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| A message from **Adam Morgan, M.D.** *(Laboratory Medical Director | SSM Health St. Mary’s Hospital - Madison) ...* |
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| |  | | --- | |  | | STI testing  Notification Date: 5/30/2025  Effective Date: 6/2/2025 | | SUBJECT: New additional orderable tests for STI testing.  Based on feedback to simplify specimen source selection, new orderables for ThinPrep sources for STI testing has been built.  ThinPrep sources will be removed from the current CT/NG and TV orderables.  No changes have been made to the HPV test orderable.  **Ordering Information**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Test Name/Order Code** | **Specimen Types** | | **(NEW) LAB15260 THIN PREP CHLAMYDIA AND N. GONORRHOEAE NAA** | Cervical specimen in ThinPrep (PreservCyt) solution | | **(NEW) LAB15261 THIN PREP TRICHOMONAS VAGINALIS NAA** | Cervical specimen in ThinPrep (PreservCyt) solution | | **(Updated) LAB15225 CHLAMYDIA AND N. GONORRHOEAE NAA** | Urine: sterile container (first catch 10-50mL)  Endocervical: flocked swab in cobas PCR Media  Vaginal, Rectal, or Pharyngeal: woven swab in cobas PCR Media | | **(Updated) LAB15226 TRICHOMONAS VAGINALIS NAA** | Urine: sterile container (first catch 10-50mL)  Endocervical: flocked swab in cobas PCR Media  Vaginal: woven swab in cobas PCR Media |   Please direct questions or comments to:  **Rachel Bosserman, PhD, D(ABMM)**  Clinical Microbiologist  SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital - Madison  608-258-6393  Please communicate to colleagues and staff in your area accordingly.  Thank you,  ***Adam Morgan, M.D.***  ***Laboratory Medical Director***  ***Pathology, SSM Health St. Mary’s Hospital Madison***  *700 South Park Street*  *Madison, WI 53715*  *Office: (608) 258-6914* | |  | |