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*Ehrlichia* and *Anaplasma* Species by PCR

EHR ANAPCR

**Specimen Required:** Collect: Lavender (EDTA) or Pink (K<sub>2</sub>EDTA).Specimen Preparation: Transport 1 mL whole blood. (Min: 0.6 mL)Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.Unacceptable Conditions: Serum, plasma, and heparinized specimens.Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 24 hours; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: 1 week