



MEMORANDUM

À / To: All clients
De / From: The Laboratory
Objet / Subject : New methodology for ESR
Date: August 24th 2012

Dear Valued Clients,

CDL Laboratories is proud to announce the acquisition of a completely automated instrument for the measurement of ESR (erythrocyte sedimentation rate).

The specimen required for this new ESR methodology is a lavender tube. This is the same specimen type presently being used for the complete blood count (CBC); therefore, the black vacutainer tube is no longer required and will be collected by our couriers.

The stability for this new methodology is 24 hours, at 2-8°C.

Please take note of the new reference intervals:

Gender	Reference Interval
Male	0 – 14
Female	0 – 29

The CDL code will remain the same i.e. SEDI, and the cost remains the same.

If you require information regarding this memo, please do not hesitate to contact the laboratory at: (514)-344-8022 ext. 223.

The Laboratory.