Memorandum: Molecular Pathology #45

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Subject: **Testing Resumed - SPINAL MUSCULAR ATROPHY (SMN 1/2) DNA ASSAY [LAB11165A]**

The UNC Molecular Genetics Laboratory has resumed Spinal Muscular Atrophy (*SMN1/2*) testing using the Asuragen AmplideX *SMN1/2* Plus assay. All carrier and diagnostic tests for *SMN1/2* will be performed in-house.

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