

Blood Lead: Capillary and Venous

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Per CDC guidelines, reference ranges will be updated for Blood Lead Capillary (PBCAP) and Blood Lead Venous (PBVEN) testing.

For ages 0-5 years, the reference range will be \leq 3.4 µg/dL. For ages \geq 6 years, the reference range will be \leq 5.0 µg/dL.

With this change Blood Lead values will now be rounded and reported to one decimal place. The reporting comments have been updated as well.

For additional information, visit the URMC Laboratory Test Directory https://www.testmenu.com/rochester

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