

MEMORANDUM

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Subject: Change of 24-Hour Urine Protein Concentration Reference Range

Please note that the reference range for 24-hour urine protein concentration has been changed to 0.01-0.14 g/L in accordance with that recommended by the literature. ¹

If you have any questions, please contact <u>Bassam.Nassar@cdha.nshealth.ca</u> at (902) 473-2225 or <u>Shauna.Thompson@cdha.nshealth.ca</u> at (902) 473-4065.

Thank you for your attention.

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Reference:

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