

News You Can Use

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Test Menu

Did you know that UR Medicine Labs offers an extensive test menu that includes collection and transport requirements, stability, expected turnaround time and interpretive data?

Also included are links to consent forms, links to the Laboratory Diagnostic Committee information, supply forms and a list of patient service center locations.

An additional feature is a link to ARUP Consult, an online reference tool providing the user with clinical background information, diagnostic guidance, screening and monitoring recommendations and test ordering suggestions.

You can visit the test menu at: www.testmenu.com/rochester

Testing Changes

New Platform for T&B Cell Testing - The Clinical Flow Cytometry Laboratory will now be performing T Cells and T&B Cells (Lymphocyte Subsets) using Beckman Coulter Aquios CL Instrumentation. For the full memo, please visit: https://www.urmc.rochester.edu/MediaLibraries/URMCMedia/urmc-labs/documents/Aquios_memo.pdf

Mycoplasma pneumoniae in Upper Respiratory Tract Specimens – Test modifications involve major changes to the specimen collection requirements for detection of Mycoplasma pneumoniae in Upper Respiratory Tract Specimens. For the full memo, please visit: https://www.urmc.rochester.edu/MediaLibraries/URMCMedia/urmc-labs/documents/Mycoplasma-pneumonia-NAAT.pdf

Vitamin A and Vitamin E Testing Changes – these tests will now be performed at ARUP Laboratories and have changes to the reference ranges. For the full memo, please visit:

https://www.urmc.rochester.edu/MediaLibraries/URMCMedia/urmc-labs/documents/VitaminAandEtesting.pdf

Thyroglobulin Antibody Testing Changes – this test will now be performed at ARUP Laboratories and the reference range has changed. For the full memo, please visit:

https://www.urmc.rochester.edu/MediaLibraries/URMCMedia/urmc-labs/documents/Thyroglobulin-Testing-Changes-3-24 1.pdf

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