**New Test** | **3001866** | **Krebs von den Lungen-6** | **KL 6**
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**Methodology:** | Quantitative Immunoturbidimetric |  |  
**Performed:** | Tue |  |  
**Reported:** | 1-8 days |  |  
**Specimen Required:** | Collect: Plain Red.  
Specimen Preparation: Allow specimen to clot completely at room temperature. Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer 1.5 mL serum to ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.5 mL)  
Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.  
Unacceptable Conditions: Hemolyzed, hyperlipemic, icteric, heat-treated or contaminated  
Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 1 month |  |  
**Reference Interval:** | 0-500 U/mL |  |  
**Interpretive Data:** Krebs von den Lungen-6 (KL-6) is an indicator of lung inflammation or damage. Elevated levels are associated with various types of interstitial lung diseases (ILD). Abnormal KL-6 results should be interpreted in the appropriate clinical context. A negative result does not rule out ILD.  
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**Note:** Samples with results greater than 10,000 U/mL will be diluted to the maximum reportable range (>40,000 U/mL).  
**CPT Code(s):** | 83520 |  |  
**New York DOH approval pending. Call for status update.**  
**HOTLINE NOTE:** Refer to the Test Mix Addendum for interface build information.