

TB Gold Quantiferon Plus

Order Name: **TB Gold Plus**

Test Number: 5587326

Revision Date: 10/01/2022

| TEST NAME | METHODOLOGY | LOINC CODE |
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| TB TB1-NIL | Immunoassay (IA) | 64084-7 |
| TB TB2-NIL | Immunoassay (IA) | 88517-8 |
| TB Mitogen-NIL | Immunoassay (IA) | 71774-4 |
| TB NIL Value | Immunoassay (IA) | 71776-9 |
| TB Gold Interp | Interpretive information. | 71773-6 |

| SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS | | | | |
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| Specimen | Specimen Volume (min) | Specimen Type | Specimen Container | Transport Environment |
| Preferred | 6 mL (5 mL) | Whole Blood | Lithium Heparin (Dark Green Top / No-Gel) | Refrigerated |
| Alternate 1 | See Instructions | Whole Blood | TB Gold Plus 4 tube kit | Room Temperature |
| Instructions | <p>Collect: Preferred - Whole blood in Dark Green no gel Lithium Heparin, 6 ml tube (Minimum 5 ml required) Alternate (must be trained and signed off by Labcorp Oklahoma, Inc. personnel prior to collecting!) Whole blood in Quantiferon TB Gold Plus 4 tube kit (0.8 ml minimum per tube required).</p> <p>Specimen Prep: Lithium Heparin: Fill tube completely, gently mix by inverting several times, incubate at Room Temperature for a minimum of 15 minutes and ship to lab Refrigerated. TB Gold Plus 4 tube kit: Immediately after filling, gently shake tube 10 times to coat the inner surface of the tube walls (overly vigorous shaking may lead to aberrant results), transport to the lab at Room Temperature (must be received in-lab at Labcorp Oklahoma, Inc. within 16 hours of collection OR incubated at 37°C for 16 - 24 hours at the client site prior to transport to the lab). Stability: Lithium Heparin - 48 hours Refrigerated TB Gold Plus 4 tube kit - 16 hours Room Temperature, unincubated. Once incubated at 37°C for 16 - 24 hours, tubes may be held for up to 3 days at 4-27°C prior to centrifugation. After centrifugation, tubes are stable up to 28 days at 2-8 °C.</p> | | | |

| GENERAL INFORMATION | |
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| Testing Schedule | Monday - Friday |
| Expected TAT | 4 - 6 days |
| CPT Code(s) | 86481 |
| Lab Section | Immunology - Serology |