

**TABLE 7****Laboratory Changes That Can Occur with Hypoadrenocorticism**

CLINICAL CHEMISTRY	CBC	URINALYSIS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hyperkalemia</li><li>• Hyponatremia</li><li>• Na:K ratio &lt;27</li><li>• Hypochloremia</li><li>• Acidemia</li><li>• ALT elevation</li><li>• Hypoalbuminemia</li><li>• Hypocholesterolemia</li><li>• Azotemia</li><li>• Hypercalcemia</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anemia</li><li>• Absent stress leukogram (± eosinophilia, lymphocytosis)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Urine specific gravity &lt;1.030</li></ul>

ALT, alanine aminotransferase; CBC, complete blood count.

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