

HOTLINE: Effective August 19, 2019

0010004 Antibody Detection RBC with Reflex to ID

IRL-ABSC

Specimen Required: Collect: Plain Red **AND** Lavender (K₂EDTA) or Pink (K₂EDTA).

Specimen Preparation: **Do not freeze.**

Transport 10 mL whole blood (Plain Red) **AND** 5 mL whole blood (EDTA). (Min: 7 mL (Plain Red) and 3 mL (EDTA))

Pediatric: Transport 1 mL whole blood (Plain Red) **AND** 0.5 mL whole blood (EDTA). (Min: 1 mL (Plain Red) and 0.5 mL (EDTA))

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions: Separator tubes.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: **Unacceptable**; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: Unacceptable

Note: Panel identification will be performed on all positive specimens at an additional charge.

Positive screens are reflexed:

Female 15-45 years are reflexed to Antibody Identification, RBC (Prenatal Only) (ARUP test code 0013005)

All other Positive Screens are reflexed to Antibody ID Package (IRL) (ARUP test code 0013003)

CPT Code(s): 86850; additional CPT codes may apply