

Quarterly HOTLINE: Effective August 20, 2018

0050379 Herpes Simplex Virus Type 1 Glycoprotein G-Specific Antibody, IgG by ELISA, HERPICSF CSF

 $\textbf{Specimen Required: } \underline{Collect:} \ CSF.$

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 0.5 mL CSF to an ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.2 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated. Remarks: Indicate source on test request form.

 $\underline{\textbf{Unacceptable Conditions:}} \ \textbf{Specimen types other than CSF. Contaminated, heat-inactivated, or hemolyzed specimens.}$

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 8 hours; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 1 year