

SPECIMEN SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES – July 2015

- HIV-1 Integrase Genotype Assay added to the Molecular Test Menu and some minor changes.

TEST METHODS AND SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS (As of July, 2015)				
Form	Test	Summary of Changes	Old Specimen Requirement	CURRENT Requirement
Test Specification	HIV-1 Integrase Genotype	Added new form Minimum Viral load requirement changed to from ≥ 1000 copies to ≥ 2000 copies/ml obtained within last 30 days. Viroseq HIV-1 Integrase Genotype assay can be performed with viral loads values between 1000-2000 cp/ml but the genotype sequence may not be obtained.		New
Molecular Clinical Test Request Form	HIV-1 Integrase Genotype	Added new Test		New