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Test Definition: FHSAB

Herpes Simplex Virus 1/2 Antibody (IgM), IFA with Reflex to Titer, Serum

Reporting Title: HSV 1/2 IgM Ab IFA Reflex to Titer
Performing Location: Focus Diagnositics, Inc.

Specimen Requirements:

Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). (Serum gel tube is acceptable.) Spin down and send 1 mL of serum refrigerated.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days
	Frozen	30 days
	Ambient	7 days

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
Z2902	HSV 1 IgM Screen	Alphanumeric		In Process
Z2903	HSV 2 IgM Screen	Alphanumeric		In Process

Components:

Test ID	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Orderable Separately
Billing only	HERPES SIMPLEX TYPE 2	1	86696		
Billing only	HERPES SIMPLEX TEST	1	86695		

Reflex Tests:

Test ID	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Orderable Separately
FHSI	HSV 1 IgM Titer	1	86695	No	No
FHSII	HSV 2 IgM Titer	1	86696	No	No

Result Codes for Reflex Tests:

Test ID	Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
FHSI	Z2904	HSV 1 IgM Titer	Alphanumeric		In Process
FHSII	Z2905	HSV 2 IgM Titer	Alphanumeric		In Process

Reference Values:

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Reference Range: Negative

The IFA procedure for measuring IgM antibodies to HSV 1 and HSV 2 detects both type-common and type-specific HSV antibodies. Thus, IgM reactivity to both HSV 1 and HSV 2 may represent crossreactive HSV antibodies rather than exposure to both HSV 1 and HSV 2.

HSV 1 IgM Titer
HSV 2 IgM Titer