



COLORADO COAGULATION

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Esoterix Coagulation Service Update: Effective July 21, 2008

Esoterix is committed to keeping our clients informed of changes, updates, and enhancements to our testing services as they occur. A complete listing of service changes is included with this letter and has been posted to our website at www.esoterix.com in the test menu section. All changes go into effect on July 21, 2008

For additional information, please call us at (800) 444-9111. We value you as a customer and thank you for choosing Esoterix.

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Implementation Notice: Method and CPT Code Change

Test Title: Factor II 20210A (Prothrombin Gene Mutation)

Test Code: 120736

Effective Date: July 21, 2008

Explanation of change: The new methodology is PCR with RFLP.

CPT codes will change with the new methodology, see below for updated CPT codes for this assay.

Description	Predicate Method	New Method
Assay Method	PCR SASA	PCR RFLP
Reference Range	Normal	Normal
CPT Code(s)	83891, 83900, 83894, 83912	83891,83892,83894,83898, 83912
Assay Set frequency	M,W	M, T, W, Th, Fr
Sample Requirement	5mL EDTA, ACD or citrate whole blood room temperature (informed consent required for NY patients)	Same as predicate plus LabCorp buccal swab kit

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Implementation Notice: Method and CPT Code Change

Test Title: Factor V Mutation (Leiden)

Test Code: 120719

Effective Date: July 21, 2008

Explanation of change: The new methodology is PCR ARMS

CPT codes will change with the new methodology, see below for updated CPT codes for this assay.

Description	Predicate Method	New Method
Assay Method	PCR SASA	PCR ARMS
Reference Range	Normal	Normal
CPT Code(s)	83891, 83900, 83894, 83912	83891, 83894,83898 (X2), 83912
Assay Set frequency	M,W	M,T,W,Th,F
Sample Requirement	5mL EDTA, ACD or citrate whole blood room temperature (informed consent required for NY patients)	Same as predicate plus LabCorp buccal swab kit