

# Clinical Laboratory Testing Update

Notification Date: June 23, 2023

Effective Date: July 11, 2023

## Antinuclear Antibodies by Immunofluorescence (HEP-2000 substrate) Screening Titer Change

### Explanation:

Effective Tuesday July 11, 2023: The antinuclear antibodies (ANA) by Immunofluorescence will be using an initial screening titer of 1:80. Prior to July 11<sup>th</sup>, the screening titer for antinuclear antibody (ANA) testing has been 1:40. The poor specificity demonstrated at this screening level has led to the change in screening titer.

Testing affected:

Epic name	Epic Lab Number	Sunquest Code
ANA by IFA w Path Interp	LAB5464	ANABAT

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