

Cryoglobulins

Order Name: **CRYOGLOB**

Test Number: 5500500

Revision Date: 08/29/2023

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Cryoglobulins	Precipitation	5117-7

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	3 mL (1)	Serum	No Additive Clot (Red Top, No-Gel, Plastic)	See Instructions
Instructions	Fasting specimen preferred. Collect in a red top clot tube without gel separation. Allow blood to clot for 30 mins at 37 degrees C. Serum must be kept 37 degrees C until separated from cells. Centrifuge sample to separate serum from cells then aliquot to plastic pour off tube. Transport processed serum to lab at room temperature. If not processed, keep entire clot tube warm during transport to laboratory for processing.			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Mon - Sat
Expected TAT	7 Days
Clinical Use	Cryoglobulins are classified as type I (monoclonal), type II (mixed; 2 or more immunoglobulins of which one is monoclonal) and type III (polyclonal).
Notes	Positive results will be reflexed to Protein Electrophoresis - Serum (Analyzer) with additional charges. Click Here for a complete listing of tests and CPT codes.
CPT Code(s)	82595 (See Notes)
Lab Section	Immunology - Serology