Circulating Immune Complex, C1q Binding

C1Q

0050301

Performed:
Saturday, Monday, and Thursday

Reported:
2-9 days

Specimen Required:
Collect: Plain red or serum separator tube (SST)
Specimen Preparation: Allow complete clotting of red blood cells (up to 1 hour), then separate serum from cells within 30 minutes and freeze immediately. Transfer 1 mL serum to an ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.3 mL) If ordered in conjunction with a Circulating Immune Complex, C3 fragments, transfer TWO (2) 1 mL aliquots of serum to individual ARUP Standard Transport Tubes.
Storage/Transport Temperature: CRITICAL FROZEN. Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.
Unacceptable Conditions: Non-frozen specimens.
Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: 2 hours; Refrigerated: Unacceptable; Frozen: 2 weeks (avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles)

HOTLINE NOTE: There is a clinically significant charting name change associated with this test.
Change the charting name for component 0050301, Clq Binding Assay from Clq Binding Assay to Circulating Immune Complex, Clq Binding.