



# LABORATORY UPDATE

April 14th, 2015

## LOW-RISK HPV SCREENING

Effective Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup> 2015, Enzo Clinical Labs, Inc. will no longer offer low risk HPV testing on the Digene Hybrid Capture platform. National coverage policies from most major insurance companies no longer reimburse due to the lack of clinical significance associated with low risk HPV as a screening test.

As a result, the following test codes will no longer be offered at Enzo Clinical Labs, Inc. (alternative testing options are available):

Test Code	Test Name
7852	HPV DNA, LR, Hybrid Capture, ThinPrep
3187	HPV DNA, Low-Risk, Hybrid Capture
8854	HPV DNA, LR, Hybrid Capture, SurePath
3185*	<i>HPV DNA, High-Risk, Hybrid Capture</i>

\*This test is performed on the same platform as the low-risk testing, therefore it is no longer offered.

ThinPrep<sup>®</sup> and Surepath<sup>™</sup> samples will still be accepted at Enzo and run for high-risk HPV on the Roche cobas<sup>®</sup> platform.

We appreciate the continued opportunity to serve you and your patients and welcome any questions or concerns you may have. For further technical information, you can contact our Molecular Supervisor, Michael Mordente, directly at (631) 755-5500, extension #424, or your Enzo Sales Representative.

Thank you,

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