

CHEMISTRY TESTING UPDATE

EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 2020 FECAL CALPROTECTIN TESTING UPDATE

Effective July 8, 2020, Wisconsin Diagnostic Laboratories will begin offering a new test for fecal calprotectin.

This test will replace the fecal calprotectin test that is currently sent to a reference laboratory. By bringing this testing in-house, turnaround time will be greatly improved, with results available within 24 hours, Monday through Friday.

Since fecal calprotectin tests are not harmonized, quantitative values are not directly comparable between the current and new tests. The new test will therefore have new clinical cutoff concentrations for identifying elevated, borderline, and normal values as follows:

- Elevated: >160 µg/g
- Borderline: 80-160 µg/g
- Normal: <80 µg/g

Test Information:

Test Name	Mnemonic	Test Code	Epic Code	CPT Code
Fecal Calprotectin	FEC CALPRO	3550183	83993.000	83993

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