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SUBJECT: Change in performing lab for COVID-19 Spike Antibody, IgG

Beginning January 8, 2024, the Clinical Immunology Laboratory will discontinue in-house testing for COVID-19 (SARS CoV-2) IgG spike antibody secondary to low test volumes. COVID-19 IgG spike antibody testing instead will be referred to LabCorp for testing using their SARS-CoV-2 Semi-Quantitative IgG Antibody, Spike assay (test code 164055).

Test Orderable: COVID-19 Spike Antibody, IgG

Acceptable specimen: Serum or plasma

Required volume: 0.5 mL

Turnaround Time: 1-3 days

If you have questions regarding any aspect of these changes, please contact Immunology Director, Dr. Justin B. Dalton, MD, at beeper 3162 or the laboratory at 628-4000.

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