

TEST CHANGE

JC Virus Antibody by ELISA, Serum with Reflex to Inhibition Assay

3006254, JCV AB

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Plain red or serum separator tube (SST). Also acceptable: Lavender (K2EDTA)

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 1 mL serum or plasma to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 0.5 mL) Test is not performed at ARUP; separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.

Transport Temperature: Frozen. Also acceptable: Room temperature or refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions:

Remarks: Clinical information is needed for appropriate interpretation. At order entry, indicate whether the patient is currently on natalizumab therapy.

Stability: Ambient: 1 week; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 3 months

Methodology: Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)

Performed: Varies

Reported: 6-10 days

Note: If antibody result is indeterminate, then a confirmation (inhibition) assay will be added.

CPT Codes: 86711; if reflexed, add 86711

New York DOH Approval Status: This test is New York DOH approved.

Interpretive Data:

Reference Interval:

By report