

pH Serous Fluid

Order Name: **SRS PH**
Test Number: 3500350
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
pH Serous Fluid		2748-2

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.5)	Serous Fluid	Sterile Screwtop Container	On Ice
Instructions	<p>Venous blood is often drawn simultaneously. Note fluid type on requisition and container. Specimen must be on ice after collection. Deliver to lab immediately.</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Daily
Expected TAT	1-2 days
Clinical Use	Useful in assessing acid-base balance.
CPT Code(s)	83986
Lab Section	Chemistry