

Factor Inhibitor Assay

Order Name: **FACTR INHB**
Test Number: 1502325
Revision Date: 10/08/2024

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Factor Inhibitor Assay	Clot Detection	13591-3

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	5.4 mL	Whole Blood	Sodium Citrate 3.2% (Blue Top)	Room Temperature
Alternate 1	3 mL	Double Spun Plasma	Sterile, Capped Plastic Tube	Frozen

Instructions

Please indicate anticoagulant therapy - AND - the suspected factor inhibitor.
Collect Two Sodium Citrate 3.2% (Blue Top) tubes.
 Each 2.7mL Sodium Citrate 3.2% (Blue Top) tube must be filled to the proper level, no hemolysis. Improperly filled tubes can give erroneous results.
Whole blood must be transported to lab immediately.
If testing cannot be started within 4 hours of collection the specimen must be double spun then 1.5mL plasma aliquot from each tube into individual plastic aliquot tubes and freeze.
Do not pool aliquots together!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Wed
Expected TAT	1-7 Days
Clinical Use	Specific factor inhibitors are immunoglobulins with specificity for a single coagulation protein. The most common specific inhibitors are antibodies produced in relation to Factor 8:C.
CPT Code(s)	85335
Lab Section	Coagulation