## Periprosthetic Joint Infection (PJI) Detection (Synovasure or Alpha Defensin)

Order Name: SYNOVA PJI
Test Number: 6905105
Revision Date: 03/31/2022

TEST NAME			METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
PJI Source			Prompt	31208-2
SPECIMEN REQUI	REMENTS			
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.5 mL)	Synovial Fluid	Clot Activator (Red Top, No-Gel)	Refrigerated
Instructions	Collect Synovial fluid in Plain Red No-Gel Clot tube.  Transport 1mL(0.5mL)synovial fluid in the original collection tube. Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered. Stability: Ambient: 72 hours; Refrigerated: 4 days; Frozen: Unacceptable  Due to limited stability, only collect Mon-Wed and not the day before a holiday			

GENERAL INFORMATION		
Testing Schedule	Varies	
Expected TAT	3-5 days	
Notes	Reference Lab: ARUP Test Code: 2013008 Click Here to view information on the ARUP website.	
CPT Code(s)	83516, 86140	
Lab Section	Reference Lab	

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