

Chromogranin A

Order Name: **CHROMOG A**
Test Number: 3803557
Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Chromogranin A	Thermo Fisher BRAHMS Kryptor	9811-1

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.5 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Frozen
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.5 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator (Red Top, No-Gel)	Frozen
Instructions	<p>Notes: 0.3 mL (Note: This volume Does NOT allow for repeat testing.)</p> <p>Specimen Type: Gel-barrier tube</p> <p>Specimen Storage: Room Temperature</p> <p>Specimen Collection: Transfer separated serum to a plastic transport tube.</p> <p>Special Instructions: Values obtained with different assay methods should not be used interchangeably in serial testing. It is recommended that only one assay method be used consistently to monitor each patient's course of therapy.</p> <p>Specimen Stability: Ambient: 7 days, Refrigerated : 14 days, Frozen: 14 days</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	3 - 5 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	140848
Notes	<p>The Thermofisher/BRAHMS KRYPTOR® assay employs Time-Resolved Amplified Cryptate Emission Cryptate Emission (TRACE) technology based on a non-radioactive energy transfer between a donor (europium cryptate) and an acceptor (XL665) in a sandwich immunofluorescent format using two mouse monoclonal antibodies.³⁷⁻⁴⁰ This assay is calibrated against recombinant human CG, and according to the manufacturer's package insert.</p> <p>Labcorp Test Code: 140848</p>
CPT Code(s)	86316
Lab Section	Reference Lab