

## Creatine Kinase

Order Name: **CPK**  
Test Number: 2001950  
Revision Date: 02/14/2024

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Creatine Kinase	Enzymatic	2157-6

### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1mL (0.5mL)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)	Refrigerated
Alternate 1	1mL (0.5mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Instructions	Stability: Ambient 2 days, Refrigerated 7 days, Frozen 1 month			

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Daily
Expected TAT	1-2 days
Clinical Use	(AKA: Creatine Phosphokinase) A diagnostic test in the work-up of suspected Duchenne patients and other myopathies.
CPT Code(s)	82550
Lab Section	Chemistry