Cystatin C

Lab Section

Immunology - Serology

Order Name: CYSTATIN C
Test Number: 3623775
Revision Date: 10/29/2025

TEST NAME			METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Cystatin C			Turbidometric	33863-2
SPECIMEN REQUIR	FMFNTS			
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
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Preferred	1 mL (0.5 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.5 mL)	Plasma	Sodium Heparin (Green 1 Gel)	Γορ / No- Refrigerated
Instructions	Dietary Instructions: Overnight fasting is preferred. Collect blood in SST Clot tube or Sodium Heparin Green-top tube. Allow Serum to clot for 15 minutes. Centrifuge aliquot Serum or Plasma for 10min and separate wihtin 2 hours and keep refrigerated. Specimen Stability: Room temperature: 24 Hours, Refrigerated: 7 Days, Frozen: 90 Days.			
GENERAL INFORMA				
Testing Schedule	Mon-Fri			
Expected TAT	3-4 Days			
Clinical Use	Cystatin C is a highly sensitive and specific marker of glomerular filtration rate (renal function). Cystatin C is independent of muscle mass, age, and body mass index. Cystatin C is also used to assess renal allograft function.			
Notes	This test will order and result a Cystatin C Estimated GFR as shown below.			
	ORDER CODE	REFLEX NAME	RESULT CODE	E RESULT LONG NAME
	3623778	.Cystatin C Estimated	I GFR 3623888	Cystatin C eGFR
CPT Code(s)	82610			

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