# **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 Diagnostics,

## **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
	Ambient	7 days
	Frozen	30 days

## **Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
Z2902	HSV 1 IgM Screen	Alphanumeric		
Z2903	HSV 2 IgM Screen	Alphanumeric		

### **CPT Code Information:**

86695-Herpes simplex, type 1 86696-Herpes simplex, type 2

86695-Herpes simplex, type 1 IgM Titer (if appropriate)

86696-Herpes simplex, type 2 IgM Titer (if appropriate)

## **Reflex Tests:**

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



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#### **Result Codes for Reflex Tests:**

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

### **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