
Reporting Title: Cryoglobulin, S
Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Collection Container/Tube: Red top

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 5 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Tube must remain at 37 degrees C.
2. Allow blood to clot at 37 degrees C.
3. Centrifuge at 37 degrees C. (Do not use a refrigerated centrifuge. If absolutely necessary, ambient temperature is acceptable.) It is very important that the specimen remain at 37 degrees C until after separation of serum from red cells.
4. Place serum into an appropriately labeled plastic vial.

Additional Information: Analysis cannot be performed with <3 mL of serum. Smaller volumes are insufficient to detect clinically important trace (mixed) cryoglobulins. Less than 3 mL will require draw of a new specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	
	Frozen	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
2684	Cryoglobulin, S	Alphanumeric	%ppt	

CPT Code Information:

82595

Reference Values:

Only orderable as part of a profile. For further information see #83659 "Cryoglobulin, Serum and Plasma".