

## CA 19-9 (Carbohydrate Antigen 19-9)

Order Name: **CA 19-9**  
Test Number: 2024050  
Revision Date: 10/28/2025

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
CA 19-9 (Carbohydrate Antigen 19-9)	Chemiluminescence Assay	24108-3

### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	<b>2mL (1mL)</b>	<b>Serum</b>	<b>Clot Activator SST</b>	<b>Refrigerated</b>
Alternate 1	<b>2mL (1mL)</b>	<b>Plasma</b>	<b>Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)</b>	<b>Refrigerated</b>
Instructions	Stability: Ambient 1 day. Refrigerated 7 days. Frozen > 7 days. Unacceptable: gross hemolysis			

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Mon-Fri
Expected TAT	1-3 days
Clinical Use	Potentially useful adjunct for diagnosis and monitoring of pancreatic cancer.
Notes	Testing performed via Abbott Alinity Immunoassay method. Results obtained with different assay methods should not be used interchangeably in serial testing. It is recommended that only one assay method be used consistently to monitor each patient's course of therapy.
CPT Code(s)	86301
Lab Section	Chemistry