

As an Interpath customer who receives electronic results or sends electronic orders you may need to be notified when we update our Service Manual. Although we try to keep these changes to a minimum, laboratory medicine is an evolving industry requiring changes to our technology from time to time. Depending on the requirements of your EMR or Hospital Information System you may be required to make similar changes to your system in order to correctly process inbound electronic results and create outbound electronic orders.

If you are uncertain that you are required to update your system we recommend that you contact your vendor for more information. As your laboratory service provider we are available to participate in the discussion with your vendor so that you clearly understand the impact of these changes.

Included in this email:

- This cover letter with a summary of the changes
- Microsoft Word® Document with the detail of these changes to our Service Manual
- Interpath Master Order/Result Compendium

Additional information including our most recent Service Manual and additional contact information can be found at www.interpathlab.com

Effective Date: January 18th, 2021



		NC	CC	СРТ	SRC	RRC	NT	DT	AOE
Order Code	Test Name	Name Change	Component Change	CPT Change	Specimen Requirements Change	Reference Range Change	New Test	Discontinued Test	Ask on Order Entry Questions
5226	PAP with Age-Based Screening Protocols and Vaginitis Panel Plus							•	
5234	truSwab Vaginitis Panel		•	*	•				
5235	truSwab Vaginitis Panel + Trichomonas		*	•	•				
5236	truSwab Vaginits Panel Plus		♦	•	•				



5226 PAP with Age-Based Screening Protocols and Vaginitis Panel Plus Please take note of test number being discontinued

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5234 truSwab Vaginitis Panel

CC/CPT/SRC

Specimen:						
Collect:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange)					
Submit:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange). Submit Refrigerated.					
Rejection Criteria:	Samples collected in any transport media other than Aptima Male Samples Transport tubes with incorrect or missing swabs					
Stability:	Ambient: 1 Month(s); Refrigerated: 1 Month(s); Frozen: Unacceptable; Incubated: Unacceptable					
Methodology:	Target Amplified Nucleic Acid Probe					
Performed:	Mon-Fri					
Reported:	1-3 Day(s)					
CPT Codes:	87481x2	<mark>81513</mark>				
Interpretive Data	Please see report for interpretive data.					
Components:	1156 - GARDNERELLA	1157 - LACTOBACILLUS				
	1158 - CANDIDA SPECIES	1159 - CANDIDA GLABRATA				

Please take note of removal of liquid pap media specimen type, changes to performed and reported times, CPT coding, and components.

Component Changes:

Remove: 1157 LACTOBACILLUS



5235 truSwab Vaginitis Panel + Trichomonas

CC/CPT/SRC

Specimen:						
Collect:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange)					
Submit:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange). Submit Refrigerated.					
Rejection Criteria:	Samples collected in any transport media other than Aptima Male Samples Transport tubes with incorrect or missing swabs					
Stability:	Ambient: 1 Month(s); Refrigerated: 1 Month(s); Frozen: Unacceptable; Incubated: Unacceptable					
Methodology:	Target Amplified Nucleic Acid Probe					
Performed:	Mon-Fri					
Reported:	1-3 Day(s)					
CPT Codes:	81513 87481x2	87661				
Interpretive Data	Please see report for interpretive data.					
Components:	1156 - GARDNERELLA 1158 - CANDIDA SPECIES 1128 - SOURCE	1157 - LACTOBACILLUS 1159 - CANDIDA GLABRATA 2827 - TRICHOMONAS				

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Component Changes:

Remove: 1157 LACTOBACILLUS

5236 truSwab Vaginits Panel Plus

CC/CPT/SRC

Specimen:					
Collect:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange)				
Submit:	Genital Swab in Aptima Kit-Multitest (Orange). Submit Refrigerated.				
Rejection Criteria:	Samples collected in any transport media other than Aptima Male Samples Transport tubes with incorrect or missing swabs				
Stability:	Ambient: 1 Month(s); Refrigerated: 1 Month(s); Frozen: Unacceptable; Incubated: Unacceptable				
Methodology:	Target Amplified Nucleic Acid Probe				
Performed:	Mon-Fri				
Reported:	1-3 Day(s)				
CPT Codes:	87491 87591 87481x2	<mark>81513</mark> 87661			
Interpretive Data	Please see report for interpretive data.				
Components:	1156 - GARDNERELLA 1158 - CANDIDA SPECIES 1128 - SOURCE 1127 - CHLAMYDIA	<mark>1157 - LACTOBACILLUS</mark> 1159 - CANDIDA GLABRATA 1126 - N. GONORRHEA 2827 - TRICHOMONAS			

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Component Changes:

Remove: 1157 LACTOBACILLUS