

**Payment Policy** | Blue CHiP for Medicare  
Laboratory Network Hospital/Physician/Urgent Care  
Allowable Test Listing



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## OVERVIEW

Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Rhode Island (BCBSRI) has developed a limited network of outpatient labs for our BlueCHiP for Medicare members. This policy documents codes that are allowed to be performed in Hospital, Urgent Care, or Physician Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments (CLIA)-certified labs.

**Note: This policy does not address coverage or reimbursement for any of the codes listed in this policy. Refer to the applicable policy for any codes that may be not medically necessary or not separately reimbursed.**

## PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

Prior authorization review is not required. Please see BCBSRI's Preauthorization via Web-Based Tool for Genetic Testing.

## POLICY STATEMENT

### BlueCHiP for Medicare

The lists of codes below are allowed to be performed in Hospital, Urgent Care, or Physician Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments (CLIA)-certified labs, outside of the BlueCHiP for Medicare Outpatient Lab network. The provider may also refer the BlueCHiP for Medicare member to any laboratory in the BlueCHiP for Medicare laboratory network for these tests.

### Hospitals:

**Due to the Blue CHiP for Medicare limited laboratory network, the following facilities Landmark Medical Center, Sturdy Memorial Hospital, Southcoast Hospitals (St Lukes, Tobey, Charlton), and Westerly Hospital are participating for the laboratory services listed below. For other hospitals in our local network, there is no restriction on the lab codes that can be rendered.**

- 38210 Transplant preparation of hematopoietic progenitor cells; specific cell depletion within harvest, T-cell depletion
- 38211 Transplant preparation of hematopoietic progenitor cells; tumor cell depletion
- 38212 Transplant preparation of hematopoietic progenitor cells; red blood cell removal
- 38213 Transplant preparation of hematopoietic progenitor cells; platelet depletion
- 38220 Diagnostic bone marrow; aspiration(s)
- 38221 Diagnostic bone marrow; biopsy(ies)
- 80195 Sirolimus
- 80197 Assay of tacrolimus
- 80400 Acth Stimulation Panel
- 80402 Acth Stimulation Panel
- 80406 Acth Stimulation Panel
- 80408 Aldosterone Suppression Eval
- 80410 Calcium-Pentagastrin Stimul
- 80412 Crh Stimulation Panel

80414 Testosterone Response  
 80415 Estradiol Response Panel  
 80416 Renal Vein Renin Stimulation Panel  
 80417 Peripheral Vein Renin Stimulation Panel  
 80418 Pituitary Evaluation Panel  
 80420 Dexamethasone Panel  
 80422 Glucagon Tolerance Panel  
 80424 Glucagon Tolerance Panel  
 80426 Gonadotropin Hormone Panel  
 80428 Growth Hormone Panel  
 80430 Growth Hormone Panel  
 80432 Insulin Suppression Panel  
 80434 Insulin Tolerance Panel  
 80435 Insulin Tolerance Panel  
 80436 Metyrapone Panel  
 80438 Trh Stimulation Panel  
 80439 Trh Stimulation Panel  
 80500 Clinical Pathology Consultation  
 80502 Clinical Pathology Consultation  
 81200 ASPA (aspartoacylase)  
 81201 APC (adenomatous polyposis coli)  
 81202 APC (adenomatous polyposis coli)  
 81203 APC (adenomatous polyposis coli)  
 81205 ASPA (aspartoacylase)  
 81206 BCR/ABL1 (t(9;22))  
 81207 BCR/ABL1 (t(9;22))  
 81208 BCR/ABL1 (t(9;22))  
 81209 BLM (Bloom syndrome, RecQ helicase-like)  
 81210 BRAF (v-raf murine sarcoma viral oncogene homolog B1)  
 81211 BRCA1, BRCA2 (breast cancer 1 and 2)  
 81212 BRCA1, BRCA2 (breast cancer 1 and 2)  
 81213 BRCA1, BRCA2 (breast cancer 1 and 2)  
 81214 BRCA1 (breast cancer 1)  
 81215 BRCA1 (breast cancer 1)  
 81216 BRCA2 (breast cancer 2)  
 81217 BRCA2 (breast cancer 2)  
 81220 CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)  
 81221 CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)  
 81222 CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)  
 81223 CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)  
 81224 CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)  
 81225 CYP2C19 (cytochrome P450, family 2, subfamily C, polypeptide 19)  
 81226 CYP2D6 (cytochrome P450, family 2, subfamily D, polypeptide 6)  
 81227 CYP2C9 (cytochrome P450, family 2, subfamily C, polypeptide 9)  
 81228 Cytogenomic constitutional (genome-wide)  
 81229 Cytogenomic constitutional (genome-wide)  
 81235 EGFR (epidermal growth factor receptor)  
 81240 F2 (prothrombin, coagulation factor II)  
 81241 F5 (coagulation Factor V)  
 81242 FANCC (Fanconi anemia, complementation group C)  
 81243 FMR1 (Fragile X mental retardation 1)  
 81244 FMR1 (Fragile X mental retardation 1)

81245 FLT3 (fms-related tyrosine kinase 3)  
 81250 G6PC (glucose-6-phosphatase, catalytic subunit)  
 81251 GBA (glucosidase, beta, acid)  
 81252 GJB2 (gap junction protein, beta 2, 26kDa; connexin 26)  
 81253 GJB2 (gap junction protein, beta 2, 26kDa; connexin 26)  
 81254 GJB6 (gap junction protein, beta 6, 30kDa, connexin 30)  
 81255 HEXA (hexosaminidase A [alpha polypeptide])  
 81256 HFE (hemochromatosis)  
 81257 HBA1/HBA2 (alpha globin 1 and alpha globin 2) (eg, alpha thalassemia, Hb Bart hydrops fetalis syndrome, HbH disease), gene analysis; common deletions or variant (eg, Southeast Asian, Thai, Filipino, Mediterranean, alpha3.7, alpha4.2, alpha20.5, Constant Spring)  
 81260 IKBKAP (inhibitor of kappa light polypeptide gene enhancer)  
 81261 IGH© (Immunoglobulin heavy chain locus)  
 81262 IGH© (Immunoglobulin heavy chain locus)  
 81263 IGH© (Immunoglobulin heavy chain locus)  
 81264 IGK© (Immunoglobulin kappa light chain locus)  
 81265 Comparative analysis using Short Tandem Repeat (STR)  
 81266 Comparative analysis using Short Tandem Repeat (STR)  
 81267 Chimerism (engraftment) analysis  
 81268 Chimerism (engraftment) analysis  
 81270 JAK2 (Janus kinase 2)  
 81275 KRAS (v-Ki-ras2 Kirsten rat sarcoma viral oncogene)  
 81280 Long QT syndrome gene analyses (deleted 12/31/2016)  
 81281 Long QT syndrome gene analyses (deleted 12/31/2016)  
 81282 Long QT syndrome gene analyses (deleted 12/31/2016)  
 81290 MCOLN1 (mucolipin 1)  
 81291 MTHFR (5,10-methylenetetrahydrofolate reductase)  
 81292 MLH1 (mutL homolog 1, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 2)  
 81293 MLH1 (mutL homolog 1, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 2)  
 81294 MLH1 (mutL homolog 1, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 2)  
 81295 MSH2 (mutS homolog 2, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 1)  
 81296 MSH2 (mutS homolog 2, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 1)  
 81297 MSH2 (mutS homolog 2, colon cancer, nonpolyposis type 1)  
 81298 MSH6 (mutS homolog 6 [E. coli])  
 81299 MSH6 (mutS homolog 6 [E. coli])  
 81300 MSH6 (mutS homolog 6 [E. coli])  
 81301 Microsatellite instability analysis  
 81302 MECP2 (methyl CpG binding protein 2)  
 81303 MECP2 (methyl CpG binding protein 2)  
 81304 MECP2 (methyl CpG binding protein 2)  
 81310 NPM1 (nucleophosmin)  
 81315 PML/RARalpha  
 81316 PML/RARalpha  
 81317 PMS2 (postmeiotic segregation increased 2)  
 81318 PMS2 (postmeiotic segregation increased 2)  
 81319 PMS2 (postmeiotic segregation increased 2)  
 81321 PTEN (phosphatase and tensin homolog)  
 81322 PTEN (phosphatase and tensin homolog)  
 81323 PTEN (phosphatase and tensin homolog)  
 81324 PMP22 (peripheral myelin protein 22)  
 81325 PMP22 (peripheral myelin protein 22)  
 81326 PMP22 (peripheral myelin protein 22)

81330 SMPD1(sphingomyelin phosphodiesterase 1  
 81331 SNRPN/UBE3A (small nuclear ribonucleoprotein polypeptide N and ubiquitin protein ligase E3A)  
 81332 SERPINA1 (serpin peptidase inhibitor, clade A, alpha-1 antiproteinase, antitrypsin, member 1)  
 81340 TRB© (T cell antigen receptor, beta)  
 81341 TRB© (T cell antigen receptor, beta)  
 81342 TRG© (T cell antigen receptor, gamma)  
 81350 UGT1A1 (UDP glucuronosyltransferase 1 family, polypeptide A1)  
 81355 VKORC1 (vitamin K epoxide reductase complex, subunit 1)  
 81370 HLA Class I and II typing, low resolution  
 81371 HLA Class I and II typing, low resolution  
 81372 HLA Class I typing, low resolution  
 81373 HLA Class I typing, low resolution  
 81374 HLA Class I typing, low resolution  
 81375 HLA Class II typing  
 81376 HLA Class II typing  
 81377 HLA Class II typing  
 81378 HLA Class I and II typing  
 81379 HLA Class I typing  
 81380 HLA Class I typing  
 81381 HLA Class I typing  
 81382 HLA Class II typing  
 81383 HLA Class II typing  
 81400 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 1  
 81401 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 2  
 81402 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 3  
 81403 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 4  
 81404 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 5  
 81405 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 6  
 81406 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 7  
 81407 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 8  
 81408 Molecular pathology procedure, Level 9  
 81479 Unlisted molecular pathology procedure  
 81504 Oncology tissue of origin similar scor algorithm –  
 81508 Fetal congenital abnormalities  
 81509 Fetal congenital abnormalities  
 81510 Fetal congenital abnormalities  
 81511 Fetal congenital abnormalities  
 81512 Fetal congenital abnormalities  
 81599 Unlisted multianalyte assay with algorithmic analysis  
 82075 Assay Breath Ethanol  
 82143 Amniotic Fluid Scan  
 82331 Calcium Infusion Test  
 82731 Fetal Fibronectin  
 82777 Galectin-3  
 82800 Blood Ph  
 82803 Blood Gases: Ph, PO<sub>2</sub> & PCO<sub>2</sub>  
 82805 Blood Gases W/02 Saturation  
 82810 Blood Gases, O2 Sat Only  
 82930 Gastric analy w/ph ea spec  
 82945 Glucose, body fluid  
 82946 Glucagon Tolerance Test  
 82951 Glucagon Tolerance Test

82952 Tolerance Test  
83013 H-pylori breath test  
83014 H-pylori admin & collection  
83661 Fetal Lung Maturity Assessment  
83662 Lecithin-Sphingomyelin Ratio  
83663 Fetal Lung Maturity Assessment  
83664 Fetal Lung Maturity Assessment  
83873 Assay, CSF Protein  
83915 Nucleotidase 5  
83950 Oncoprotein  
83951 Oncoprotein  
83916 Oligoclonal Bands  
83986 Assay Body Fluid Acidity  
84112 Placenta alpha micro ig c/v  
84146 Prolactin  
84157 Protein, Total  
84181 Protein, Western Blot  
84182 Protein, Western Blot  
84233 Receptor Assay, Estrogen  
84234 Receptor Assay, Progesterone  
84235 Receptor Assay, Endocrine  
84238 Receptor Assay, Non-endocrine  
84244 Assay Of Renin  
84485 Trypsin, Duodenal Fluid  
85002 Bleeding Time Test  
85060 Blood Smear  
85097 Bone Marrow Interpretation  
85210 Blood clot factor II test  
85220 Blood clot factor V test  
85230 Blood clot factor VII test  
85240 Blood clot factor VIII test  
85244 Blood clot factor VIII test  
85245 Blood clot factor VIII test  
85246 Blood clot factor VIII test  
85247 Blood clot factor VIII test  
85250 Blood clot factor IX test  
85260 Blood clot factor X test  
85270 Blood clot factor XI test  
85290 Clotting Factor XIII  
85280 Blood clot factor XII test  
85291 Blood clot factor XIII test  
85292 Blood clot factor assay  
85293 Blood clot factor assay  
85300 Clotting Inhibitors  
85301 Clotting Inhibitors  
85302 Clotting Inhibitors  
85305 Clotting Inhibitors  
85306 Clotting Inhibitors  
85307 Activated Protein C  
85335 Factor Inhibitor Test  
85337 Thrombomodulin  
85347 Coagulation Time Activated

85348 Coagulation Time Other Methods  
85360 Euglobulin Lysis  
85362 Fibrin Degradation Products  
85366 Fibrin Degradation (split)  
85370 Fibrin Degradation (split)  
85378 Fibrin Degradation semiquantitative  
85379 Fibrin Degradation quantitative  
85380 Fibrin Degradation Products  
85384 Fibrinogen, Activity  
85385 Fibrinogen, Antigen  
85390 Fibrinolysins or Coagulopathy Screen  
85396 Coagulation/Fibrinolysis Assay  
85397 Coagulation and Fibrinolysis  
85400 Fibrinolytic Factors  
85410 Fibrinolytic Mechanisms  
85415 Fibrinolytic Factors  
85420 Fibrinolytic Mechanisms  
85421 Fibrinolytic Mechanisms  
85460 Hemoglobin, Fetal  
85536 Iron stain, peripheral blood  
85547 Mechanical Fragility  
85555 Osmotic Fragility  
85557 Osmotic Fragility  
85576 Blood Platelet Aggregation  
85598 Hexagonal phosph platelet neutral  
86077 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86078 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86079 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86152 Cell enumeration using immunologic selection  
86153 Cell enumeration using immunologic selection  
86481 Tb ag response t-cell susp  
86485 Skin Test, Candida  
86486 Skin Tests, Unlisted Antigen, Each  
86490 Skin Test Coccidioidomycosis  
86510 Skin Test Histoplasmosis  
86580 Skin Test Tuberculosis  
86711 Antibody; JC (John Cunningham) virus  
86794 Antibody; Zika virus, Ig  
86828 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86829 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86830 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86831 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86832 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86833 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86834 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86835 Antibody to human leukocyte antigens (HLA)  
86586 Skin Test, Unlisted  
86592 Blood Serology, Qualitative  
86593 Blood Serology, Quantitative  
86781 Treponema Pallidum Confirm  
86805 Lymphocytotoxicity Assay  
86806 Lymphocytotoxicity Assay

86807 Cytotoxic Antibody Screening  
86808 Cytotoxic Antibody Screening  
86821 Lymphocyte Culture, Mixed  
86849 Immunology Procedure  
86850 RBC Antibody Screen  
86860 RBC Antibody Elution  
86870 RBC Antibody Identification  
86880 Coombs Test  
86885 Coombs Test  
86886 Coombs Test  
86900 Blood Typing, ABO  
86901 Blood Typing, Rh (D)  
86902 Blood type antigen donor ea  
86903 Blood Typing, Antigen Screen  
86904 Blood Typing, Patient Serum  
86905 Blood Typing, RBC Antigens  
86906 Blood Typing, Rh Phenotype  
86911 Blood Typing, Antigen System  
86920 Compatibility Test Each Unit  
86921 Compatibility Test Each Unit  
86922 Compatibility Test Each Unit  
86923 Compatibility Test Each Unit  
86927 Frozen Plasma Thawing, Each Unit  
86930 Frozen Blood, Each Unit, Freezing  
86931 Frozen Blood, Each Unit, Thawing  
86932 Frozen Blood, Each Unit, Freezing  
86940 Hemolysins/Agglutinins Auto  
86941 Hemolysins/Agglutinins Incubated  
86945 Blood Product/Irradiation  
86950 Leukocyte Transfusion  
86960 Volume Reduction of Blood or Blood Product  
86965 Pooling Blood Platelets  
86970 RBC Pretreatment  
86971 Pre-treatment of RBC's  
86972 Pre-treatment of RBC's  
86975 Pre-treatment of Serum  
86976 Pre-treatment of Serum  
86977 Pre-treatment of Serum  
86978 Pre-treatment of Serum  
86985 Splitting of Blood or Blood Products  
86999 Transfusion Procedure  
87015 Specimen Concentration  
87116 Mycobacteria Culture  
87118 Mycobacteria Identification  
87164 Dark Field Examination  
87166 Dark Field Examination  
87190 Tb Antibiotic Sensitivity  
87206 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87250 Virus Inoculation for Test  
87252 Virus Inoculation for Test  
87253 Virus Inoculation for Test  
87631 Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid

87632 Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid  
 87633 Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid  
 87634 Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); respiratory syncytial virus, amplified probe technique  
 87662 Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); Zika virus, amplified probe technique  
 87910 Infectious agent genotype analysis by nucleic acid  
 87912 Infectious agent genotype analysis by nucleic acid  
 88104 Microscopic Exam Of Cells  
 88106 Microscopic Exam Of Cells  
 88108 Cytopathology  
 88112 Cytopath cell enhance tech  
 88120 Cytp urine 3-5 probes ea spec  
 88121 Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr  
 88125 Forensic Cytopathology  
 88130 Sex Chromatin Identification  
 88140 Sex Chromatin Identification  
 88141 Cytopathology C/Vag Interpret  
 88142 Cytopathology C/Vag T/Layer  
 88143 Cytopathology C/Vag T/Layer  
 88147 Cytopathology Smears  
 88148 Cytopathology Smears  
 88150 Cytopathology, Pap Smear  
 88152 Cytopathology, Slides  
 88153 Cytopathology C/Vag Redo  
 88154 Cytopathology, Slides  
 88155 Cytopathology, Pap Smear  
 88160 Cytopathology  
 88161 Cytopathology  
 88162 Cytopathology, Extensive  
 88164 Cytopathology  
 88165 Cytopathology TBS C/Vag Redo  
 88166 Cytopathology, Slides  
 88167 Cytopathology, Slides  
 88172 Evaluation of Smear  
 88173 Interpretation of Smear  
 88174 Cytopathology Cervical or Vaginal  
 88175 Cytopath c/v auto fluid redo  
 88177 Cytp c/v auto thin lyr addl  
 88182 Flowcytometry cell cycle  
 88184 Flowcytometry/ tc 1 marker  
 88185 Flowcytometry/tc add-on  
 88187 Flowcytometry/read 2-8  
 88188 Flowcytometry/read 9-15  
 88189 Flowcytometry/read 16 & >  
 88199 Cytopathology Procedure  
 88230 Tissue Culture, Lymphocyte  
 88233 Tissue Culture, Skin/Biopsy  
 88235 Tissue Culture, Placenta  
 88237 Tissue Culture, Bone Marrow  
 88239 Tissue Culture, Other  
 88240 Cell Cryopreserve / Storage  
 88241 Frozen Cell Preparation



88245 Chromosome Analysis  
88248 Chromosome Analysis  
88249 Chromosome Analysis  
88250 Chromosome Analysis  
88260 Chromosome Analysis  
88261 Chromosome Analysis  
88262 Chromosome Count  
88263 Chromosome Analysis  
88264 Chromosome Analysis  
88267 Chromosome Analysis:Placenta  
88269 Chromosome Analysis:Amniotic  
88271 Cytogenetics, DNA Probe  
88272 Cytogenetics, 3–5  
88273 Cytogenetics, 10–30  
88274 Cytogenetics, 25–99  
88275 Cytogenetics, 100–300  
88280 Chromosome Karyotype Study  
88283 Chromosome Banding Study  
88285 Chromosome Count: Additional  
88289 Chromosome Study: Additional  
88291 Cyto / Molecular Report  
88299 Cytogenetic Study  
88300 Surg Path, Gross  
88302 Tissue Exam by Pathologist  
88304 Tissue Exam by Pathologist  
88305 Tissue Exam by Pathologist  
88307 Tissue Exam by Pathologist  
88309 Tissue Exam by Pathologist  
88311 Decalcify tissue  
88312 Special Stains  
88313 Special Stains  
88314 Histochemical Stain  
88319 Enzyme Histochemistry  
88321 Consultation and Report on Referred Slides  
88323 Consultation and Report on Referred Material  
88325 Consultation, Comprehensive  
88329 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
88331 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
88332 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
88333 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
88334 Cytologic Examination  
88341 Immunocytochemistry  
88342 Immunocytochemistry  
88344 Immunocytochemistry  
88346 Immunofluorescent Study  
88348 Electron microscopy, diagnostic  
88350 Immunofluorescence Per Spec Add Single AntB Stain  
88360 Tumor immunohistochem/manual  
88363 Xm archive tissue molec anal  
88367 Insitu hybridization auto  
88368 Insitu hybridization manual  
88375 Optical endomicroscopic image(s)

- 88399 Surgical Pathology Procedure
- 89049 Caffeine Halothane Contracture Test (CHCT)
- 89050 Body Fluid Cell Count
- 89051 Body Fluid Cell Count
- 89060 Exam, Synovial Fluid Crystals
- 89220 Sputum, Obtaining Specimen, Aerosol Inducted Technique
- 89230 Collect sweat for test
- 89250 Culture and Fert Oocyte(s)
- 89251 Culture Oocyte w/Embryos
- 89253 Embryo Hatching
- 89254 Oocyte Identification
- 89257 Sperm Identification
- 89260 Sperm Isolation, Simple
- 89261 Sperm Isolation, Complex
- 89264 Sperm Tissue Identify
- 89280 Assisted oocyte fertilization, microtechnique; less than or equal to 10 oocytes
- 89281 Assisted oocyte fertilization, microtechnique; greater than 10 oocytes
- 89300 Semen Analysis
- 89310 Semen Analysis
- 89320 Semen Analysis
- 89329 Sperm Evaluation Test
- 89330 Evaluation, Cervical Mucus
- 89346 Storage (per year) Oocyte(s)
- 89354 Thawing of Cryopreserved
- 89360 Collect Sweat for Test
- 89365 Water Load Test
- G0328 Colorectal cancer screening; fecal occult blood test, immunoassay, 1-3 simultaneous determinations
- S3854 Gene expression profiling panel for use in the management of breast cancer treatment (effective 7/1/16)

**Urgent Care Facilities:**

**Due to the Blue CHiP for Medicare limited laboratory network, all urgent care facilities are considered participating for the laboratory services listed below:**

- 36415-32 Drawing Blood-Pedi/Lead Screen Only
- 80048 Basic Metabolic Panel
- 80051 Electrolyte Panel
- 80156 Assay Carbamazepine
- 80162 Assay for Digoxin
- 80164 Assay, Dipropylacetic Acid
- 80184 Assay for Phenobarbital
- 80185 Assay for Phenytoin
- 80198 Assay for Theophylline
- 80305 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; capable of being read by direct optical observation only (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, dipsticks, cups, cards, or cartridges]), includes sample validation when performed, per date of service
- 80306 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; capable of being read by direct optical observation only (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, dipsticks, cups, cards, or cartridges]), includes sample validation when performed, per date of service
- 80307 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; by instrument chemistry analyzers (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, EIA, ELISA, EMIT, FPIA, IA,

KIMS, RIA]), chromatography (eg, GC, HPLC), and mass spectrometry either with or without chromatography, (eg, DART, DESI, GC-MS, GC-MS/MS, LC-MS, LC-MS/MS, LD'TD, MALDI, TOF) includes sample validation when performed, per date of service

- 81000 Urinalysis With Microscopy
- 81001 Urinalysis With Microscopy
- 81002 Urinalysis w/o Scope
- 81003 Urinalysis, Auto, w/o Scope
- 81005 Urinalysis
- 81007 Urine Screen for Bacteria
- 81015 Microscopic Exam of Urine
- 81020 Urinalysis, Glass Test
- 81025 Urine Pregnancy Test
- 82075 Assay Breath Ethanol
- 82120 Amines, Vaginal Fluid Qual
- 82150 Assay of Amylase
- 82247 Bilirubin Total
- 82270 Test Feces for Blood
- 82271 Blood Occult
- 82272 Blood Occult
- 82273 Test for Blood, Other Source
- 82310 Assay Calcium
- 82374 Assay Blood Carbon Dioxide
- 82376 Test for Carbon Monoxide
- 82435 Assay Blood Chloride
- 82550 Assay CK (CPK)
- 82552 Assay CPK in Blood
- 82553 Creatine, MB Fraction
- 82554 Creatine, Isoforms
- 82565 Assay Creatinine
- 82800 Blood Ph
- 82803 Blood Gases: Ph, PO2 & PCO2
- 82805 Blood Gases w/O2 Saturation
- 82810 Blood Gases, O2 Sat Only
- 82947 Assay Quantitative, Glucose
- 82948 Reagent Strip/Blood Glucose
- 82962 Glucose Blood Glucose Monitoring
- 83690 Assay Lipase
- 83872 Assay Synovial Fluid Mucin
- 83986-QW PH, Body Fluid, except Blood
- 84112 Placenta alpha micro ig c/v
- 84132 Assay Serum Potassium
- 84295 Assay Serum Sodium
- 84484 Troponin, Quant
- 84520 Assay Urea Nitrogen
- 84702 Chorionic Gonadotropin Test
- 84703 Chorionic Gonadotropin Assay
- 85004 Blood Count; Automated Differential WBC Count
- 85007 Blood Count, Blood Smear
- 85013 Hematocrit
- 85014 Hematocrit
- 85018 Hemoglobin
- 85021 Automated Hemogram

85022 Automated Hemogram  
 85023 Automated Hemogram  
 85024 Automated Hemogram  
 85025 Automated Hemogram  
 85027 Automated Hemogram  
 85032 Blood Count, Manual Cell Count  
 85041 Blood Count, Red Blood Cell (RBC) Automated  
 85610 Prothrombin Time  
 85651 RBC Sedimentation Rate, non-automated  
 85652 RBC Sedimentation Rate, automated  
 86308 Heterophile Antibodies  
 86317 Immunoassay, Infectious Agent  
 86318 Immunoassay, Infectious Agent  
 86403 Particle Agglutination Test  
 86481 Tb ag response t-cell susp  
 86485 Skin Test, Candida  
 86486 Skin Test, Unlisted Antigen  
 86490 Skin Test Coccidioidomycosis  
 86510 Skin Test Histoplasmosis  
 86580 Tb Intradermal Test  
 86585 Tb Tine Test  
 86631 Chlamydia, Antibody  
 86632 Chlamydia, IGM, Antibody  
 86701 Antibody, HIV-1  
 86702 Antibody, HIV-2  
 86703 Antibody, HIV-1 and HIV-2, Single Assay  
 86710 Influenza Virus  
 87081 Bacteria Culture Screen  
 87164 Dark Field Examination  
 87166 Dark Field Examination  
 87172 Pinworm Exam  
 87177 Ova and parasites, direct smears, concentration and identification  
 87205 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
 87207 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
 87210 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
 87220 Tissue Exam For Fungi  
 87430 Strep A Ag, EIA  
 87490 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87491 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87492 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Quant  
 87550 Mycobacteria, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87551 Mycobacteria, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87552 Mycobacteria, DNA, Quant  
 87555 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87556 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87557 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Quant  
 87560 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87561 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87562 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Quant  
 87590 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87591 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87592 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Amp Probe

- 87802 Infectious Agent Antigen Detection
- 87804 Influenza
- 87810 Chlamydia Trachomatis
- 87850 N. Gonorrhoeae, Assay w/ Optic
- 87880 Strep A Assay w/ Optic
- 88177 Cyt p fna eval ea addl
- 88363 XM archive tissue molec anal
- 88720 Bilirubin, Total, Transcutaneous
- 88738 Hemoglobin (HGB) Quantitative, Transcutaneous
- 88740 Hemoglobin (HGB) Quantitative, Transcutaneous
- 88741 Hemoglobin (HGB) Quantitative, Transcutaneous
- 89220 Sputum Obtaining Specimen
- 89230 Sweat Collection by Ionotophoresis
- 89050 Body Fluid Cell Count
- 89051 Body Fluid Cell Count
- 89060 Exam, Synovial Fluid Crystals
- G0328 Colorectal cancer screening; fecal occult blood test, immunoassay, 1-3 simultaneous determinations
- G0477 Drug test presumpt optical (Deleted 12/31/2016)
- G0478 Drug test presumpt opt inst (Deleted 12/31/2016)
- G0479 Drug test presumpt not opt (Deleted 12/31/2016)
- G0659 Drug test def simple all cl (Effective 1/1/17)

**Physician Laboratories:**

**Due to the Blue CHiP for Medicare limited laboratory network, all physician laboratories are considered participating for the laboratory services listed below:**

- 36415-32 Drawing Blood-Pedi/Lead Screen Only
- 38220 Bone marrow; aspiration only
- 38221 Bone marrow; biopsy, needle or trocar
- 80305 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; capable of being read by direct optical observation only (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, dipsticks, cups, cards, or cartridges]), includes sample validation when performed, per date of service
- 80306 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; capable of being read by direct optical observation only (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, dipsticks, cups, cards, or cartridges]), includes sample validation when performed, per date of service
- 80307 Drug test(s), presumptive, any number of drug classes, any number of devices or procedures; by instrument chemistry analyzers (eg, utilizing immunoassay [eg, EIA, ELISA, EMIT, FPIA, IA, KIMS, RIA]), chromatography (eg, GC, HPLC), and mass spectrometry either with or without chromatography, (eg, DART, DESI, GC-MS, GC-MS/MS, LC-MS, LC-MS/MS, LDTD, MALDI, TOF) includes sample validation when performed, per date of service
- 80400 ACTH Stimulation Panel
- 80402 ACTH Stimulation Panel
- 80406 ACTH Stimulation Panel
- 80408 Aldosterone Suppression Eval
- 80410 Calcium-Pentagastrin Stimul
- 80412 CRH Stimulation Panel
- 80414 Testosterone Response
- 80415 Estradiol Response Panel
- 80418 Pituitary Evaluation Panel

80420 Dexamethasone Panel  
 80422 Glucagon Tolerance Panel  
 80424 Glucagon Tolerance Panel  
 80426 Gonadotropin Hormone Panel  
 80428 Growth Hormone Panel  
 80430 Growth Hormone Panel  
 80432 Insulin Suppression Panel  
 80434 Insulin Tolerance Panel  
 80435 Insulin Tolerance Panel  
 80436 Metyrapone Panel  
 80438 TRH Stimulation Panel  
 80439 TRH Stimulation Panel  
 80500 Clinical Pathology Consultation  
 80502 Clinical Pathology Consultation  
 81000 Urinalysis With Microscopy  
 81001 Urinalysis With Microscopy  
 81002 Urinalysis Nonauto W/O Scope  
 81003 Urinalysis, Auto, W/O Scope  
 81005 Urinalysis  
 81007 Urine Screen for Bacteria  
 81015 Microscopic Exam of Urine  
 81020 Urinalysis, Glass Test  
 81025 Urine Pregnancy Test  
 82044 Albumin; urine (eg, microalbumin), semiquantitative (eg, reagent strip assay)  
 82075 Assay Breath Ethanol  
 82120 Amines, Vaginal Fluid Qual  
 82270 Test Feces For Blood  
 82271 Blood, Occult, by peroxidase  
 82272 Blood, Occult, by peroxidase  
 82331 Calcium Infusion Test  
 82800 Blood Ph  
 82803 Blood Gases: Ph, PO<sub>2</sub> & PCO<sub>2</sub>  
 82805 Blood Gases W/O<sub>2</sub> Saturation  
 82810 Blood Gases, O<sub>2</sub> Sat Only  
 82930 Gastric analy w/ph ea spec  
 82947 Assay Quantitative, Glucose  
 82948 Reagent Strip/Blood Glucose  
 82962 Glucose, Blood by Glucose Monitoring Device(s)  
 83037 Hemoglobin; glycosylated (A1C)  
 83013 H-pylori breath test  
 83014 H-pylori admin & collection  
 83036 Hemoglobin; glycosylated  
 83037 Hemoglobin; glycosylated  
 83872 Assay Synovial Fluid Mucin  
 83986-QW PH, Body Fluid, Except Blood  
 84112 Placenta alpha micro ig c/v  
 84146 Prolactin  
 84702 Chorionic Gonadotropin Test  
 84703 Chorionic Gonadotropin Assay  
 85002 Bleeding Time  
 85004 Blood Count  
 85007 Blood Count, Blood Smear

85008 Blood Count, Blood Smear  
85009 Blood Count, Manual  
85060 Blood Smear, Peripheral  
85097 Bone Marrow Interpretation  
85390 Fibrinolysins or Coagulopathy Screen  
85396 Coagulation/Fibrinolysis Assay  
85535 Iron Stain, Blood Cells  
85651 RBC Sedimentation Rate, non-automated  
85652 RBC Sedimentation Rate, automated  
86077 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86078 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86079 Blood Bank Physician Services  
86308 Heterophile Antibodies; Screening  
86317 Immunoassay, Infectious Agent  
86318 Immunoassay, Infectious Agent  
86481 Tb ag response t-cell susp  
86485 Skin Test, Candida  
86486 Skin Test, Unlisted Antigen  
86490 Coccidioidomycosis Skin Test  
86510 Histoplasmosis Skin Test  
86580 Tb Intradermal Test  
86585 Tb Tine Test  
86588 Streptococcus, Direct Screen  
86631 Chlamydia, Antibody  
86632 Chlamydia, IGM, Antibody  
86701 Anitbody; HIV-1  
86702 Anitbody; HIV-2  
86703 Anitbody; HIV-1 and HIV-2, Single Assay  
86710 Influenza Virus  
86805 Lymphocytotoxicity Assay  
86806 Lymphocytotoxicity Assay  
86807 Serum Screening for Cytotoxic Percent  
86808 Serum Screening for Cytotoxic Percent  
86812 HLA Typing A, B or C  
86813 HLA Typing A, B or C  
86816 HLA Typing DR/DQ  
86817 HLA Typing DR/DQ  
86821 Tissue Typing Lymphocyte Culture  
86822 Tissue Typing Lymphocyte Culture  
86825 Human Leukocyte Antigen  
86826 Human Leukocyte Antigen  
87081 Bacteria Culture Screen  
87164 Dark Field Examination  
87166 Dark Field Examination  
87172 Pinworm exam  
87205 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87206 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87207 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87208 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87210 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87211 Smear, Stain & Interpret  
87220 Tissue Exam for Fungi

87490 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87491 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87492 Chylmd Trach, DNA, Quant  
 87550 Mycobacteria, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87551 Mycobacteria, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87552 Mycobacteria, DNA, Quant  
 87555 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87556 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87557 M. Tuberculo, DNA, Quant  
 87560 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87561 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87562 M. Avium-Intra, DNA, Quant  
 87590 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87591 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Dir Probe  
 87592 N. Gonorrhoeae, DNA, Amp Probe  
 87802 Infectious Agent Antigen Detection  
 87804 Influenza  
 87810 Chlamydia Trachomatis  
 87850 N. Gonorrhoeae, Assay w/ Optic  
 87880 Strep A Assay w/ Optic  
 88104 Cytopathology, Fluids  
 88106 Cytopathology, Fluids  
 88107 Cytopathology, Fluids  
 88108 Cytopathology, Concentration Technique  
 88112 Cytopathology, Concentration Technique  
 88120 Cyp urne 3-5 probes ea spec (Office with contracted pathologist only)  
 88121 Cyp urne 3-5 probes cmpr (Office with contracted pathologist only)  
 88125 Cytopathology, Forensic  
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 88140 Chromatin Identification Peripheral Blood Smear  
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 88291 Cytogenetics and Molecular Cytogenetics  
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 88331 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
 88332 Pathology Consult in Surgery



88333 Pathology Consult in Surgery  
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 88342 Immunocytochemistry  
 88344 Immunocytochemistry  
 88346 Immunofluorescent Study  
 88348 Electron Microscopy Diagnostic  
 88349 Scanning Electron Microscopy  
 88350 Immunofluorescence Per Spec Add Single AntB Stain  
 88355 Morphometric Analysis Skeletal Muscle  
 88356 Morphometric Analysis Nerve  
 88358 Morphometric Analysis; Tumor  
 88360 Morphometric Analysis; Tumor  
 88361 Morphometric Analysis; Tumor  
 88362 Nerve Teasing Preparations  
 88365 In Situ Hybridization (EG, Fish)  
 88363 Xm archive tissue molec anal  
 88368 Morphometric Analysis  
 88371 Protein Analysis of Tissue by Western Blot  
 88375 Optical endomicroscopic image(s)  
 88380 Microdissection  
 88381 Microdissection  
 88384 Array Based Evaluation of Multiple Molecular Probes  
 88385 Array Based Evaluation of Multiple Molecular Probes  
 88386 Array Based Evaluation of Multiple Molecular Probes  
 88387 Macroscopic Examination  
 88388 Macroscopic Examination  
 88399 Surgical Pathology Procedure  
 88720 Bilirubin, Total, Transcutaneous  
 88738 Hemoglobin (HGB), Quantitative, Trancutaneous  
 88740 Hemoglobin (HGB), Quantitative, Trancutaneous  
 88741 Hemoglobin (HGB), Quantitative, Trancutaneous  
 89050 Body Fluid Cell Count  
 89051 Body Fluid Cell Count  
 89060 Exam, Synovial Fluid Crystals  
 89100 Sample Intestinal Contents  
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 89250 Culture and Fert Oocyte(S)  
 89251 Culture Oocyte w/ Embryos  
 89252 Assist Oocyte Fertilization  
 89253 Embryo Hatching  
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 89257 Sperm Identification  
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89261 Sperm Isolation, Complex  
89264 Sperm Tissue Identify  
89300 Semen Analysis  
89310 Semen Analysis  
89320 Semen Analysis  
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89346 Storage, Per Year (Oocytes)  
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89360 Collect Sweat for Test  
89365 Water Load Test  
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#### **BACKGROUND**

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#### **RELATED POLICIES**

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