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C-Peptide, Other

CPEPOTHER

**Specimen Required:** Patient Prep: Fasting specimen preferred.

Collect: Serum Separator Tube (SST)

Specimen Preparation: Allow specimen to clot completely at room temperature. Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transport 1 mL serum in an ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.5 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Frozen.

Unacceptable Conditions: Grossly hemolyzed specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: 8 hours; Refrigerated: 7 days; Frozen: 1 month

**Interpretive Data:**

The reference interval for fasting c-peptide is 0.5-3.3 ng/mL. To convert to nmol/L, multiply ng/mL by 0.33.