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Dear Client,

**Esoterix Testing Discontinuation: Effective March 1, 2007**

Thank you for choosing Esoterix as your referral testing partner. We are dedicated to providing you and your patients with high quality esoteric testing, superior customer service and dependable and timely laboratory information.

- Effective March 1, 2007 Esoterix will no longer perform or process specimens for Lymphocyte Subset Analysis including test codes 401200, 401201, 600056, and 600600.
- Due to the viability of the specimen, Esoterix will not be able to forward specimens to a reference laboratory.

As you know, Esoterix is part of the LabCorp family of laboratories, and LabCorp will continue to offer this testing.

- If you are not currently set up with a LabCorp account, please contact customer service at (800) 444-9111 and ask for a sales representative to contact you.
- To assist you with transferring your testing needs to LabCorp, the notification attached provides you Esoterix's discontinued test code and the comparable LabCorp assay.

For additional information, please call us at (800) 444-9111. We appreciate your business and look forward to assisting you during this transition.

Darryl Goss  
Chief Operating Officer

**Testing Discontinuation Update: February 28, 2007**

**Testing Changes Effective March 1, 2007 See note**

**below table for additional information**

<b>Esoterix Discontinued Test Code</b>	<b>Esoterix Discontinued Description/Components</b>	<b>CPT Code(s)</b>	<b>LabCorp Comparable Test Code</b>	<b>LabCorp's Description/Components</b>	<b>CPT Code(s)</b>
<b>401201</b>	<b>Lymphocyte Subset Analysis</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute CD19 % CD19 Absolute CD56 % CD56 Absolute	86355,86357, 86359,86360	<b>505370</b>	<b>T and B Lymphocyte Natural Killer Cell Profile</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute CD19 % CD19 Absolute CD56 % CD56 Absolute CBC	86355,86357,86359,86360
<b>600600</b>	<b>T Cell and B Cell Subset Analysis</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute CD19 % CD19 Absolute	86355,86359, 86360	<b>096917</b>	<b>T and B Lymphocyte Differential Profile</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute CD19 % CD19 Absolute CBC, differential, platelet	86355,86359,86360
<b>401200</b>	<b>T Cell Helper/Suppressor Analysis</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute	86359,86360	<b>096925</b>	<b>T Lymphocyte Helper/Suppressor Profile</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4:8 Ratio CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute CD8 % CD8 Absolute CBC, differential, platelet	86359,86360
<b>600056</b>	<b>CD4 Analysis</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD3 % CD3 Absolute CD4 % CD4 Absolute	86359,86361	<b>505008</b>	<b>Helper T-Lymphocyte Marker CD4</b>  Absolute lymphocyte count CD4 % CD4 Absolute CBC, differential, platelet	86361

Note: CPT codes are to provide guidance. These codes are subject to change on a regular basis and it is the client's responsibility to verify accuracy of the codes listed. You should refer to the most current version of the CPT coding manual published by the American Medical Association to resolve any issues. Contact Esoterix at 1-800-444-9111, or visit [www.esoterix.com](http://www.esoterix.com), for more information.