

HLA B27 Antigen

Order Name: **HLA B27**

Test Number: 5580000

Revision Date: 05/15/2023

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
HLA B27 Antigen	Allele Specific Amplification	n/a

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	3.0mL (0.5mL)	Whole Blood	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Room Temperature
Instructions	<b>Specimen:</b> Whole blood - DO NOT Centrifuge or Refrigerate. Collect Monday through Thursday only! <b>Specimen must be received in the lab section by Thursday afternoon or collect sample on Monday.</b> <b>Minimum Volume:</b> 0.5 mL (Note: This volume does not allow for repeat testing.) <b>Specimen stability:</b> 5 days Room Temperature. Frozen unacceptable			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	3 - 7 days
Clinical Use	Assist in the diagnosis of ankylosing spondylitis.
Performing Labcorp Test Code	006924
Notes	This test is being sent out to Labcorp TC# 006924
CPT Code(s)	81374
Lab Section	Reference Lab