

BK Virus DNA, Quantitative, Urine

Order Name: **BKV QT PCR UR**
Test Number: 5504426
Revision Date: 08/04/2020

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
BK Virus DNA UR IU/mL	Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction	32285-9
BK Virus DNA UR Log/mL	Calculation	90924-2
BK Virus DNA UR Copies/mL	Calculation	41480-5

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.7 mL)	Urine, Random	Sterile Urine container	Refrigerated
Instructions	<p>This test is for Urine specimens only. Best if urine is kept refrigerated until Frozen. Preferred to be frozen within two hours of collection. Specimen cannot be shared with other testing for risk of DNA contamination. Unacceptable Specimens: CSF, EDTA and Heparin Plasma specimens. Specimen Stability: Room temperature= N/A; Refrigerated= 5 Days; Frozen= 1 Month (avoid >3 freeze/thaw cycles).</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Mon
Expected TAT	6-8 days
Clinical Use	Assist in monitoring viral loads in post-transplant patients
Notes	8/4/2020 The TAT and Schedule for this test has been adjusted to accommodate the increase testing volume needs of SARS-CoV-2 by PCR.
CPT Code(s)	87799
Lab Section	Molecular Diagnostic