



MEMORANDUM #28

TO: UNC Healthcare System Attending Physicians, Housestaff, Nursing Coordinators,
Department Heads and Supervisors

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**Subject: Discontinuation of Mutation Testing for Medium Chain ACYL-CoA
Dehydrogenase Deficiency (MCAD) at UNC**

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Effective June 3, 2019, molecular genetic testing for *ACADM* p.K329E and p.Y42H mutations associated with Medium Chain ACYL-CoA Dehydrogenase Deficiency (MCAD) will be discontinued in the UNC Molecular Genetics Laboratory. This change is being made due to the low volume of requests. Testing will be available through Referral Testing.

If you have any questions related to this change, please email Karen Weck (Karen.Weck@unchealth.unc.edu) or call the Molecular Genetics Laboratory at 984-974-1825.

For further information regarding available testing, please contact the UNC Referral Testing at 984-974-1414.

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