no gel) or plasma collected in a sodium fluoride/potassium oxalate (gray-top) tube		
Reject Criteria	Received room temperature; polymer gel separation tube; serum separator tube		
Transport Temperature	Refrigerated		
Specimen Stability	Room temperature: 48 hours Refrigerated and Frozen: 28 days		
Set-up/Analytic Time	Set up: Tues, Thurs; Report available: 5 days		
Reference Range	<p>Rosiglitazone:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 70 - 430 ng/mL and 240 - 830 ng/mL were achieved 1 hour after administration of 4 mg and 8 mg daily doses, respectively.</p> <p>Chlorpropamide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 75 - 360 mcg/mL were achieved 2 hours following chronic daily doses of 250 - 1000 mg.</p> <p>Tolbutamide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 50 - 100 mcg/mL were achieved 3 -5 hours following chronic daily doses.</p> <p>Tolazamide:</p> <p>No plasma concentrations have been reported in the literature.</p> <p>Glipizide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 310 - 610 ng/mL were achieved after administration of a single 5 mg dose of both immediate and extended release formulations. Maximum concentrations were reached in approximately 1.5 - 4.5 and 3.5 - 7 hours after immediate and extended release dosing, respectively.</p> <p>Pioglitazone:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 130 - 200 ng/mL following a single 5 mg dose have been reported. A group of ten diabetic patients given daily oral 2.5 mg doses for 6 weeks attained peak plasma glyburide concentrations averaging 140 ng/mL at 3 hours after the first dose and 240 ng/mL at 2.4 hours after the last dose.</p> <p>Glyburide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 130 - 200 ng/mL following a single 5 mg dose have been reported. A group of ten diabetic patients given daily oral 2.5 mg doses for 6 weeks attained peak plasma glyburide concentrations averaging 140 ng/mL at 3 hours after the first dose and 240 ng/mL at 2.4 hours after the last dose.</p> <p>Glimepiride:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 60 - 340 ng/mL were achieved 2 - 3 hours after administration of 4 mg of glimepiride.</p> <p>Nateglinide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately 1.3 - 7.5 mcg/mL were achieved 0.5 hours following a single 60 mg dose.</p> <p>Repaglinide:</p> <p>Peak plasma concentrations of approximately <10 - 180 ng/mL were achieved 1 hour after administration of 4 mg of repaglinide.</p>		
Interface Mapping	Result Code	Result Name	Unit of Measure

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86011846	Rosiglitazone	ng/mL
86002707	Chlorpropamide	mcg/mL
86002714	Tolbutamide	mcg/mL
86002713	Tolazamide	mcg/mL
86002709	Glipizide	ng/mL
86011847	Pioglitazone	ng/mL
86002710	Glyburide	ng/mL
86002708	Glimepiride	ng/mL
86002711	Nateglinide	mcg/mL
86002712	Repaglinide	ng/mL
Additional Information	Update report format: Remove result code 86002706 Acetohexamide	