

## Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation (DIC) Profile

Order Name: **DIC PR**  
Test Number: 1500855  
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
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### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	See Instructions	See Special Instructions	Sodium Citrate 3.2% (Blue Top) and EDTA (Lavender Top)	See Instructions

**Instructions**

**Coagulation-**  
Two: 2.7mL Sodium Citrate 3.2% (Blue Top) Tubes. (Ambient whole blood or frozen aliquots.)

Please indicate anticoagulant therapy.  
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!** Specimen Stability: Un-Frozen specimens are only good for 4 hours.

**Hematology-**  
One: 4mL (1mL) EDTA (Lavender Top) Whole Blood (Room Temperature)  
Note: IPF level will not be reported on specimens > 24hrs old.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	1 Day
CPT Code(s)	85055, 85045, 85049, 85379, 85384, 85610, 85730
Lab Section	Coagulation