

## **Test Update 906**

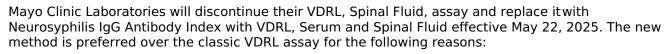
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## Syphilis Screening Test, VDRL, CSF

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- 1. The new method assesses for T. pallidum-specific antibodies, rather than the non-treponemal antibodies that are detected by the VDRL method
- 2. The new method assesses for intrathecally synthesized T. pallidum antibodies in the CSF (i.e., the method corrects for any passive diffusion of antibodies from serum into the CSF

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