

Department of Pathology

To: Medical Staff

Subject: Post -Therapy Prostate Specific Antigen Screen

➤ Upstate Pathology is currently offering "Total Prostate Specific Antigen Screen" (Epic Code: LAB2849) reported only to the tenths digit (to 0.1). Reference Range: 0.0-4.0 ng/mL. This is the test used to evaluate for prostate adenocarcinoma and is the assay which should continue to be ordered for most patients.

➤ Effective September 11th, 2019, Upstate Pathology will now offer "Post-Therapy Prostate Specific Antigen Screen" (Epic Code: LAB9212) as an aid in the management of patients following surgery or medical treatment for prostate cancer which is reported up to thousandth digit. Reference range: 0.014–4.000 ng/mL. According to the American Urological Association (AUA), serum PSA should decrease and remain at undetectable levels after radical prostatectomy. Thus, we are offering this assay for monitoring these patients.

For questions, please feel free to reach us out #315-464-9175.

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