

TEST UPDATE

CSF IgG Index Testing Change

UVMMMC

Effective January 10, 2024, UVMMMC's Chemistry Laboratory will begin sending CSF IgG Index testing to Mayo Clinic Laboratories. CSF samples that are received in the lab for CSF IgG Index often have Oligo banding or Lyme CNS Infection testing ordered concurrently, and these tests are already sent out to Mayo. The specimen requirements will not change as Mayo requires both serum and spinal fluid, as well.

Orderable to be Discontinued	Epic Code	Atlas Code	Mayo Access ID
IgG Index, CSF	LAB555	N/A	FAH5275
IgG, CSF	LAB997	N/A	FAH4822
Albumin, CSF	LAB177	N/A	FAH5717

New Orderable	Epic Code	Atlas Code (not ord)	Mayo Test ID	Order LOINC	CPT Code(s)
CSG IgG Index Profile, S and CSF	LAB17647	LAB17647	SFIG	14116-8	82784, 82040
Result Component(s)	Epic Code	Atlas Code	Mayo Test ID	Result LOINC	Notes
IgG Index, CSF	12301013923	MINDEX	INDEX	14117-6	
IgG, CSF	12301013920	MIGGC	IGG_C	2464-6	
Albumin, CSF	12301013787	MALBC	ALB_C	1746-7	
IgG/Albumin, CSF	12301013785	MAIGAC	AIGAC	2470-3	
Synthesis Rate, CSF	12301014035	MSRATE	SRATE	14116-8	
IgG, S	12301013921	MIGGS	IGG_S	2465-3	
IgG/Albumin, S	12301013786	MAIGAS	AIGAS	6782-7	
Albumin, S	12301013788	MALBS	ALB_S	1751-7	
Specimen Requirements:	Both Serum and CSF are required				
Container	Specimen	Temperature	Collect Vol	Submit Vol	Stability
SST (preferred)	Serum	Refrigerated	4 mL	*2 mL	14 days
Sterile Container	CSF	Refrigerated	1 mL	1 mL	28 days
Collection Information:					
Red Top tube is acceptable.					
*2 mL in 2 plastic vials, each vial containing 1 mL.					
Centrifuge and aliquot serum into 2 plastic vials within 2 hours of collection.					
Label CSF specimen as SFINC.					

If you have any questions or concerns about this update, please reach out to the Medical Director of Clinical Chemistry, Dr. Clayton Wilburn, at (clayton.wilburn@uvmhealth.org).

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