Test Name

ACUTE HEPATITIS PANEL

Synonyms

Test Code

683

Specimen Type

Serum

Preferred Container

Serum separator tube (SST)

Alternate Container

red

Minimum Volume

Temperature/Stability

Room Temperature: 24 hours or Refrigerated: 72 hours or Frozen: 6 weeks

Handling

Must be centrifuged within 2 hours of collection

Reject

Plasma, Grossly Hemolyzed

Panel Includes

HEP A IgM, HEP B CORE IgM, HBSAG, HCV w/Reflex. If HCV is positive, PCR is performed by Pacific Diagnostic Laboratories.

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