



**To:** Carter BloodCare Customers  
**From:** Hospital Relations Department  
**Date:** November 1, 2018  
**Re:** UPDATE - Licensed Zika Virus Assay

### **Licensed Procleix Zika Virus Assay**

Blood products are currently tested for Zika under an investigational NAT. This test will be replaced beginning the week of November 26, 2018 with the FDA approved Procleix Zika virus assay and blood products will no longer be labeled as tested for Zika under an investigational NAT. The fee for Zika testing will remain the same through December 31, 2108.

The licensed Zika testing fees will be applied beginning January 1, 2019. As the pricing information becomes available to us, we will let you know.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns.