

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To: All Participating Providers: **Special Attention: Office Staff**
Date: **May 1, 2015**
Re: **Approved Lab Services outside of Quest Capitated Agreement**

This memo serves as a reminder that Simply Healthcare Plans, Better Health and Clear Health Alliance have a delegated lab network for all test preformed for members in our plans. The approved and contracted lab vendor is Quest Diagnostics. **All labs need to go to Quest Diagnostics but in order to expedite service we are allowing the following tests to be done at the Provider's office.** If you have any questions please contact Provider Services toll-free at (877) 915-0551.

FOR PCPs and PEDIATRICIANS

All Fee for Service PCPs and Pediatricians can perform the below labs / tests in their office and receive reimbursement. The labs must be done in their offices NOT drawn and sent to an external lab other than Quest.

- CBC 85025 - 85027
- Hemoglobin & A1C 85018, 85014
- Tuberculosis 86580
- Influenza test 87400
- Complete metabolic panel 80053
- Cholesterol 80061
- Rapid Strep 87880
- Urinalysis 81000 – 81005
- Urine Microalbumin 82043 - 82044
- Urine pregnancy test 81025
- Lipid Panel 80061
- Lead Screening 83655

FOR SPECIALISTS

Fee for Service Specialists listed below can perform the labs / tests noted by specialty in their office and receive reimbursement. The labs must be done in their offices NOT drawn and sent to an external lab other than Quest.

Endocrinologist

- Creatinine 82565 - 82575
- Free T4 84439
- Glucose/TSH 84443, 82947 – 82948, 82950
- Hemoglobin A1C% 83036 - 83036
- U/A 81000 – 81005
- Urine microalbumin 82043 - 82044

Gastro

- Pathology codes 88305, 88312, 88313, 88342

Hematology

- Basic metabolic panel 80047 - 80048
- C Reactive Protein 86140 - 86141
- CBC and CBC with differential 85025 - 85027
- Complete metabolic panel 80053
- Hemoglobin, hematocrit 85018; 85014
- Magnesium 83735
- Peripheral smear 85060
- Platelet Count 85008
- UA 81000 - 81099

Nephrologist

- CBC 85025 - 85027
- Creatinine Electrolytes 82565 - 82575
- Hemoglobin 85018
- Complete metabolic panel 80053
- U/A 81000 – 81005
- Urine microalbumin 82043 - 82044

OB/GYN

- CBC 85025 - 85027
- Hemoglobin 85018
- Complete metabolic panel 80053
- Pap smear 88174 – 88175, 88164 – 88167, 88150, 88152 - 88154
- UA 81000 – 81005 , 81025
- Urine pregnancy test 81025

Pain Management

- Drug testing (Medicare) G0431
- Drug testing (Medicaid) 80300 - 80304

Urology

- CBC 85025 - 85027
- UA 81000 – 81005

Exceptions - Finlay Labs can do services for I & IE members only.