

**UNITYPOINT HEALTH - MERITER LABORATORIES**  
**TEST OBSOLETE**  
**Paraneoplastic Autoantibody Eval**  
**Paraneoplastic Eval, CSF**

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Mayo Clinic Laboratories will be making the Paraneoplastic autoantibody evaluation obsolete on June 1.

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SQ Code	EAP Number	Epic NAME
PAVAL	LAB3220	Paraneoplastic Autoantibody Eval
PAC1	LAB3622	Paraneoplastic Autoantibody Evaluation, Spinal Fluid

To optimize test utilization and patient care, Mayo recommends that providers order a comprehensive autoimmune/paraneoplastic evaluation based on the patient’s clinical presentation. Traditional, underpowered paraneoplastic evaluations can lead to false-positive results or missed diagnoses. The following testing is suggested replacements; however, Please visit Mayo’s [autoimmune neurology test guide](#) for more information

Mayo Code	Epic Code	Epic Name	SQ Code	Useful For
ENS2	LAB1895	Encephalopathy- autoimmune eval, Serum	ENS2M	Most appropriate evaluation when PAVAL or PAC1 would have been considered for suspected central nervous system (CNS) immune-mediated disorders
ENC2	LAB7893	Encephalopathy- autoimmune eval, CSF	ENC2M	
AIAES	LAB2608	Axonal Neuropathy, Autoimmune/Paraneoplastic Evaluation, Serum	MISLAB	Most similar to PAVAL when it comes to antibodies included, and an appropriate alternative when PAVAL would have been considered for peripheral nervous system (PNS) immune-mediated disorders

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 If you have any questions, please call the UnityPoint Health - Meriter Laboratories Client Services Department at 608-417-6529 or 1-800-236-0465.