

**TEST CHANGE****Alpha Subunit, Free, Pituitary Glycoprotein Hormones (PGH)**

2013034, A SUB PGH

**Specimen Requirements:****Patient Preparation:**

Collect: Serum separator tube (SST) or plain red.

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection.  
Transfer 1 mL serum to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 0.25 mL) Freeze immediately.  
Test is not performed at ARUP; separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.Transport Temperature: **CRITICAL FROZEN****Frozen**.**Unacceptable Conditions:****Remarks:**Stability: Ambient: Unacceptable24 hours; Refrigerated: Unacceptable24 hours; Frozen: 6 months

Methodology: Quantitative Chemiluminescent Immunoassay (CLIA)

**Note:**

CPT Codes: 83520

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

**Interpretive Data:****Reference Interval:**