

Quarterly HOTLINE: Effective July 2, 2018

New Test Available Now 3000484 Aldosterone Inferior Vena Cava

ALDO IVC



Additional Technical Information

Methodology: Quantitative Chemiluminescent Immunoassay

Performed: Sun-Sat **Reported:** Within 24 hours

Specimen Required: Collect: Adrenal venous sampling procedure is required. 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: 0.5 mL)

<u>Storage/Transport Temperature:</u> Frozen. <u>Unacceptable Conditions:</u> EDTA plasma.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: 8 hours; Refrigerated: 5 days; Frozen: 1 month

Note: Refer to the Additional Technical Information link for more information on Endocrine Society recommendations regarding patient preparation, specimen collection, medications for hypertension control during confirmatory testing for primary aldosteronism, and factors that may lead to false-positive or false-negative aldosterone-renin ratio (ARR) results.

CPT Code(s): 82088

New York DOH Approved.

HOTLINE NOTE: Refer to the Test Mix Addendum for interface build information.