

## Alpha Subunit (Free)

Order Name: **FREE ASU**

Test Number: 5194324

Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Alpha Subunit (Free)	Immunochemiluminometric (ICMA)	30316-4

### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	<b>1 mL (0.25 mL)</b>	<b>Serum</b>	<b>Clot Activator SST</b>	<b>Frozen</b>
Instructions	<p><b>Notes:</b> 0.25 mL (Note: This volume Does NOT allow for repeat testing.)</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Serum from gel-barrier tube, Serum from red top tube, OR Serum from transfer tube</p> <p><b>Specimen Storage:</b> FREEZE</p> <p><b>Specimen Collection:</b> Transfer the serum into a LabCorp PP transpak frozen purple tube with screw cap (LabCorp ID 49482). <b>FREEZE immediately and maintained frozen until tested.</b> To avoid delays in turnaround time when requesting multiple test on frozen samples, PLEASE SUBMIT SEPARATE FROZEN SPECIMENS FOR EACH TEST REQUESTED.</p> <p><b>Special Instructions:</b> Testing is performed at Esoterix Endocrinology Laboratory: ES#500016</p> <p><b>Specimen Stability:</b> Ambient: 1 day, Refrigerated : 1 day, Frozen: 200 days</p>			

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	6 - 10 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	140269
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 140269
CPT Code(s)	83520
Lab Section	Reference Lab