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Test Update 973

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Effective Date 10/07/2026
Test Name Interleukin-18
Update Type Test Down or Delayed
CPT Code 83520

TEST DOWN

Interleukin 18

Order Code:	VIL18
Fee Code:	AA748 (CPT 83520)
Reference Lab:	Viracor #33611

Interleukin 18, performed by Eurofins Viracor, is down effective October 7, 2026. All tests will be forwarded to Cincinnati Children's Hospital (Order Code: CIL18).

Collection Instructions: Collect specimen in a red top tube. Spin immediately and aliquot into 1mL serum into 2 screw capped tubes. Send to Specimen processing frozen. Specimen **MUST** be into send outs no later than 430pm on Thursday to make the UPS shipment. If specimen will be received by Cinci within 48 hours of collection, it can remain as whole blood. Spin and freeze if it will be longer than 48 hrs to arrival.

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