



Client: Example Client ABC123 123 Test Drive Salt Lake City, UT 84108 UNITED STATES

Physician: Doctor, Example

**Patient: Patient, Example** 

DOB Unknown
Gender: Unknown

**Patient Identifiers:** 01234567890ABCD, 012345

**Visit Number (FIN):** 01234567890ABCD **Collection Date:** 00/00/0000 00:00

## Muscle-Specific Kinase (MuSK) Antibody, IgG by CBA-IFA with Reflex to Titer, Serum

ARUP test code 3006198

MuSK Ab IgG CBA IFA Screen, Serum

<1:10

(Ref Interval: <1:10)

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{MuSK}}$  Antibody, IgG is not detected. No further testing will be performed.

INTERPRETIVE INFORMATION: MuSK IgG Ab CBA, Serum, with Rflx

Muscle-specific kinase (Musk) antibody is found in a subset of patients with myasthenia gravis, primarily those seronegative for muscle acetylcholine receptor (AChR) antibody. Decreasing antibody levels may be associated with therapeutic response; therefore, clinical correlation must be strongly considered. A negative test result does not rule out a diagnosis of myasthenia gravis.

This indirect fluorescent antibody cell-based assay (CBA) utilizes muscle-specific kinase (MuSK) transfected cells for the detection of the MuSK IgG antibody.

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## **Myasthenia Gravis Reflexive Panel**

ARUP test code 3001869

Acetylcholine Binding Antibody

0.0 nmol/L

(Ref Interval: 0.0-0.4)

H=High, L=Low, \*=Abnormal, C=Critical

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INTERPRETIVE INFORMATION: Acetylcholine Binding Ab

Negative ...... 0.0 - 0.4 nmol/L Positive ..... 0.5 nmol/L or greater

Approximately 85-90 percent of patients with myasthenia gravis (MG) express antibodies to the acetylcholine receptor (AChR), which can be divided into binding, blocking, and modulating antibodies. Binding antibody can activate complement and lead to loss of AChR. Blocking antibody may impair binding of acetylcholine to the receptor, leading to poor muscle contraction. Modulating antibody causes receptor endocytosis resulting in loss of AChR expression, which correlates most closely with clinical severity of disease. Approximately 10-15 percent of individuals with confirmed myasthenia gravis have no measurable binding, blocking, or modulating antibodies.

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## Acetylcholine Blocking Antibody

10 % (Ref Interval: 0-26)

INTERPRETIVE INFORMATION: Acetylcholine Blocking Ab

Negative ...... 0-26 percent blocking Indeterminate ..... 27-41 percent blocking Positive ...... 42 percent or greater blocking

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Procedure	Accession	Collected	Received	Verified/Reported
MuSK Ab IgG CBA IFA Screen, Serum	23-220-119942	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00
Acetylcholine Binding Antibody	23-220-119942	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00
Acetylcholine Blocking Antibody	23-220-119942	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00	00/00/0000 00:00

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