



Dear Clinical Staff,

Lipid Panel ordering changes must be implemented through December 2025 due to a lipoprotein (a) reagent shortage:

**Standard Lipid Panel:** LDL, HDL, Triglycerides, Total Cholesterol  
Epic Code 500408 (Lipid Panel, Serum)

**Advanced Lipid Panel:** Standard Lipid Panel, Lipoprotein (a) Apolipoprotein B  
Epic Code 580521 (LIPID PANEL, ADVANCED, CARDIO IQ (R))

Please see the chart below for more clarification on our path forward:

EPIC Test Name and Code	Soft Test
Ordering Option	
LIPID PANEL (500408)	BLIPD: TRIGL CHOLE LDL HDL
LIPID PANEL, ADVANCED, CARDIO IQ <sup>®</sup> (580521)	QG040: TRIGL CHOLE HDL LDL APOB LIPOA (Delayed)

We apologize for any inconvenience this issue may cause. If you have any questions, please call our Client Services team at extension 4120 or via email at [ClinRefLabs@NJHealth.org](mailto:ClinRefLabs@NJHealth.org).

Sincerely,

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