

MEMO

TO: Medical Staff
FROM: CCLS – Specimen Referral Center
DATE: 1/4/2022
SUBJECT: H. Pylori

Effective January 3, 2022, CentraCare Laboratory Services temporarily discontinued Special Chemistry testing due to staffing shortages. Most tests performed had a one-to-one replacement sent to Mayo Medical Laboratories.

Helicobacter pylori Ab, IgG was discontinued.

The recommended alternative testing to Mayo clinic is:

Helicobacter pylori with Clarithromycin Resistance, PCR, Stool, Mayo test code HPFRP (LAB0002047)

Please note the specimen type.

Listed below is the MML Helicobacter pylori diagnostic algorithm.



Helicobacter_pylori
_Diagnostic_Algorith

Please feel free to contact the Specimen Referrals Center with any questions at 320-251-2700 Ext. 57320