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Implementation of a new Rapid Test for Infectious Mononucleosis

Audience: Internal, External and Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital

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The Division of Hematological Pathology will be implementing a new rapid test using direct solid phase immunoassay technology for the qualitative detection of Infectious Mononucleosis heterophile antibodies. The new method, BioSign® Mono Rapid test by Princeton BioMeditech, will replace the current Monospot Agglutination method.

The new test code will be RMONO (RAPID Mono Test) and the old test code MONO (Monospot) will no longer be available.

Please refer to patient reports for details, results will continue to be reported as 'Positive' or 'Negative'. If you require further information, please don't hesitate to contact us.