

Hepatitis B Surface Antibody, Immunity (Quant)

CPT Code: 86317

Order Code: C2459

ABN Requirement: No

Synonyms: Antibody to Hepatitis B Surface Antigen

Specimen: Serum or EDTA Plasma

Volume: 2.0 mL

Minimum Volume: 0.5 mL

Container: Gel-barrier tube (SST, Tiger Top) or EDTA (Lavender Top) tube

Collection:

Serum:

1. Collect and label sample according to standard protocols.
2. Gently invert tube 5 times immediately after draw. DO NOT SHAKE.
3. Let tube stand in a vertical position to allow blood to clot 30 minutes.
4. Centrifuge for 10 minutes.

EDTA Plasma:

1. Draw and gently invert 8 to 10 times.
2. Centrifuge for 10 minutes.
3. Pre-squeeze transfer pipet bulb and draw off approximately 2/3 of the upper plasma layer.
Note: This ensures that the buffy coat and red cells remain undisturbed.
4. Aliquot plasma into labeled transport tube and cap tightly. Discard original tube.
5. Store transport tube refrigerated at 2-8°C until ready to ship.

Transport: Store serum or EDTA plasma at 2-8°C after collection and ship the same day per packaging instructions provided with the Cleveland HeartLab shipping box.

Stability:

Ambient (15-25°C): 3 days

Refrigerated (2-8°C): 7 days

Frozen (-20°C): 14 days

Deep Frozen (-70°C): 14 days

Causes for Rejection: Specimens other than serum or EDTA plasma; improper labeling; samples not stored properly; samples older than stability limits; heat-inactivated samples; pooled samples; grossly hemolyzed samples; obvious microbial contamination

Methodology: Chemiluminescent Microparticle Immunoassay (CMIA)

Turn Around Time: 2-3 days

Reference Range:

Use: To assess adequacy of recent or remote immune response to HBV infection or vaccination.

Clinical Significance: Positive results indicates levels of Anti-HBS Antibody (i.e. ≥ 12 mIU/L).

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