



## Test Update 768

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**Effective Date** 07/02/2021  
**Test Name** [Pituitary Tumor Marker, Alpha Subunit](#)  
**Update Type** [Reference range changed](#)  
**CPT Code** 82397

### TEST CHANGE

#### Pituitary Tumor Marker, Alpha Subunit

**Order Code:** APGH  
**CPT Code:** 82397  
**Referral Laboratory:** Mayo Medical Laboratories

Effective July 2, 2021, MLabs will be changing the Pituitary Tumor Marker, Alpha Subunit (APGH) test per Mayo Medical Laboratories.

#### Current Specimen Required

Collection Container Red Top  
 Submission Container Plastic Vial  
 Specimen Volume 1mL

#### New Specimen Required

Collection Container  
 -Preferred Serum Gel  
 -Acceptable Red Top  
 Submission Container Plastic Vial  
 Specimen Volume 1mL

#### Current Stability

Serum Red Top

Frozen (Preferred) 90 Days

Refrigerator 7 days

**New Stability**

<b>Specimen</b>	<b>Temperature</b>	<b>Time</b>
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Serum

Frozen (Preferred) 90 Days

Refrigerator 7 days

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