

**TEST CHANGE**

Glucose, Body Fluid

0020503, GLU-FL

**Specimen Requirements:**

**Patient Preparation:**

**Collect:** ~~Pericardial~~ ~~Dialysate, pericardial~~, peritoneal/ascites, pleural, or synovial fluid.

**Specimen Preparation:** Centrifuge to remove cellular material. Transfer 1 mL body fluid to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 0.2 mL)

**Transport Temperature:** Refrigerated.

**Unacceptable Conditions:** Specimen types other than those listed. CSF (Refer to Glucose, CSF, ARUP test code 3016614). Specimens too viscous to be aspirated by instrument.

**Remarks:** Specimen source must be provided.

**Stability:** Ambient: 8 hours; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: 1 year

**Methodology:** Quantitative Enzymatic Assay

**Performed:** Sun-Sat

**Reported:** Within 24 hours

**Note:**

**CPT Codes:** 82945

**New York DOH Approval Status:** This test is New York DOH approved.

**Interpretive Data:**

For information on body fluid reference ranges and/or interpretive guidance visit <http://aruplab.com/bodyfluids/>

**Reference Interval:**