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Memo To: Clients
Re: *Various*

Effective January 4th, 2023, London Health Sciences Center updated methodology for myositis diagnostic testing. The new immunoblot has 3 additional antibodies (Anti Ha, Anti Ks and Anti Zo) and **Myositis Panel - 17 Antibodies (LHSC), Serum** and **Comprehensive Myositis Panel - 18 Antibodies (LHSC), Serum** were expanded to 20 antibodies and 21 antibodies respectively. There is no change in pricing. Please refer to the online Test Catalogue for details.

[Myositis Panel - 20 Antibodies \(LHSC\), Serum](#)
[Comprehensive Myositis Panel - 21 Antibodies \(LHSC\), Serum](#)

Revision

Please submit Serum (No additive) or Plasma (Heparin with no gel) for [Phytanic Acid, Serum/Plasma](#) and [Sterol Profile, Serum/Plasma](#). Serum/Plasma collected in gel separator tube is not suitable for these tests.

ICL Online Test Catalogue Update

The following tests have been added to the online Test Catalogue.

[Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase \(G6PD\), Whole Blood](#) (University Health Network)

[Factor H Antibodies, Plasma](#) (CHU Saint-Justine)

[Factor H \(B1H\) Level, Plasma](#) (National Jewish Health)

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