

## Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV) qPCR (plasma)

Order Name: **VZV qPCR Plasma**  
Test Number: 5194395  
Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
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### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	<b>2 mL (0.5 mL)</b>	<b>Plasma</b>	<b>EDTA (Lavender Top)</b>	<b>Frozen</b>
Instructions	<p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Lavender-top (EDTA) tube <b>Specimen Storage:</b> Maintain specimen at room temperature or FREEZE <b>Specimen Collection:</b> Plasma should be separated from cells within two hours of venipuncture. Send plasma in a plastic transport tube. Specimens shipped at room temperature must be received at Viracor-IBT within 96 hours of collection. <b>Special Instructions:</b> Testing referred to Eurofins Viracor LLC TC#9501 <b>Specimen Stability:</b> Ambient: 96 hours, Refrigerated : Not Available, Frozen: 30 days</p>			

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	2 - 4 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	818576
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 818576
CPT Code(s)	87799
Lab Section	Reference Lab