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CHANGE TO ACTIVATED PROTEIN-C RESISTANCE REFERENCE INTERVALS

Effective March 27, 2024 our special coagulation lab will be switching to a new lot of reagent for Activated Protein-C Resistance (APCR) test. The change in reagent will result in a new cut value to indicate an abnormal APCR result. A summary of the new reference interval can be seen below.

APCR REFERENCE INTERVAL CHANGES

| | Current | Effective March 27 |
|------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| Abnormality – Abnormal | <=2.13 | <=2.23 |
| Reference Range | > 2.13 | > 2.23 |

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