Memorandum: Referral Testing #7

To: UNC Hospitals Attending Physicians, House staff, Nursing Coordinators, Department Heads and Supervisors

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Subject: **Tests Obsolete:** Discontinuation of MNG Laboratory Operations

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As a result of the closure of MNG laboratories, the following tests are no longer available to order. Testing already in process will be resulted as ordered.

- CSF NEURO METABOLITES [LAB5247]
- CSF SIALIC ACID [LAB6015]
- CSF PYRIDOXAL 5' PHOSPHATE [LAB8026]
- TETRAHYDROBIOPTERIN/NEOPTERIN, CSF [LAB5768]
- CSF 5-METHYLTETRAHYDROFOLATE [LAB6012]

For more information, please refer to the announcement on the LabCorp website - **Neurogenetic Answers | MNG**

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