

Chikungunya Virus PCR Qualitative

Order Name: **Chikungunya QI**

Test Number: 6900537

Revision Date: 12/29/2025

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Chikungunya Virus PCR Qualitative	Polymerase Chain Reaction	81152-1

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	0.5 mL (0.3 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Frozen
Instructions	<p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Gel-barrier tube</p> <p><b>Specimen Storage:</b> FREEZE</p> <p><b>Specimen Collection:</b> Serum must be separated from cells within 45 minutes of venipuncture. Send serum in a plastic transfer tube.</p> <p><b>Special Instructions:</b> Testing referred to Mayo Medical Laboratory ML#CHIKS</p> <p><b>Specimen Stability:</b> Ambient: Not Available, Refrigerated : 7 days, Frozen: 7 days</p> <p><b>Cause for Rejection:</b> Gross hemolysis, heat-inactivated specimen, or Serum specimen not aliquoted from the serum gel collection tube into a sterile container</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	3-8 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	833600
CPT Code(s)	87798
Lab Section	Reference Lab