

**TEST CHANGE**

**Rapid Plasma Reagin (RPR) with Reflex to Titer and FTA-ABS**

0050011, RPR FTA

**Specimen Requirements:**

**Patient Preparation:**

**Collect:** Serum separator tube.

**Specimen Preparation:** Separate serum from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer 1 mL serum to an ARUP [standard transport tube](#). ~~Standard Transport Tube~~. (Min: 0.54 mL) Avoid freezing if possible.

**Transport Temperature:** Refrigerated.

**Unacceptable Conditions:** CSF or plasma. Contaminated, hemolyzed, or severely lipemic specimens.

**Remarks:**

**Stability:** After separation from cells: Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 1 year

**Methodology:** Semi-Quantitative [Particle](#)~~Charecoal~~ Agglutination/~~Semi-Quantitative Indirect Fluorescent Antibody~~

**Performed:** Sun-Sat

**Reported:** 1-3 days

**Note:**

**CPT Codes:** 86592; if reflexed, add 86593; 86780

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

**Interpretive Data:**

Component	Interpretation
Rapid Plasma Reagin (RPR)	RPR (+) = Reactive RPR (-) = Nonreactive

**Reference Interval:**

Test Number	Components	Reference Interval		
	Rapid Plasma Reagin (RPR)	Non Reactive		
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