

Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) Total

Order Name: **PSA EQ**

Test Number: 2012225

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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) Total	Chemiluminescence Assay	2857-1

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.5)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Instructions	Remove Serum from cells/gel and freeze if testing will be delayed >24hrs (or w/in 3 hours if testing PSA Free) Stability: Ambient 1 day. Refrigerated 7 days. Frozen > 7 days.			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Mon - Fri
Expected TAT	1-3 days
Clinical Use	Useful for screening for prostate cancer. Useful for monitoring patients with a history of prostate cancer.
CPT Code(s)	84153
Lab Section	Chemistry