

## Memorandum Core #177

To: UNCHCS Attending Physicians, Housestaff, Clinical Nurse Coordinators, Department Heads, and Supervisors
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## Subject: Alpha-Fetoprotein Maternal Serum and Quad Screen to become send out tests as of October 11, 2021

Beginning Monday October 11, 2021 the McLendon Clinical Laboratories at UNC Hospitals will begin sending all Alpha-Fetoprotein Maternal Serum (LAB692) and Quad Screen (2nd Trimester) (LAB5743) testing to Mayo Clinic Laboratories.

Epic test names/order codes will be Quad Screen Maternal, Serum – LAB11105 and AFP, Maternal, Serum (Mayo) – LAB11104. Patient specific data will still be required and order questions will be included on these tests. Specimen requirements will not change. These tests will be interfaced with Mayo and results will auto-verify and file into the patient's chart upon Mayo's verification of the results in their system.

For any requests to amend results based on new or updated patient information, call UNC Referral Testing at 984-974-1414.

Please contact Marsha Owens at 984-215-4713 for any questions related to the new Mayo test.

Please contact Dr. Nichole Korpi-Steiner at 984-974- 1498 for any technical questions regarding these changes.