

7<sup>th</sup> July 2020

**Re: Change of test code for Centromere Antibodies testing.**

Dear Colleague,

It has been brought to our attention that our referral lab has made some recent changes when requesting Centromere antibodies testing.

The lab has updated the test code used when requesting Centromere antibodies, the new test code to use going forward is CENT.

Test Code	Test Description	Sample Requirement
CENT	Centromere Antibodies	X1 Serum sample. Sample must be spun, separated and frozen within 24 hours.

If you would like additional information regarding this test please do not hesitate to contact us on 1800 303 349 or email us at [info@medlabpathology.ie](mailto:info@medlabpathology.ie).

Yours sincerely,



**Dr Eibhlis O'Donovan – Medical Director**  
**MRCPI FRCPathUK Dip Cyto RCPATHUK**