

HOTLINE: Effective November 15, 2021

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<b>New Test</b>	<b>3004314</b>	<b>Neuron Specific Enolase, CSF</b>	<b>NSE C</b>
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**Methodology:** Quantitative Immunoassay  
**Performed:** Mon, Wed, Fri  
**Reported:** 1-8 days

**Specimen Required:** Collect: CSF.

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells within 1 hour of collection. Transfer 0.5 mL CSF to an ARUP Standard Transport Tube and freeze immediately. (Min: 0.5 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated

Unacceptable Conditions: Hemolyzed specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: 1 year (avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles)

**Reference Interval:** Less than or equal to 27.3 ng/mL

**Interpretive Data:**

This test is performed using the BRAHMS NSE Kryptor Immunoassay. Results obtained with different methods or kits cannot be used interchangeably. Results cannot be interpreted as absolute evidence of the presence or absence of malignant disease.

This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by ARUP Laboratories. It has not been cleared or approved by the US Food and Drug Administration. This test was performed in a CLIA certified laboratory and is intended for clinical purposes.

**CPT Code(s):** 86316

New York DOH approval pending. Call for status update.

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