Carcinoembryonic Antigen (CEA)

Order Name: CEA ABB
Test Number: 4500425
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TEST NAME			METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE	
Carcinoembryonic Antigen (CEA)			Chemiluminescence Assay	2039-6	
SPECIMEN REQU	JIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment	
Preferred	2mL (1mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated	
Alternate 1	2mL (1mL)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)	Refrigerated	
Instructions	Stability: Ambient 1 day, Refrig	Stability: Ambient 1 day, Refrigerated 7 days, Frozen >7days			

GENERAL INFORMATION				
Mon - Fri				
1-3 days				
Useful for monitoring colorectal cancer. May be useful in assessing the effectiveness of chemotherapy or radiation treatment.				
Testing performed via Abbott Alinity Immunoassay method. Results obtained with different assay methods should not be used interchangeably in serial testing. It is recommended that only one assay method be used consistently to monitor each patient's course of therapy.				
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