

Enterovirus DNA PCR

Order Name: **CSF ENTPCR**

Test Number: 5586525

Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Enterovirus Detection by PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction	29591-5
Specimen Type - Prompt [3611815]		

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	See Instructions	Rectal swab	See Instructions	Frozen
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.5 mL)	CSF (Cerebrospinal Fluid)	Sterile Screwtop Container	Frozen
Alternate 2	See Instructions	NP Swab	See Instructions	Frozen
Instructions	<p><b>Notes:</b> 0.2 mL CSF (noncentrifuged), one NP/throat swab, 1 g fresh stool, OR one rectal swab</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Sterile container (CSF, stool), universal transport medium (NP/throat swab, rectal swab)</p> <p><b>Specimen Storage:</b> Swabs and stools are stable at room temperature, refrigerated, or frozen for seven days. CSF is stable at room temperature or refrigerated for seven days and frozen for 90 days.</p> <p><b>Specimen Collection:</b> To avoid delays in turnaround time when requesting multiple tests on frozen samples, PLEASE SUBMIT SEPARATE FROZEN SPECIMENS FOR EACH TEST REQUESTED.</p> <p><b>Specimen Stability:</b> Ambient: Not Available, Refrigerated : Not Available, Frozen: Not Available</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	3 - 4 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	138636
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 138636
CPT Code(s)	87498
Lab Section	Reference Lab