

4/23/2014 - Immediate Action, Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute, Valencia

TEST CHANGES				
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<u>2448</u>		Hepatitis B Surface Antibody Quantitation	5/12/2014	1
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Due to the background information related to these changes, we are unable to use our normal method of communication. These changes listed in this document are effective in less than 30 days. Please note the individual effective dates below, as some of these changes require IMMEDIATE ACTION.

Test Changes

The following test changes will be effective on the dates indicated below. Please note that only the information that is changing appears in this update. Former test names and test codes have been italicized.

Hepatitis B Surface Antibody Quantitation					
Effective Date	5/12/2014				
Test Code	2448				
Always Message	<p>Effective May 12, 2014 this test is being performed using the Ortho Vitros Chemiluminescence method. Quantitative results from this method should not be used interchangeably with other methods.</p> <p>For more information on this test, go to: http://education.questdiagnostics.com/faq/FAQ105 (This link is being provided for informational/educational purposes only.)</p>				
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Always Message	<p>Effective May 12, 2014 this test is being performed using the Ortho Vitros Chemiluminescence method.</p>								
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7758	Hepatitis A, B, & C Virus Post Exposure Panel
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