



Test Update 896

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Test Name [HSV DNA by PCR, Qualitative, Swab, Neonatal](#)

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CPT Code CPT 87529 x2

ORDER CODE CHANGE

HSV DNA by PCR, Qualitative, Swab

New Order Code: HSVSB

Fee Code: LA003, LA004 (CPT 87529 x2)

The test name and order code for HSV DNA by PCR, Qualitative, Swab was updated from Herpes Simplex Virus 1,2 DNA (PHSV) to Herpes Simplex Virus DNA, Swab (HSVSB) effective January 8, 2025, to allow discrete result reporting. Specimen collection and handling, reference ranges, and billing remain unchanged.

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