

## **Chlamydia Trachomatis IgM DISCONTINUED**

Chlamydia trachomatis IgM testing will be discontinued due to low sensitivity. We strongly recommend PCR testing using urethral/high vaginal swabs or 1<sup>st</sup> morning urine.

Chlamydia trachomatis IgA antibodies in serum are still available – however, less recommended.

Benefit: PCR has higher sensitivity in detecting acute infection.

Sample material: Urethral/high vaginal swabs or 1st morning urine

Method: PCR

TAT: Germany, 5-7 days