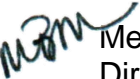





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Subject: Change to Tick-borne Illness Panel

Effective July 30, 2024, McLendon Clinical Laboratories will remove *Ehrlichia* PCR from the [Tick-Borne Illness Panel](#) (O1239000003). [Ehrlichia PCR](#) will remain orderable as a standalone test and should only be ordered within 7 days of symptom onset.

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