

Laboratory Technical Bulletin

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Title: Change in eGFR Comment

Test: eGFR

Explanation of change:

	Old	New
eGFR Comment	eGFR is estimated using the 2021 CKD-EPI equation. Methods that use Cystatin C are recommended to confirm estimated GFR in adults who are at risk for or have chronic kidney disease. eGFR decreases with age.	eGFR is estimated using the 2021 CKD-EPI equation. An eGFR less than 60 mL/min/1.73m2 suggests kidney disease in those younger than 65 years. Values below this threshold in those 65 years or older may not suggest CKD. Methods that use cystatin C are recommended to confirm estimated GFR in adults
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