

NEW TEST

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RNA Extraction and Storage

3020324, RNAEXT

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Whole blood or bone marrow in lavender (EDTA), pink (K2EDTA).

Specimen Preparation: Whole Blood: Transport 5 mL whole blood. (Min: 5 mL).
Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.
Bone Marrow: Transport 3 mL bone marrow. (Min: 1 mL)

Transport Temperature: Whole blood and bone marrow: CRITICAL REFRIGERATED.
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Unacceptable Conditions:

Remarks: Specimens must be received within 48 hours of collection due to lability of RNA.

Stability: Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 48 hours; Frozen: Unacceptable

Methodology: RNA Extraction

Note: RNA will be held for 6 months for possible add-on testing.
Extracted RNA is used exclusively for ARUP testing and will not be sent back to clients or forwarded to vendor laboratories.

CPT Codes: NA

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:

Reference Interval:

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