

NEW TEST

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Herpes Simplex Virus Type 1 and/or 2 Antibodies, IgG (CSF) With Reflex to Type 1 and 2 Glycoprotein G-Specific Ab, IgG

3017747, HERPR CSF

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: CSF

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 1 mL CSF to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 0.5 mL)

Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions: Specimen types other than CSF. Contaminated, heat-inactivated, or hemolyzed specimens.

Remarks:

Stability:

Methodology:

Performed: Sun-Sat

Reported: 1-2 days

Note: If HSV 1/2 IgG, CSF is greater than or equal to 1.10 IV, then HSV 1 gG-specific IgG, CSF and HSV 2 gG-specific IgG, CSF will be added. Additional charges apply.

CPT Codes: 86694; if reflexed, add 86695; 86696

New York DOH Approval Status: Specimens from New York clients will be sent out to a New York DOH approved laboratory, if possible.

Interpretive Data:

Herpes Simplex Virus Type 1 and/or 2 Antibodies, IgG, CSF	0.89 IV or less: Negative. No significant level of detectable HSV IgG antibody. 0.90-1.09 IV: Equivocal. Questionable presence of IgG antibodies. Repeat testing in 10-14 days may be helpful. 1.10 IV
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or greater:
Positive. IgG
antibody to HSV
detected which
may indicate a
current or past
HSV infection.

Reference Interval:

0.89 IV or less

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