

N.C. State Laboratory of Public Health: CPT Codes

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Lab Area/Test(s) Performed	CPT Code	Notes
HemaChemistry		
• Blood Lead	83655	
Microbiology		
Bacteriology		
• Culture, presumptive	87081	Pathogenic organism screening only
• Routine culture, stool	87045	Salmonella/Shigella
• Routine Culture, stool, enteric	87046	For campy, yersenia, vibrio, ECO157, each plate
• Culture, screening, non-stool	87070	From primary source
• Culture, definitive	87077	Additional methods required for definitive ID
• Culture, serologic	87147	Agglutination group
• 16S	87153	
• Biolog	87158	
• VRSA E-test	87181	
• VRSA sensititre	87186	
• Bordetella, DFA	87265	Direct Fluorescent Antibody
• Bordetella, PCR	87798	
• Legionella, DFA	87278	
• Shiga Toxin, EIA	87427	Enzyme Immunoassay
• GC, nucleic acid direct probe	87590	Neisseria gonorrhoeae
Mycology		
• Fungi, culture and presumptive ID	87101	Skin, hair or nail samples
• Fungi, culture and presumptive ID	87102	Other sources, except blood
• Fungi, culture and presumptive ID	87103	Blood
• Culture, yeast, definitive ID	87106	
• Culture, mold, definitive ID	87107	
• Actinomyces definitive ID	87118	
• Homogenization of tissue	87176	
• Complex stains	87206	
• Wet mounts	87210	KOH, India Ink preps
Parasitology		
• Cryptosporidium/Giardia	87328/87329	ImmunoStat Card, Qualitative
• Special stains, except acid fast	87209	
• Acid Fast stain	87206	
• Ova and Parasite ID	87177	O & P
• Ectoparasite	87220	KOH exam
Microbiology, cont.		
Tuberculosis (TB)		
• Culture concentration and isolation	87116	
• HPLC	87143	High pressure liquid chromatography
• Identification by probe	87149	Nucleic acid probe
• Identification by PCR	87798	
• Macrobroth dilution method	87188	
• Conventional drug test	87190	
• Smear	87206	Fluorescent, acid fast, gram stain

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Newborn Screening/Hemoglobinopathy	CPT Code	Notes
• Amino acids, 6 or more	82139	Part of routine NB screening panel; quantitative
• (includes PKU screening)		
• Acylcarnitines	82017	Part of routine NB screening panel; quantitative
• Hemoglobin, fractionation	83021	HPLC (High Performance Liquid Chromatography), screen for sickle cell, A2, etc.
• Hemoglobin, fractionation	83020	IEF (Isoelectric focusing), follow-up
• Cystic Fibrosis, Screening	83520	IRT (Immunoreactive trypsinogen)
• Cystic Fibrosis, DNA	81220	Direct Nucleic Acid, follow-up test
• Total Galactose	82760	
• GALT	82775	
• GALT DNA	81401	Follow-up test for GALT and T. Galactose
• Biotinidase	82261	
• Thyroxine, neonatal	84437	
• Thyroid stimulating hormone	84443	TSH
• Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia (CAH)	83498	
Virology/Serology		
Bacterial STD		
Syphilis		
• Non Treponemal, Qualitative	86592	Screen
• Non-Treponemal, Quantitative	86593	Titer
• Treponemal, Confirmation	86780	
Chlamydia/GC		
• Chlamydia trachomatis	87491	NAAT (Nucleic acid amplification test)
• Neisseria gonorrhoeae	87591	NAAT
Serology		
HIV		
• HIV-1 RNA	87535	Confirmation
• Multi-spot HIV-1/2	86703	Rapid test; confirmation, with HIV-2
• HIV Ag/Ab Combo	87389	Screen; 4 th Generation HIV test
Hepatitis		
• Hepatitis B, core, total antibody	86704	
• Hepatitis B, core, IgM, antibody	86705	
• Hepatitis B, surface antibody	86706	
• Hepatitis B, surface antigen	87340	EIA, Screening
• Hepatitis C, Anti-HCV CMIA	86803	HCV screening method*
• Hepatitis C, HCV RNA	87521	HCV confirmation*
• Hepatitis B, surface antigen	87341	Confirmation
• Hepatitis A, IgM, antibody	86709	
Rubella IgM & IgG	86762	
Special Serology		
• Arbovirus:		
LaCrosse Encephalitis	86651	
Eastern Equine Encephalitis	86652	
St. Louis Encephalitis	86653	

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Virology/Serology, cont.		
Western Equine Encephalitis	86654	
West Nile Virus	86788	
Molecular testing (NAAT)	87798	LaCrosse, West Nile and Eastern Equine
• Influenza HAI	86280	
• Rickettsia	86757	Includes, Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever
• Q Fever	86638	
• Mumps	86735	
• Measles	86765	
• Ehrlichia	86666	
• Virus antibody nos	86790	Zika IgM Serology
Viral Culture/Rabies		
• Virus Culture	87252	Includes Herpes culture
• Virus Culture, typing	87140	
• Varicella zoster	87290	Direct specimen testing
• Rabies, Direct specimen testing	87299	DFA
• Herpes simplex virus	87529	HSV-1 PCR & HSV-2 PCR