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- The ministry requires testing for COVID-19 be conducted in accordance with ministry policies, procedures and directives which include but are not limited to testing protocols, information/data flow and related communication protocols.

Licensed laboratories must communicate results to an individual that is aligned with the messaging and guidance provided by the Ministry of Health and Public Health Ontario. Please also review the COVID-19 Provincial Testing Guidance.

Test Class / Classes de tests	Sub Class / Sous-classe	Test Code / Codes de tests	Test Name / Noms de tests
Biochemistry	General Chemistry	L005	Albumin, quantitative*
	Toxicology	L006	Alcohol, ethyl - quantitative*
	General Chemistry	L015	Ammonia*
	General Chemistry	L018	Amylase*
	General Chemistry	L030	Bilirubin, total*
	General Chemistry	L031	Bilirubin, conjugated*
	General Chemistry	L034	pH*
	General Chemistry	L035	pCO ₂ , pO ₂ and pH in combination*
	Therapeutic Drug Monitoring	L040	Carbamazepine, quantitative (Tegretol)*
	General Chemistry	L045	Calcium*
	General Chemistry	L046	Calcium ionized*
	General Chemistry	L053	Chloride*
	General Chemistry	L055	Cholesterol, total*
	Toxicology	L059	Acetaminophen*

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Biochemistry	General Chemistry	L060	Carboxyhemoglobin*
	General Chemistry	L061	CO ₂ Content, CO ₂ combining power, bicarbonate (measured not calculated)*
	General Chemistry	L066	Creatine Phosphokinase*
	General Chemistry	L067	Creatinine*
	General Chemistry	L068	Creatinine clearance*
	Toxicology	L073	Target drug testing, urine, qualitative or quantitative*
	Toxicology	L078	Drugs of abuse screen, urine*
	General Chemistry	L085	Electrophoresis, serum - including total protein*
	General Chemistry	L086	Electrophoresis, other than serum - including total protein*
	General Chemistry	L093	Glycosylated hemoglobin - Hgb A1*
	General Chemistry	L103	Glucose tolerance test in pregnancy*
	General Chemistry	L104	Glucose tolerance test*
	General Chemistry	L107	Gamma glutamyl transpeptidase*
	General Chemistry	L111	Glucose, quantitative - not by dipstick*
	General Chemistry	L112	Glucose, semi-quantitative (dipstick if read with reflectance meter)*
	General Chemistry	L117	High density lipoprotein cholesterol*
	General Chemistry	L139	Iron, total - with iron binding capacity and percent saturation*
	General Chemistry	L145	Lactic acid (lactate)*
	General Chemistry	L146	Lactic dehydrogenase (L.D.H.), total*
	General Chemistry	L150	Lipase*

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Biochemistry	General Chemistry	L156	Lipoprotein phenotyping (includes sample appearance, cholesterol, triglycerides, lipoprotein electrophoresis and interpretation)*
	Therapeutic Drug Monitoring	L157	Lithium*
	General Chemistry	L165	Magnesium*
	General Chemistry	L172	Methemoglobin*
	General Chemistry	L181	Occult blood*
	General Chemistry	L183	Osmolality (osmolarity)*
	General Chemistry	L191	Phosphatase, alkaline*
	General Chemistry	L194	Phosphorus (inorganic phosphate)*
	General Chemistry	L204	Potassium*
	General Chemistry	L208	Protein, total*
	Toxicology	L221	Salicylate, quantitative*
	General Chemistry	L222	SGOT (AST)*
	General Chemistry	L223	SGPT (ALT)*
	General Chemistry	L226	Sodium*
	General Chemistry	L243	Triglycerides*
	General Chemistry	L251	Urea nitrogen (B.U.N.)*
	General Chemistry	L252	Uric acid (urate)*
	General Chemistry	L253	Urinalysis, routine chemical (any of S.G., pH, protein, sugar, hemoglobin, ketones, urobilinogen, bilirubin, leukocyte esterase, nitrate)*
	General Chemistry	L254	Urinalysis, microscopic examination of centrifuged specimen*
	Therapeutic Drug Monitoring	L257	Valproic acid (valproate)*

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Biochemistry	General Chemistry	L358	Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA), Total
	General Chemistry	U097	Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA), Total
	General Chemistry	U116	Troponin
	General Chemistry	U432	Natriuretic Peptide - Brain (BNP)
	General Chemistry	U435	Foetal Fibronectin
	General Chemistry	U680	Beta Hydroxybutyrate
	Immunoassays	L303	Cortisol*
	Immunoassays	L304	Aminoglycosides (e.g. gentamicin, tobramycin)*
	Immunoassays	L306	Digoxin*
	Immunoassays	L318	HCG (human chorionic gonadotrophins)*
	Immunoassays	L324	Diphenylhydantoin (phenytoin), quantitative (dilantin)*
	Immunoassays	L329	Ferritin*
	Immunoassays	L330	Parathyroid hormone*
	Immunoassays	L339	T4, free - absolute (includes T-4 total)*
	Immunoassays	L341	TSH (thyroid stimulating hormone)*
	Immunoassays	L345	Vitamin B12*
	Immunoassays	L606	25 hydroxy Vitamin D*
	Immunoassays	L607	T-3, free*
	Immunoassays	L691	Alpha-fetoprotein*
	Immunoassays	U792	25 hydroxy Vitamin D
	Immunoassays	U967	Procalcitonin
Cytology			
		L705	Aspiration biopsy (lung, breast, thyroid, etc.)*
		L706	Bronchial washings or brushings*

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Cytology	L708	Esophageal, gastric or endometrial washings or brushings*
	L711	Fluids (pleural, ascitic, cyst, aspirate, pericardial, joint, CSF, and urine)*
	L715	Smear for eosinophils (nasal, sputum, ocular, etc.)*
	L716	Sputum per specimen for general and/or specified assessment (e.g. cellular abnormality, asbestos bodies, lipid, hemosiderin, etc.)*
	L733	Cervicovaginal cellular evaluation (or Pap Smear) using the monolayer cell methodology when ordered outside of the OCSP
	L734	Cervicovaginal cellular evaluation (or Pap smear) when ordered as part of the OCSP
Hematology	General Hematology	L378 Bone marrow - film preparation*
	General Hematology	L379 Bone marrow - staining (Romanowski and iron)*
	Coagulation	L390 Clotting time (Lee and White)*
	General Hematology	L391 C.S.F. cell count (to include differential)*
	General Hematology	L393 Complete Blood Count (any method)*
	General Hematology	L395 Eosinophil count*
	General Hematology	L398 Reticulocyte count*
	Coagulation	L402 Fibrinogen, quantitative*
	Coagulation	L405 Fibrin split products, quantitative*
	General Hematology	L415 Haptoglobin*
	General Hematology	L419 Hemoglobin electrophoresis to include Hb A2 fraction*
		L431 Kleihauer stain*
	Coagulation	L445 Prothrombin time*
	General Hematology	L451 Sedimentation rate*
	General Hematology	L453 Sickle cell solubility test (screen)*

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Hematology	Coagulation	L460	Thrombin time*
	Coagulation	L462	Partial thromboplastin time*
		U140	Rh Rosette Test
Histopathology			
		L720	Surgical pathology*
		L721	Operative consultation - with or without frozen section*
		L722	Operative consultation - for each specimen over 3*
Immunohematology			
		L471	Antibody identification - per specimen*
		L473	Parallel titration on two specimens to include confirmation of previously detected antibody*
		L481	Antibody titre per antibody, per specimen*
		L482	Antibody screening*
		L490	Blood Group - ABO and RhD*
		L492	Crossmatch per unit of blood*
		L493	Blood Group - ABO and Rh Phenotype*
		L494	Blood Group per antigen*
		L495	Direct anti-human globulin test*
Immunology			
	General Immunology	L319	Hepatitis associated antigen or antibody immunoassay - per assay (e.g. hepatitis B surface antigen or antibody, hepatitis B core antibody, hepatitis A antibody)*
	General Immunology	L500	Agglutination Reaction - Screen (e.g. Rheumatoid factor, Antithyroid [thyroglobulin or microsomal], Streptolysin)*
	General Immunology	L535	Fluorescent Antibody Tests (Immunofluorescent Studies), Tests for serum antibodies to tissue and cell components - antimitochondrial, antithyroid, antiadrenal, antismooth muscle, antiparietal, antiskin, antisperm*
	General Immunology	L544	Fluorescent Antibody Tests (Immunofluorescent Studies), Tests for serum antibodies to tissue and cell components - antinuclear*

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Immunology	General Immunology	L545	Fluorescent Antibody Tests (Immunofluorescent Studies), Protein deposition in tissues, (per tissue examined, any number of antisera, e.g. immunoglobulin, complement component, fibrinogen, and pathogens, etc.)*
	General Immunology	L550	Single gel diffusion and nephelometric quantitative assays - Immunoglobulin G, A, D, M*
	General Immunology	L551	Complement proteins - C3(B1C)*
	General Immunology	L552	Complement proteins - C4(B1E)*
	General Immunology	L553	Miscellaneous proteins - Ceruloplasmin*
	General Immunology	L554	Miscellaneous proteins - Transferrin*
	General Immunology	L555	Miscellaneous proteins - Alpha 1 antitrypsin*
	General Immunology	L556	Miscellaneous proteins - Alpha 2 macroglobulin*
	General Immunology	L575	Gammopathy Screen by immunoelectrophoresis or immunofixation*
	General Immunology	L599	Cryofibrinogen - qualitative*
	General Immunology	L600	Cryoglobulin - qualitative*
	General Immunology	L655	Pregnancy test*
	General Immunology	L665	C-Reactive protein*
	General Immunology	L668	Heterophile antibodies - screen (slide or single tube) - with or without absorption*
	Microbial Immunology	L683	Non-cultural indirect antibody or antigen assays by fluorescence, agglutination or ELISA techniques*
	Microbial Immunology	L684	Non-cultural indirect antibody or antigen assays by fluorescence, agglutination or ELISA techniques - for each additional antibody*
	General Immunology	U011	ANCA - C
	General Immunology	U012	ANCA - P
	General Immunology	U024	Beta - 2 Microglobulin

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Immunology	General Immunology	U029	CA 125
	General Immunology	U270	CA 19-9
	General Immunology	U718	Free Light Chains (FLC)
Microbiology	Bacteriology	L624	Cultures - blood (including aerobic, anaerobic, subcultures, smears)*
	Bacteriology	L625	Cultures - cervical, vaginal, including GC culture, Gram smear, yeast identification (e.g. Germ tube)*
	Bacteriology	L628	Cultures - other swabs or pus-culture and smear*
	Bacteriology	L629	Cultures - sputum-culture and smear*
	Bacteriology	L638	Streptococcus grouping, coagglutination method*
	Bacteriology	L639	Cultures - fluids (CSF, joint, pleural etc. not exudates)*
	Bacteriology	L640	Cultures - throat swab, for streptococcus screen only*
	Bacteriology	L643	Smear only, Gram or Papanicolaou stain*
	Bacteriology	L652	Smear only, special stain, e.g. ZN, inclusions, spores, diphtheria*
	Bacteriology	L653	Wet preparation (for fungus, trichomonas, parasites)*
	Bacteriology	L656	Penicillinase production*
	Virology	L887	Serology HIV Antibody for Occupational Exposure Purposes Only
	Virology	L887	Serology HIV Antibody for Patients in Labour Purposes Only
	Virology	U970	COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2)

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**Approved Specimen Collection / Prélèvement d'échantillons
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Specimen Type / Types de prélèvement
Blood
Fluid/Discharge/Swab
Stool
Tissue
Urine