

Quarterly HOTLINE: Effective November 12, 2018

2013612 Infliximab or Biosimilar Activity with Reflex to Antibody

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Specimen Required: Patient Prep: Collect specimens before infliximab or biosimilar treatment.

Collect: Serum Separator Tube (SST).

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer 1 mL serum to an ARUP Standard

Transport Tube. (Min: 0.5 mL)

 $\underline{Storage/Transport\ Temperature:}\ Refrigerated.$

<u>Unacceptable Conditions:</u> Contaminated, hemolyzed, icteric, or lipemic specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated: 4 weeks; Frozen: 1 year

(avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles)

Reference Interval:

Components	Reference Interval
Infliximab Activity w/Rflx to Ab	Not Detected
Infliximab Neutralizing Antibody Titer	Not Detected