

Carnitine Free and Total, Serum/Plasma

Order Name: **CARNITINE**

Test Number: 3613200

Revision Date: 04/03/2018

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Carnitine Free and Total, Serum/Plasma	Spectrophotometry	

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	2.5 mL (0.2 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Frozen
Instructions	<p>Notes: 0.2 mL (Note: This volume Does NOT allow for repeat testing).</p> <p>Specimen Type: Red-top tube, gel-barrier tube, OR green-top (heparin) tube</p> <p>Specimen Storage: FREEZE</p> <p>Specimen Collection: Transfer separated serum or plasma to a plastic transport tube and FREEZE. To avoid delays in turnaround time when requesting multiple tests on frozen samples, PLEASE SUBMIT SEPARATE FROZEN SPECIMENS FOR EACH TEST REQUESTED.</p> <p>Specimen Stability: Ambient: Not Available, Refrigerated : Not Available, Frozen: 14 days</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	3-6 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	706500
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 706500
CPT Code(s)	82379
Lab Section	Reference Lab