

BK Virus DNA, Quantitative, Urine

Order Name: **BKV QT PCR UR**

Test Number: 5504426

Revision Date: 08/04/2020

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
BK Virus DNA UR IU/mL	Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction	32285-9
BK Virus DNA UR Log/mL	Calculation	90924-2
BK Virus DNA UR Copies/mL	Calculation	41480-5

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.7 mL)	Urine, Random	Sterile Urine container	Refrigerated
Instructions	<p>This test is for Urine specimens only.</p> <p>Best if urine is kept refrigerated until Frozen. Preferred to be frozen within two hours of collection.</p> <p>Specimen cannot be shared with other testing for risk of DNA contamination.</p> <p>Unacceptable Specimens: CSF, EDTA and Heparin Plasma specimens.</p> <p>Specimen Stability: Room temperature= N/A; Refrigerated= 5 Days; Frozen= 1 Month (avoid >3 freeze/thaw cycles).</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Mon
Expected TAT	6-8 days
Clinical Use	Assist in monitoring viral loads in post-transplant patients
Notes	8/4/2020 The TAT and Schedule for this test has been adjusted to accommodate the increase testing volume needs of SARS-CoV-2 by PCR.
CPT Code(s)	87799
Lab Section	Molecular Diagnostic