## Sjogren's SSA/SSB (La,Ro52,Ro60) Antibodies

Order Name: Sjogrens Abs
Test Number: 5599900
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Sjogren's SSA Ro52	Chemiluminescence Assay	56549-9
Sjogren's SSA Ro52 Interpretation	Interpretive information.	
Sjogren's SSA Ro60	Chemiluminescence Assay	63411-3
Sjogren's SSA Ro60 Interpretation	Interpretive information.	
Sjogren's SSB (La) Antibody	Chemiluminescence Assay	29965-1
Sjogren's SSB (La) Interpretation	Interpretive information.	
Sjogren's Antibody Interpretation	Interpretive information.	

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS					
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment	
Preferred	3 mL (1.5 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Frozen	
Instructions	Allow specimen to clot completely at room temperature. Separate serum from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Stability: Room Temperature 8hrs, Refrigerated: 48hrs, Frozen: 30 days.				

GENERAL INFORMATION				
Testing Schedule	Mon-Fri			
Expected TAT	1-3 Days			
Clinical Use	SSA/Ro52 and Ro60 antibodies			
	Anti-SSA/Ro antibodies may be present in patients with a range of autoimmune disorders, including systemic lupus erythematosus (32%),			
	Sjögren's syndrome (59%), idiopathic inflammatory myopathies (19%), systemic sclerosis (21%), mixed connective tissue disease (29%),			
	rheumatoid arthritis (15%), primary biliary cholangitis/primary biliary cirrhosis and undefined connective tissue disease. The prevalence of			
	anti-Ro60 and anti-Ro52 antibodies in patients with SLE was reported to be 49% and 43%, respectively. In patients with Sjögren's			
	syndrome, these antibodies were detected in 67% and 75% of affected individuals. The presence of anti-Ro52 antibodies may be associated			
	with more severe disease. The prevalence of the two types (Ro52 & Ro60) of anti-Ro antibodies diverge in patients with other autoimmune			
	diseases. Anti-Ro52 antibodies but not anti-Ro60 antibodies were detected in patients with idiopathic inflammatory myopathies (35% versus			
	0%), and anti-Ro52 was more common than anti-Ro60 in patients with systemic sclerosis (19% versus 6%) and Mixed Connective Tissue			
	Disease (29% versus 19%). Women with anti-Ro antibodies, with or without anti-La antibodies and with or without autoimmune disease, are			
	at increased risk for having a child with neonatal lupus syndrome.			
	SSB/La Antibodies			
	Anti-SSB/La antibodies are specific for the diagnosis of Sjögren's syndrome and SLE. In addition, as with anti-SSA/Ro antibodies, anti-SSB			
	/La antibodies may be detected in the mothers of children who are born with neonatal lupus syndrome. These women may or may not have			
	evidence of systemic autoimmune disease			
CPT Code(s)	86235x3			
Lab Section	Immunology - Serology			

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