TEST CHANGE

Thermal Amplitude Test

0013410, IRL-THERM

Specimen Requirements:	
Patient Preparation:	
Collect:	Three 7 ml lavenderLavender (K2EDTA), Pink (K2 EDTA) or pink (K2EDTA)Plain Red.
Specimen Preparation:	Maintain tubes at 37 Degrees C until separated from cells. Centrifuge samples to separate plasma from the red blood cells and place in ARUP standard transport tubes. Transport packed7 mL red blood cells (in original EDTA tubes) ANDand 5 mL plasma (or serum in an ARUP standard transport tubes).Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 7 mL red blood cells and 103 mL plasma or serum)
Transport Temperature:	Refrigerated.
Unacceptable Conditions:	Separator or gel tubesGel Tubes.
Remarks:	
Stability:	Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: Unacceptable
Methodology:	Qualitative Hemagglutination (HA)
Performed:	Mon-Fri
Reported:	2-51-3 days
Note:	Prior to ordering the thermal amplitude test, results from the Antibody ID Package (IRL) (ARUP test code 0013003) are required to identify specific antibodies that may interfere with testing. If Antibody ID Package has not been performed at ARUP within the last 7 days, the test will be added on by ARUP Laboratories and performed. Additional charges apply. Depending on antibody complexity, additional testing may be required. Additional charges apply. Client must provide patient transfusion history.
CPT Codes:	86870; additional CPT codes may apply
New York DOH Approval Status:	This test is New York DOH approved.
Interpretive Data:	

Reference Interval:

Test Number	Components	Reference Interval