

HIV Antigen/Antibody Screen, 4th Gen

Order Name: **HIV AG/AB**
Test Number: 3609705
Revision Date: 01/04/2024

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
HIV Antigen/Antibody Screen, 4th Gen	Immunoassay (IA)	56888-1

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	3.0mL (2.0mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Alternate 1	3.0mL (2.0mL)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)	Refrigerated

Instructions

Please submit original, un-opened serum separator tube.
Allow to 15-20 minutes to clot then Centrifuge - Do Not Open!
Stability: Ambient 3 days, refrigerated 7 days, Frozen >7 days

Keep Specimens Refrigerated for best stability.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Mon - Fri
Expected TAT	1-3 days
Notes	<p>HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 86701, 86702). Reflex Order code: HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation [3609707] Reflex Result code: HIV 1 Antibody [3609713] LOINC: 68961-2 Reflex Result code: HIV 2 Antibody [3609717] LOINC: 81641-3</p> <p>If HIV-1/2 Antibody Differentiation is Indeterminate or Negative, HIV-1/HIV-2 Qualitative RNA will be performed at an additional charge (CPT code(s): 87538, 87535). Reflex Order code: HIV-1/HIV-2 Qualitative RNA [5194321] Reflex Result code: HIV-1 Qualitative RNA [5194322] LOINC: 25835-0 Reflex Result code: HIV-2 Qualitative RNA [5194323] LOINC: 69353-1</p>
CPT Code(s)	87389 (See possible Reflex codes in Notes Section.)
Lab Section	Chemistry