

# TEST UPDATE

## SARS CoV-2, Molecular Detection, BAL or Bronchial Washings

### UVMMMC

Effective 11/12/2024, Mayo Clinic Laboratories will replace its Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2 (SARS CoV-2) RNA Detection, PCR (Mayo Test ID COVID) with the new test, SARS CoV-2, Molecular Detection (Mayo Test ID HPCOV) due to a test migration to a new platform. This test is for BAL or bronchial washings samples only as these specimen types are not validated at UVMMMC.

Test Build Information:

New Orderable	Epic Code	Atlas Code	Mayo Test ID	Order LOINC	CPT Code
SARS CoV-2 RNA, PCR, BAL or Bronchial washings	LAB17711	LAB17711	HPCOV	94559-2	87635
Result Component(s):	Epic Code	Atlas Code	Mayo Test ID	Result LOINC	Notes
SARS CoV-2 RNA, PCR	12301020414	M614021	614021	94559-2	
SARS CoV-2 RNA, PCR Source	12301020415	MHPCVS	HPCVS	31208-2	AOE
Specimen Requirements:					
Container	Specimen	Temperature	Collect Vol	Submit Vol	Min Vol
Sterile Container	BAL or Bronchial washings	Frozen	0.6 mL	0.6 mL	0.3 mL
Collection Information:					
Stability: Frozen (preferred) = 14 days; Refrigerated = 72 hours					
Do Not aliquot into viral transport media.					

Orderable to be Discontinued	Epic Code	Atlas Code	Mayo Test ID	Order LOINC	CPT Code
SARS CoV-2 RNA, PCR, BAL or Bronchial washings	LAB17673	LAB17673	COVID	94500-6	87635

For questions regarding these changes, contact UVMMMC Lab Outreach at [laboutreach@uvmhealth.org](mailto:laboutreach@uvmhealth.org).

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