

HOTLINE: Effective October 3, 2022

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**0081284 Soluble Mesothelin Related Peptides (MESOMARK®)**

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**Specimen Required:** Collect: Serum Separator Tube (SST) or Plain Red.

Specimen Preparation: Allow specimen to clot completely at room temperature. Transfer 0.2 mL serum to an ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.1 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Frozen.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 24 hours; Frozen: 3 months

**Interpretive Data:**

**MESOMARK®** is an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay for the quantitative measurement of soluble mesothelin related peptides (SMRP) in serum. Measurement of SMRP may aid in the management of patients diagnosed with epithelioid or biphasic mesothelioma. Epidemiologic studies have established exposure to asbestos fibers as the primary cause of malignant mesothelioma. Results obtained with different assay methods or kits cannot be used interchangeably. Results cannot be interpreted as absolute evidence of the presence or absence of malignant **disease**.

**HOTLINE NOTE:** There is a component change associated with this test.

Remove component 0081289, Mesothelin Ordering MD:

Remove information found in the Remarks field.