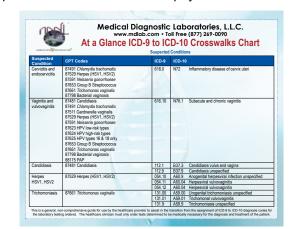
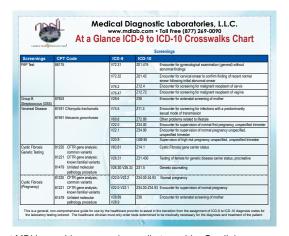
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ICD-10

October 1, 2015 marked the compliance date established by the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) for health care providers, health plans and health care clearinghouses to transition to the 10th revision of The International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10) Coding System. ICD-10 codes, which are based on three to seven letters and numbers, offer more extensive classification options than the previous ICD-9 codes to establish the medical necessity for all laboratory tests performed and submitted for payment.





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To obtain a copy of the ICD-10 crosswalks card above, please contact MDL's graphics group via email at graphics@mdlab.com.

#### **ICD-10 RESOURCES:**

- American Medical Association (AMA)
- Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
- American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA)
- Healthcare Information and Management Systems (HIMSS)

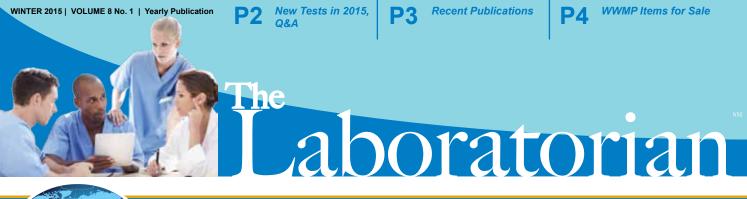
#### New 2015 CDC Treatment Guidelines

June 2015 marked the release of updated treatment guidelines for sexually transmitted diseases (STD) from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The new guidelines which update previous guidelines last released in 2010 discuss:

- Alternative treatment regimens for Neisseria gonorrhoeae.
- The use of nucleic acid amplification tests for the diagnosis of trichomoniasis.
- Alternative treatment options for genital warts.
- The role of Mycoplasma genitalium in urethritis/cervicitis and treatment-related implications.
- Updated HPV vaccine recommendations and counseling messages.
- The management of persons who are transgender.
- Annual testing for hepatitis C in persons with HIV infection.
- Updated recommendations for diagnostic evaluation of urethritis.
- Retesting to detect repeat infection.

Physicians and other health-care providers can use these guidelines to assist in the prevention and treatment of STDs. Complete guidelines can be viewed online at <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/std/treatment">www.cdc.gov/std/treatment</a>.

To obtain a copy of MDL's Summary of Treatment Guidelines booklet which is based on the Summary of 2015 CDC Treatment Guidelines (CS253348), please contact MDL's graphics group via email at graphics@mdlab.com.





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71011014	Extra-Large	1000/case	\$85.00

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71011002	Medium	1000/case	\$85.00
71011003	Large	1000/case	\$85.00
71011004	Extra-Large	1000/case	\$85.00

## New Tests Released in

*2015* 

In the last year, MDL was proud to release many innovative tests and newly validated specimen sources. In order to take full advantage of the tests available, clients are encouraged to update their Electronic Medical Record (EMR) systems with the information below:

Test No.	Test Name	Validation
1221	BRCA1/2: Comprehensive BRCAAnalysis by Gene Sequencing with Deletion/Duplication Analysis	Mouthwash
1222	BRCA1/2: Ashkenazi Jewish 3-site Mutation Analysis	Mouthwash
1223	BRCA1/2: Ashkenazi Jewish 3-site Mutation Analysis (Reflex to Comprehensive BRCAAnalysis) (* If the Ashkenazi Jewish 3-site Mutation Analysis is negative, reflex to 1221)	Mouthwash
551	Candida albicans by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
576	Candida dubliniensis by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
559	Candida glabrata by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
578	Candida kefyr by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
566	Candida krusei by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
577	Candida lusitaniae by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
558	Candida parapsilosis by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
557	Candida tropicalis by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
713	HPV Type-Detect® 3.0 by Next Generation Sequencing	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
714	HPV Type-Detect® 3.0 by Next Generation Sequencing (High Risk Subtypes Only)	Validated on <i>UroSwab® both males &amp; females</i>
190	HPV-16 & HPV-18 by Multiplex Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females
129	Mycoplasma genitalium by Real-Time PCR (Reflex to azithromycin and fluoroquinolone resistance by Pyrosequencing)	Added fluoroquinolone resistance <i>OneSwab</i> ®, <i>UroSwab</i> ® & Thin-Prep®
575	Urogenital Candidiasis Panel (C. albicans, C. glabrata, C. parapsilosis, C. tropicalis) by Real-Time PCR	Validated on UroSwab® both males & females



#### Quality Assurance

#### Question:

I have a particular interest in one of the pathogens tested for by your laboratory. Is it possible to collaborate on a research study with your lab?

#### Answer:

Through its multiple discipline integrated division-based scientific strategy, our Research and Development Department encourages and supports the creation of innovative projects in the fields of Microbiology, Women's Health and Gynecology, Pediatric Infectious Diseases, Cancer, Genetic Immunology, and Pharmacogenomics. This state-of-the-art research program promotes and fosters research collaborations and strategic partnerships with local, national and international Universities, Research Institutes and Biopharma companies. Please call 877.269.0090 for more information or visit our Research & Development page at www.mdlab.com/company/research-development.

If you have a question you would like addressed in future issues, please email your question(s) to QAQ&A@mdlab.com.

#### Recent Publications



#### Femeris Women's Health Research Center:

- 1. Schuyler JA, Mordechai E, Adelson ME, Gygax SE, and Hilbert DW. 2015. Draft genome sequence of metronidazole-resistant derivative of *Gardnerella vaginalis* strain ATCC 14019. *Genome Announc.* **3(6)**: e01345-15. PMID: 26564054.
- 2. Schuyler JA, Mordechai E, Adelson ME, Sobel JD, Gygax SE, and Hilbert DW. 2015. Identification of intrinsically metronidazole-resistant clades of *Gardnerella vaginalis*. *Diagn Microbiol Infect Dis*. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 26514076.
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- 4. Schuyler JA, Chadwick SG, Mordechai E, Adelson ME, Gygax SE, and Hilbert DW. 2015. Draft genome sequence of metronidazole-resistant *Gardnerella vaginalis* isolate. *Genome Announc*. 3(5), pii: e00992-15. PMID: 26337887



#### Medical Diagnostic Laboratories, L.L.C.:

1. Yu RY, Brazaitis J, and Gallagher G. 2015. The human IL-23 receptor rs11209026 A allele promotes the expression of a soluble IL-23R-encoding mRNA species. *J Immunol.* 194(3):1062-8. PMID: 25552541.



#### **Oncoveda Cancer Research Center:**

- 1. Pallai R, Bhaskar A, Barnett-Bernodat N, Gallo-Ebert C, Nickels JT, and Rice LM. 2015. Cancerous inhibitor of protein phosphatase 2A promotes premature chromosome segregation and aneuploidy in prostate cancer cells through association with shugoshin. *Tumour Biol.* 36(8):6067-74. PMID: 25736928.
- Pallai R, Bhaskar A, Barnett-Bernodat N, Gallo-Ebert C, Pusey M, Nickels JT, Rice LM. 2015. Leucine-rich repeat-containing protein 59 mediates nuclear import of cancerous inhibitor of PP2A in prostate cancer cells. *Tumour Biol.* 36(8):6383-90. PMID: 25833693.



#### **Metabolic Disorders Institute:**

1. Joseph BK, Liu HY, Francisco J, Pandya D, Donigan M, Gallo-Ebert C, Giordano C, Bata A, and Nickels JT Jr. 2015. Inhibition of AMP kinase by the protein phosphatase 2A heterotrimer, PP2APpp2r2d. *J Biol Chem.* 290(17):10588-98. PMID: 25694423

#### Abstracts (2015):



#### Venenum Biodesign:

1. Stroke I, Ma L, Letourneau L, Cole A, Li Y, Marinelli B, Malone J, Paulish-Miller T, Pechik I, Quintero J, Sabalski J, Savoly D, Wang A, Hilbert DW, Gygax S, Miller DK, Stein P, and Webb M. 2015. Miniaturized assays for RhoA inactivation through glucosylation by *Clostridium difficile* toxin. 4th Annual Conference & Exhibition for the Society of Laboratory Automation & Screening (SLAS 2015), February 7-11, 2015, Washington, D.C.

#### Femeris:

#### Femeris Women's Health Research Center (MDL):

- 1. Hilbert DW, Adelson ME, Mordechai E, Sobel JD, and Gygax SE. 2015. Utilization of molecular methods to evaluate vaginal microbiota in a longitudinal study of recurrent bacterial vaginosis. 2015 Infectious Diseases Society for OB/GYN Annual Meeting (IDSOG), August 6-8, 2015, Portland, Oregon.
- 2. Zimmerman J, Mordechai E, Adelson ME, Hilbert DW, and Gygax SE. 2015. *Mycoplasma genitalium* prevalence & azithromycin & fluoroquinolone resistance. 2015 Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (ICAAC), September 17-21, 2015, San Diego, California.



#### Institute of Metabolic Disorders (MDL):

1. Nickels J. 2015. Arv1 regulates the onset of nonalcoholic fatty liver disease. Gordon Research Conferences – 2015 Conference: Lipids, Molecular & Cellular Biology, July 26-31, 2015, Waterville Valley, New Hampshire.