



# NETWORK Notification

**Notice Date:** June 1, 2023  
**To:** Georgia Medicaid Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** May 2023 Avalon Q4 2022 Quarterly Laboratory Policy Updates  
**Effective Dates:** May 31, 2023 and September 1, 2023

## Summary

CareSource has partnered with Avalon Healthcare Solutions for laboratory benefits management (LBM), including routine testing management (RTM), a post-service pre-payment clinical claim editing program for routine lab testing.

The RTM program is based on ensuring compliance with the lab policies located on [Avalon's website](#).

This notification is intended to provide you notification of changes to the policies listed below. The policies appear on Avalon website upon their effective dates.

## Policies

Policy Name	Plans	Effective Date
G2005 Vitamin D Testing	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2009 Preventative Screening in Adults	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2011 Diagnostic Testing of Iron Homeostasis and Metabolism	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2013 Testosterone	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2042 Pediatric Preventative Screening	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2045 Thyroid Disease Testing	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2055 Prenatal Screening for Fetal Aneuploidy	Georgia Medicaid	May 31, 2023
G2056 Diagnosis of Idiopathic Environmental Intolerance	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
G2174 Coronavirus Testing in the Outpatient Setting	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
M2141 Testing of Homocysteine Metabolism-Related Conditions	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
M2176 Testing for Autism Spectrum Disorder and Developmental Delay	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023
P2018 Immunohistochemistry	Georgia Medicaid	September 1, 2023