

## Quarterly HOTLINE: Effective August 20, 2018

New Test 3000577 Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) by Quantitative NAAT with Reflex to HCVQT HGR HCV High-Resolution Genotype by Sequencing



Additional Technical Information

Methodology: Quantitative Transcription Mediated Amplification/Sequencing

**Performed:** Sun-Sat **Reported:** 1-11 days

Specimen Required: Collect: Lavender (EDTA), Pink (K2EDTA), Plasma Preparation Tube (PPT), or Serum Separator Tube (SST).

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells within 6 hours of collection. Transfer 3 mL serum or plasma to an ARUP Standard

Transport Tube. (Min: 1.7 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Frozen.

<u>Unacceptable Conditions:</u> Heparinized specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells. Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 72 hours; Frozen: 6

weeks

## **Reference Interval:**

Available Separately	Components	Reference Interval
3000572	Hepatitis C Virus by Quantitative NAAT	Not Detected
2006898	Hepatitis C Virus High- Resolution Genotype by Sequencing	By report

Interpretive Data: Refer to report.

Note: If Hepatitis C Virus by Quantitative NAAT result is greater than or equal to 100,000 IU/mL, then Hepatitis C Virus High-Resolution Genotype by Sequencing will be added. Additional charges apply.

**CPT Code(s):** 87522; if reflexed, add 87902

New York DOH Approved.

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