

## New Orderable Code Phospho-Tau 217, Plasma

**Effective Monday, March 16, 2026**, Phospho-Tau 217, Plasma (Test Order Code LAB13430) will be available as an orderable test with testing performed at ARUP Laboratory. The test information is below.

Test Information	Phospho-Tau 217, Plasma
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB13430
<b>Specimen Requirement</b>	1.0mL (minimum 0.5mL) plasma
<b>Collection Tube</b>	Lavender
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	2 weeks
<b>Methodology</b>	Qualitative Chemiluminescent Immunoassay (CLIA)
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 10 days
<b>Performing Laboratory</b>	ARUP

## New Orderable Code Prostate Specific Kalilikren 4K Score

**Effective Wednesday, March 18, 2026**, Prostate Specific Kalilikren 4K Score (Test Order Code LAB13189) will be available as an orderable test with testing performed at ARUP Laboratory. The test information is below.

Test Information	Prostate Specific Kalilikren 4K Score
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB13189
<b>Specimen Requirement</b>	4.0 mL (minimum 3.0 mL) serum
<b>Collection Tube</b>	Gold Gel
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	1 month
<b>Methodology</b>	Electrochemiluminescent Immunoassay (ECLIA)
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 12 days
<b>Performing Laboratory</b>	ARUP

For additional information regarding these tests, as well as specimen collection requirements, please contact ACL Client Services at 1.800.877.7016 or visit our website at <https://www.acllaboratories.com/providers/test-directory/>.

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## New Orderable Code Fentanyl and Metabolite, Serum or Plasma, Quantitative

**Effective Wednesday, March 18, 2026**, Fentanyl and Metabolite, Serum or Plasma, Quantitative (Test Order Code LAB13415) will be available as an orderable test with testing performed at ARUP Laboratory. The test information is below.

Test Information	Fentanyl and Metabolite, Serum or Plasma, Quantitative
Test Order Code	LAB13415
Specimen Requirement	4.0 mL (minimum 2.0 mL) serum or plasma
Collection Tube	Two red (plain) 6.0 mL <b>OR</b> Two lavender (K2EDTA) 3.0 mL <b>OR</b> Two green (sodium heparin, no gel) 6.0 mL <b>OR</b> Two gray (sodium fluoride/potassium oxalate) 2.0 mL <b>OR</b> Two pink (K2EDTA) 6.0 mL
Temperature	Refrigerated
Stability	2 weeks
Methodology	Quantitative Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry
TAT	Final within 10 days
Performing Laboratory	ARUP

## New Orderable Code Quantitative Detection of BCR: ABL1, Minor Form

**Effective Wednesday, March 18, 2026**, Quantitative Detection of BCR:ABL1, Minor Form (Test Order Code LAB13210) will be available as an orderable test with testing performed at ARUP Laboratory. The test information is below.

Test Information	Fentanyl and Metabolite, Serum or Plasma, Quantitative
Test Order Code	LAB13210
Specimen Requirement	3.0 mL Whole Blood or 3.0 mL Bone Marrow
Collection Tube	Lavender
Temperature	Refrigerated
Stability	<b>48hours</b> <b>*SHORT STABILITY SENDOUT TEST! Specimen has stability of less than 72 hours and must be processed according to the "DIRECT SUBMIT FOR SHORT STABILITY SENDOUT TESTING" procedure. Contact ACL Illinois Central Laboratory (ICL) Referral Testing at 847-349-7382 for further instructions.</b>
Methodology	Quantitative Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction
TAT	Final within 11 days
Performing Laboratory	ARUP

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Effective Wednesday, March 18, 2026, the following send out assays will be updated.

Vitamin B7 (Biotin), Serum or Plasma		
	Current (Deactivated 3.18.2026)	Replacement (Effective 3.18.2026)
<b>Test Name</b>	Vitamin B7, Serum or Plasma	Vitamin B7 (Biotin), Serum or Plasma
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB12298	LAB13209
<b>Performing Lab</b>	ARUP	ARUP
<b>Specimen Type</b>	1.0 mL (minimum 0.5 mL) serum or plasma	2.0 mL (minimum 0.7 mL) serum or plasma
<b>Collection container</b>	Plain red, Lavender, or Pink	One red (plain) 6.0 mL <b>OR</b> One lavender (K2EDTA) 3.0 mL <b>OR</b> One pink (K2EDTA) 6.0 mL
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	2 weeks	2 weeks
<b>Methodology</b>	Quant Liquid Chromatography - Tandem Mass Spec, Quantitative Immunoassay	Quantitative High Performance Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 12 days	Final within 10 days

PML RARA Detection by RT-PCR, Quantitative		
	Current (Deactivated 3.18.2026)	Replacement (Effective 3.18.2026)
<b>Test Name</b>	PML Translocation, Quantitative	PML RARA Detection by RT-PCR, Quantitative
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB9767	LAB13207
<b>Performing Lab</b>	ARUP	ARUP
<b>Specimen Type</b>	Whole blood or Bone Marrow	3.0 mL Whole Blood or 3.0 mL Bone Marrow
<b>Collection container</b>	Lavender	Lavender
<b>Temperature</b>	Refrigerated	Refrigerated
<b>Stability</b>	48hours	<b>48hours</b> <b>*SHORT STABILITY SENDOUT TEST! Specimen has stability of less than 72 hours and must be processed according to the "DIRECT SUBMIT FOR SHORT STABILITY SENDOUT TESTING" procedure. Contact ACL Illinois Central Laboratory (ICL) Referral Testing at 847-349-7382 for further instructions.</b>
<b>Methodology</b>	Reverse Transcription, Polymerase Chain Reaction	Quantitative Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 11 days	Final within 11 days

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Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic Acid), Serum or Plasma		
	Current (Deactivated 3.18.2026)	Replacement (Effective 3.18.2026)
<b>Test Name</b>	Vitamin B5 Level	Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic Acid), Serum or Plasma
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB9882	LAB13208
<b>Performing Lab</b>	ARUP	ARUP
<b>Specimen Type</b>	Serum	1.0 mL (minimum 0.3 mL) serum or plasma
<b>Collection container</b>	Gold Gel	One red (plain) 6.0 mL <b>OR</b> One lavender (K2EDTA) 3.0 mL <b>OR</b> One pink (K2EDTA) 6.0 mL
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	3 weeks	1 month
<b>Methodology</b>	Quantitative Cell Based Assay	Quantitative High Performance Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 15 days	Final within 10 days

Rivaroxaban, Anti-Xa, Plasma		
	Current (Deactivated 3.18.2026)	Replacement (Effective 3.18.2026)
<b>Test Name</b>	Rivaroxaban Assay	Rivaroxaban, Anti-Xa, Plasma
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB8415	LAB13431
<b>Performing Lab</b>	ACL Note: the ACL inhouse test was on a temporary referral (send out) to Cleveland Clinic	Mayo
<b>Specimen Type</b>	2.0 mL (minimum 1.0 mL) platelet-poor plasma	1.0 mL (minimum 0.5 mL) platelet-poor plasma
<b>Collection container</b>	Light Blue	Light Blue
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	14 days	42 days
<b>Methodology</b>	Chromogenic Assay	Chromogenic Assay
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 4 days	Final within 5 days

For additional information regarding these tests, as well as specimen collection requirements, please contact ACL Client Services at 1.800.877.7016 or visit our website at <https://www.acllaboratories.com/providers/test-directory/>.

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## Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Evaluation, Spinal Fluid

**Effective immediately**, updates were made to the Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Spinal Fluid test offering.



Required collection container/tube: Two Sarstedt CSF False Bottom Tube

Collection Instructions:

1. Perform lumbar puncture and discard the first 1.0 to 2.0 mL of cerebrospinal fluid (CSF).
2. Collect CSF directly into the Sarstedt CSF False Bottom tube least 50% full.
3. Send CSF specimen in original collection tube. **Do not aliquot.**

Note: Polystyrene collection tubes are not acceptable. Exposure of CSF to polystyrene tubes may result in falsely low Abeta42 concentrations.

Supply ordering information:

- The ACL Warehouse will carry the Sarstedt CSF False Bottom Tube.
- ACL hospital locations should stock a supply of tubes for distribution to the Advocate/Aurora Hospital Interventional Radiology departments.
  - » ACL Lab locations will need to place order with ACL Warehouse using the ACL Special Request Supply form posted on share point.
- ACL Outreach clients should write CSF Sarstedt tube on the ACL supply request order form.

### Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Evaluation, Spinal Fluid

	Former – Deactivated	Effective Immediately
<b>Test Name</b>	Creutzfeldt Jakob Disease, 14 3 3 Protein CSF	Alzheimer Disease Evaluation, Spinal Fluid
<b>Test Order Code</b>	LAB9481	LAB13190
<b>Performing Lab</b>	ARUP	Mayo
<b>Specimen Type</b>	Spinal Fluid	Spinal Fluid
<b>Collection container</b>	Sterile Tube	Two Sarstedt CSF False Bottom Tubes 1.5mL to 2.5mL of CSF in each tube
<b>Temperature</b>	Frozen	Frozen
<b>Stability</b>	Indefinitely	28 days
<b>Methodology</b>	Immunoassay	RTQPC: Real-Time Quaking-Induced Conversion (RT-QuIC) ADCJD: Electrochemiluminescent Immunoassay (ECLIA)
<b>TAT</b>	Final within 24days	Final within 10 days

For additional information regarding these tests, as well as specimen collection requirements, please contact ACL Client Services at 1.800.877.7016 or visit our website at <https://www.acllaboratories.com/providers/test-directory/>.

## Enhanced Liver Fibrosis (ELF)

**Effective Wednesday, March 18, 2026**, ACL will begin in-house testing for Enhanced Liver Fibrosis (ELF) at the ACL Illinois Central Laboratory. The ELF test provides a numeric score that helps assess the risk of liver disease progression. It is intended for patients with advanced fibrosis due to nonalcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH).

The ELF score is calculated using three serum biomarkers:

- Hyaluronic Acid (HA)
- Procollagen III N-terminal Peptide (PIIINP)
- Tissue Inhibitors of Metalloproteinase 1 (TIMP-1).

Individual biomarker results (HA, PIIINP, TIMP-1) will not be visible in the patient’s chart; only the ELF Score will be reported.

This test is a chemiluminescent immunoassay and will be performed on the Siemens Centaur platform. See Chart below for more details.

Specimen Requirement	Stability	Reference Range (unitless)	Interpretation
<b>One gold gel (SST) 3.5 mL</b>	Ambient: 48 hours Refrigerated: 7days Frozen: 12 months	< 9.80	ELF Score Risk of Disease Progression (Development of Cirrhosis or Liver-Related Events) < 9.80 Lower ≥ 9.80 – < 11.30 Mid ≥ 11.30 High

## ACL Discontinues Verbal Test Cancellation Notifications for Formed Stools

**Effective Thursday, March 19, 2026**, ACL Laboratories is updating the test cancellation notification process. Test cancellations due to submission of formed stool specimens for the following tests will no longer be communicated via phone:

ACL Test Order Code	ACL Test Name
<b>LAB12930</b>	C. difficile EIA
<b>LAB8353</b>	WBC Stool
<b>LAB11651</b>	Pancreatic Elastase, Fecal
<b>LAB8054</b>	Osmolality, Fecal
<b>LAB8055</b>	pH, Fecal
<b>LAB8051</b>	Electrolytes, Fecal
<b>LAB8050</b>	Chloride, Fecal
<b>LAB8215</b>	Potassium, Fecal
<b>LAB8222</b>	Sodium, Fecal

Per ACL’s Test Cancellation Policy, inpatient test cancellations will continue to be communicated through secure chat and by phone when appropriate.

For additional information regarding these tests, as well as specimen collection requirements, please contact ACL Client Services at 1.800.877.7016 or visit our website at <https://www.acllaboratories.com/providers/test-directory/>.