## ALLINA HEALTH LABORATORY

## Test update

**Test name:** Bile acids

**Test #:** 13347

Notification date: April 27, 2020

Effective date: May 11, 2020

## **Q**UICK REFERENCE

LabCorp has announced changes to the specimen requirements for the Bile acids assay (13347/LAB13347) which will go into effect on May 11, 2020.

## **DETAILS**

Requirement	Current	New
Specimen type (preferred)	Serum – Gold SST	No change
Specimen type (alternate)	Serum - Red	Serum (red), EDTA plasma (lavender) or heparin plasma (Dk green)
Processing	Gold SST – Spin Red – spin and separate	Gold SST – Spin Red/lavender/Dk green – spin and separate

