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<i>PATIENT ID</i>	<i>VISIT NUMBER</i>	<i>LAB TEST DATE</i>	<i>sodium</i>
200	1	07/06/2006	14.0
200	2	07/13/2006	14.4
200	1	07/06/2006	14.0
200	4	07/13/2006	14.0
200	4	07/13/2006	14.0
200	5	07/21/2006	14.2
200	6	07/29/2006	14.3
200	7	08/04/2006	14.2
200	7	08/04/2006	14.2
200	8	08/11/2006	14.1
200	9	09/12/2006	13.9
200	9	09/13/2006	13.9
200	9	09/13/2006	13.9
200	10	10/13/2006	14.0
201	1	07/07/2006	13.8
201	2	07/14/2006	14.0
201	2	07/14/2006	14.0
201	4	07/26/2006	14.3
201	5	07/21/2006	14.4
201	6	07/29/2006	13.4
201	7	08/04/2006	13.5
201	8	08/11/2006	13.5
201	9	09/12/2006	13.2
201	10	10/13/2006	13.1
202	1	07/07/2006	13.9
202	2	07/14/2006	13.8
202	4	07/26/2006	14.0
202	5	07/21/2006	14.0
202	6	07/29/2006	13.9
202	6	07/29/2006	13.9
202	7	08/04/2006	13.9
202	8	08/11/2006	14.0
202	9	09/12/2006	14.0
202	10	10/13/2006	14.0
203	1	09/14/2006	13.9
203	2	09/29/2006	13.9
203	4	09/29/2006	13.8
203	5	10/06/2006	14.2
203	6	10/13/2006	14.3

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203	7	10/20/2006	14.2
203	8	10/27/2006	14.2
203	9	01/08/2007	13.9
203	10	12/30/2006	14.3
204	1	09/14/2006	14.5
204	2	09/29/2006	14.4
204	4	09/29/2006	14.1
204	5	10/06/2006	14.6
204	6	10/13/2006	14.5
204	7	10/20/2006	14.4
204	8	10/27/2006	14.4
204	9	01/08/2007	14.5
204	10	01/08/2007	14.2
205	1	10/09/2006	13.9
205	2	10/27/2006	14.0
205	4	10/27/2006	13.8
205	5	11/03/2006	13.9
205	6	11/10/2006	14.0
205	7	11/20/2006	14.0
205	8	11/24/2006	14.0
205	9	12/26/2006	14.3
205	10	02/02/2007	14.1
206	1	11/22/2006	14.5
206	2	12/06/2006	14.0
206	4	12/08/2006	14.5
206	5	12/15/2006	14.2
206	6	12/22/2006	14.4
206	7	02/07/2007	14.6
206	8	01/05/2007	14.4
206	9	02/07/2007	14.5
207	1	11/24/2006	13.7
207	2	12/08/2006	14.1
207	4	12/08/2006	14.4
207	5	12/15/2006	13.9
207	6	12/22/2006	14.4
207	7	12/28/2006	14.0
207	8	01/03/2007	13.8
207	9	01/31/2007	13.7
207	10	03/09/2007	13.9

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208	1	11/24/2006	13.7
208	2	12/08/2006	14.1
208	4	12/19/2006	14.1
208	5	12/19/2006	14.1
208	6	12/22/2006	13.9
208	7	03/30/2007	13.9
208	8	01/05/2007	14.0
208	9	03/30/2007	14.0
208	10	03/09/2007	14.0
209	1	02/19/2007	14.0
209	2	02/28/2007	14.0
209	4	03/26/2007	13.9
209	5	03/09/2007	14.2
209	6	03/16/2007	14.5
209	7	03/22/2007	13.8
209	8	03/29/2007	14.0
209	10	03/29/2007	13.8
209	11	04/05/2007	14.0
209	12	04/17/2007	14.1
209	13	06/07/2007	14.2
209	14	04/26/2007	14.1
209	15	05/23/2007	14.0
209	16	06/27/2007	14.1
210	1	02/19/2007	14.0
210	2	02/28/2007	14.2
210	4	03/14/2007	14.1
210	5	03/09/2007	14.4
210	6	03/16/2007	14.5
210	7	03/26/2007	14.3
210	8	03/28/2007	14.1
210	10	07/10/2007	14.2
210	11	04/06/2007	14.2
210	12	04/17/2007	13.9
210	13	04/19/2007	14.2
210	14	04/26/2007	14.1
210	15	05/22/2007	13.8
210	16	06/27/2007	14.3
211	1	02/22/2007	14.0
211	2	03/14/2007	14.0

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<i>PATIENT ID</i>	<i>VISIT NUMBER</i>	<i>LAB TEST DATE</i>	<i>sodium</i>
211	4	03/14/2007	13.7
211	5	03/09/2007	14.5
211	6	03/19/2007	14.4
211	7	03/22/2007	13.7
211	8	03/29/2007	14.0
211	10	06/24/2007	14.2
211	11	04/05/2007	14.0
211	12	04/17/2007	13.8
211	13	04/19/2007	14.3
211	14	04/26/2007	13.9
211	15	05/23/2007	13.8
211	16	06/27/2007	14.0
212	1	04/29/2007	14.3
212	2	05/08/2007	14.2
212	4	05/09/2007	14.3
212	5	05/15/2007	14.3
212	6	05/23/2007	14.1
212	7	05/29/2007	13.9
212	9	06/06/2007	14.1
212	10	06/12/2007	14.0
212	11	06/24/2007	14.0
212	12	06/26/2007	14.2
212	13	07/03/2007	14.3
212	14	08/02/2007	13.9
212	15	09/04/2007	13.9
213	1	05/06/2007	13.8
213	2	05/09/2007	13.8
213	4	06/06/2007	14.0
213	5	05/15/2007	14.2
213	6	05/23/2007	14.1
213	7	05/29/2007	13.7
213	9	06/07/2007	14.1
213	10	06/12/2007	13.9
213	11	06/24/2007	13.9
213	12	06/26/2007	14.0
213	13	07/03/2007	14.0
213	14	08/02/2007	14.1
213	15	09/05/2007	14.0
214	1	06/08/2007	14.1

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214	1	07/03/2007	14.1
214	2	07/17/2007	14.2
214	4	07/12/2007	13.8
214	5	07/17/2007	14.0
214	6	07/24/2007	14.0
214	7	07/31/2007	14.2
214	9	08/28/2007	13.8
214	10	08/14/2007	14.0
214	11	08/28/2007	14.1
214	12	08/29/2007	14.2
214	13	09/04/2007	14.1
214	14	10/02/2007	14.1
214	15	11/07/2007	14.0