

## TEST CHANGE

Citric Acid, Serum or Plasma

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### Specimen Requirements:

#### Patient Preparation:

**Collect:** Plain red or serum separator tube (SST). Also acceptable: Green (sodium heparin), lavender (EDTA), or plasma preparation tube (PPT).

**Specimen Preparation:** Transfer 2 mL serum or plasma to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 1 mL) Test is not performed at ARUP; separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.

**Transport Temperature:** Refrigerated. Also acceptable: Frozen.

**Unacceptable Conditions:** Room temperature specimens.

#### Remarks:

**Stability:** Ambient: 8 hours; Refrigerated: 17 days; Frozen: 17 days

**Methodology:** Quantitative Spectrophotometry/Enzymatic Assay

**Performed:** Varies

**Reported:** ~~8-14~~<sup>3-12</sup> days

#### Note:

**CPT Codes:** 82507

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

#### Interpretive Data:

#### Reference Interval:

By report