

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