

Thyroid Hormone Binding Ratio (T3 Uptake)

Order Name: **T3UPTAKE**

Test Number: 4502700

Revision Date: 06/15/2018

| TEST NAME                                 | METHODOLOGY             | LOINC CODE |
|---|-------------------------|------------|
| Thyroid Hormone Binding Ratio (T3 Uptake) | Chemiluminescence Assay | 3050-2     |

| SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS |   |               |                                       |                       |
|-----------------------|---|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Specimen              | Specimen Volume (min)   | Specimen Type | Specimen Container                    | Transport Environment |
| Preferred             | 1 mL (0.5)  | Serum         | Clot Activator SST                    | Refrigerated          |
| Alternate 1           | 1 mL (0.5)  | Plasma        | Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top) | Refrigerated          |
| Instructions          | Stability: Ambient 1 day. Refrigerated 14 days. Frozen 30 months. |               |                                       |                       |

| GENERAL INFORMATION |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Testing Schedule    | Mon - Fri   |
| Expected TAT        | 1-3 days  |
| Clinical Use        | Useful clinically for evaluation of thyroid function. |
| CPT Code(s)         | 84479   |
| Lab Section         | Chemistry   |