



Laboratory Services Important Test Announcement

UPDATES TO THYROID PROFILE TESTING OPTIONS

Test Code: **THYP**

Live Date: **10/21/2025**

To stay abreast of current best practices and evidenced-based guidelines, NCH introduced a new Thyroid Reflex Test (TSHFT4) in March 2025 that would result in a Free T4 being added only when the TSH result is outside of the normal range (high or low).

Effective October 21, 2025, the Thyroid Profile (**THYP**) which includes both TSH and Free T4, will no longer be orderable.

Alternatively, clinicians will be able to order the following:

- TSH with Reflex to FT4 (TSHFT4)
- TSH (TSH3G) and Free T4 (FT4) can be ordered individually

To determine when it is appropriate to perform thyroid dysfunction in children, clinicians can refer to our Thyroid Function and Screening Practice Tool on our website: [Practice Tool: Thyroid Function and Screening](#).

If you have any additional questions about **THYP**, please call Client Services at 614-722-5477.



