

Quarterly HOTLINE: Effective November 12, 2018

O050317 Antinuclear Antibodies (ANA), IgG by ELISA with Reflex to ANA HEp-2
Substrate, IgG by IFA and ENA Confirmation

ANA REF

Reference Interval:

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Test Number	Components	Reference Interval		
0050080	Antinuclear Antibodies (ANA), IgG by ELISA with Reflex to ANA, HEp-2 Substrate, IgG by IFA	Effective November 12, 2018		
		Test Number	Components	Reference Interval
			Antinuclear Antibodies (ANA), IgG by ELISA	None Detected
		3000082	Antinuclear Antibody (ANA), HEp-2, Ig	G Less than 1:80
0050215	Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antibody, IgG by ELISA with Reflex to dsDNA Antibody, IgG by IFA	Effective August 20, 2012		
		Test Number	Components	Reference Interval
			Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antiboo IgG by ELISA	dy, None Detected.
		2002693	Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antiboo IgG by IFA (using Crithidia luciliae)	dy, Less than 1:10
0050470	RNP (U1) (Ribonucleic Protein) (ENA) Antibody,	29 AU/mL or les	SS	Negative
	IgG	30-40 AU/mL		Equivocal
		41 AU/mL or greater		Positive
0050599	Scleroderma (Scl-70) (ENA) Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or les	SS	Negative
		30-40 AU/mL		Equivocal
		41 AU/mL or greater		Positive
0050085	Smith (ENA) Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or les	SS	Negative
		30-40 AU/mL		Equivocal
		41 AU/mL or gre		Positive
2012074	SSA 52 and 60 (Ro) (ENA) Antibodies, IgG	Test Number	Components	Reference Interval
			SSA-52 (Ro52) (ENA) Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or Less: Negative 30-40 AU/mL: Equivocal 41 AU/mL or greater: Positive
			SSA-60 (Ro60) (ENA) Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or Less: Negative 30-40 AU/mL: Equivocal 41 AU/mL or greater: Positive
0050692	SSB (La) (ENA) Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or les	ss	Negative
		30-40 AU/mL		Equivocal
		41 AU/mL or greater		Positive
0099592	Jo-1 Antibody, IgG	29 AU/mL or les	SS	Negative
		30-40 AU/mL		Equivocal
		41 AU/mL or greater		Positive

Interpretive Data: Antinuclear Antibodies (ANA), IgG by ELISA: ANA specimens are screened using enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) methodology. All ELISA results reported as detected are further tested by indirect fluorescent assay (IFA) using HEp-2 substrate with an IgG-specific conjugate. The ANA ELISA screen is designed to detect antibodies against dsDNA, histone, SS-A (Ro), SS-B (La), Smith, snRNP/Sm, Scl-70, Jo-1, centromere, and an extract of lysed HEp-2 cells. ANA ELISA assays have been reported to have lower sensitivities than ANA IFA for systemic autoimmune rheumatic diseases (SARD).

Negative results do not necessarily rule out SARD.

Note: ANA lacks diagnostic specificity, and is associated with in variety diseases (cancers, autoimmune, infectious, and inflammatory conditions) and occurs in healthy individuals in varying prevalence. The lack of diagnostic specificity requires confirmation of positive ANA by more-specific serologic tests, which may be guided by the pattern(s) observed.

Specimens are screened for ANA using ELISA. If ANA IgG is detected by ELISA, then Antinuclear Antibody (ANA), HEp-2, IgG by IFA will be added. If ANA, IgG by IFA is confirmed positive with a titer of 1:80 or greater, then a titer and pattern will be reported. In addition, samples positive for ANA, IgG by IFA will reflex to Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antibody, IgG by ELISA, Jo-1 Antibody, IgG, RNP (U1) (Ribonucleic Protein) (ENA) Antibody, IgG, Scleroderma (Scl-70) (ENA) Antibody, IgG, Smith (ENA) Antibody, IgG, SSA 52 and 60 (Ro) (ENA) Antibodies, IgG, and SSB (La) (ENA) Antibody, IgG. If Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antibody, IgG by ELISA is detected, then Double-Stranded DNA (dsDNA) Antibody, IgG by IFA (using *Crithidia luciliae*) will be added. Additional charges apply.

ANA determined by indirect fluorescence assay (IFA) use HEp-2 substrate and IgG-specific conjugate at a screening dilution of 1:80. If positive, patterns reported include homogeneous, speckled, centromere, nucleolar, nuclear dots, or cytoplasmic. All positive results are reported with endpoint titers.

CPT Code(s): 86038; if reflexed, add 86039; if reflexed, add 86235 x7 and 86225; if reflexed, add 86256

HOTLINE NOTE: There is a reflexive pattern change associated with this test.

Add reflex to 3000082, Antinuclear Antibody (ANA), HEp-2, IgG
Add reflex to 0050599, Scleroderma (Scl-70) (ENA) Antibody, IgG
Remove reflex to 0050639, ANA by IFA, IgG



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