

HOTLINE: Effective May 20, 2019

<b>New Test</b>	<b>3001561</b>	<b>Hypersensitivity Pneumonitis Extended Panel (Farmer's Lung Panel)</b>	<b>HYPEREXT</b>
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**Methodology:** Qualitative Immunodiffusion/Quantitative ImmunoCAP Fluorescent Enzyme Immunoassay  
**Performed:** Sun-Sat  
**Reported:** 3-7 days

**Specimen Required:** Collect: Serum Separator Tube (SST).

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer two 2.5 mL aliquots of serum to individual ARUP Standard Transport Tubes. (Min: 1 mL Per aliquot)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions: Plasma. Contaminated, hemolyzed, or severely lipemic specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): After separation from cells: Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 1 year (avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles)

**Interpretive Data:** Allergen results of 0.10-0.34 kU/L are intended for specialist use as the clinical relevance is undetermined. Even though increasing ranges are reflective of increasing concentrations of allergen-specific IgE, these concentrations may not correlate with the degree of clinical response or skin testing results when challenged with a specific allergen. The correlation of allergy laboratory results with clinical history and in vivo reactivity to specific allergens is essential. A negative test may not rule out clinical allergy or even anaphylaxis.

See Compliance Statement A: [www.aruplab.com/CS](http://www.aruplab.com/CS)

**Note:** Testing includes antibodies directed at *Aspergillus fumigatus* #1, *A. fumigatus* #2, *A. fumigatus* #3, *A. fumigatus* #6, *A. flavus*, *Aureobasidium pullulans*, *Pigeon Serum*, *Micropolyspora faeni*, *Thermoactinomyces vulgaris* #1, *T. candidus*, and *Saccharomonospora viridis*.

**CPT Code(s):** 86003 x3; 86005; 86331 x6; 86606 x5

New York DOH Approved.

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