Test Definition: BIL28

Interleukin 28B (IL28B) Polymorphism (rs12979860), Blood

Reporting Title: IL28B Polymorphism Genotype, B

Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Multiple genotype tests can be performed on a single specimen after a single extraction. See Multiple Drug Metabolism Genotype Tests in Special Instructions for a list of tests that can be ordered together.

Container/Tube: Lavender top (EDTA)

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions: Send specimen in original tube.

Additional Information: Patients who had a heterologous blood transfusion within the preceding 45 days (6 weeks), or who have received an allogeneic bone marrow transplant, can have false genetic test results as human DNA present in the blood may be a mixture of patient and donor DNA. For these patients, a saliva specimen (rather than blood) should be submitted for OIL28/61701 Interleukin 28B (IL28B) Polymorphism (rs12979860), Saliva. IL28B is expressed in the liver following HCV-infection. For liver transplant patients, the IL28B genotype of the recipient and the donor are independent predictors of sustained virologic response with combined pegylated-interferon and ribavirin therapy.(4) Forms: New York Clients-Informed consent is required. Please document on the request form or electronic order that a copy is on file. An Informed Consent for Genetic Testing (Supply T576) is available in Special Instructions.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Whole Blood EDTA	Ambient (preferred) Refrigerated	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
34627 IL28B Polymorphism Genotype		Alphanumeric		
34628 IL28B Interpretation		Alphanumeric		
34629	Reviewed by	Numeric		

Components:

Test ID	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Orderable Separately
Billing only	MOLECULE NUCLEIC AMPLI EACH	1	83898		
Billing only	MOLECULAR DIAGNOSTICS	2	83896		

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Billing only	GENETIC EXAMINATION	1	83912		

Reflex Tests:

Test ID	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code		Orderable Separately
NPLXT	Rapid DNA Extraction	1	83890	Yes	No

Result Codes for Reflex Tests:

Test ID	Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
NPLXT	28357	Comment	Alphanumeric		

Reference Values:

Not applicable