

## pH Serous Fluid

Order Name: **SRS PH**  
Test Number: 3500350  
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
pH Serous Fluid		2748-2

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	<b>1 mL (0.5)</b>	<b>Serous Fluid</b>	<b>Sterile Screwtop Container</b>	<b>On Ice</b>
Instructions	Venous blood is often drawn simultaneously. Note fluid type on requisition and container. <b>Specimen must be on ice after collection. Deliver to lab immediately.</b>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Daily
Expected TAT	1-2 days
Clinical Use	Useful in assessing acid-base balance.
CPT Code(s)	83986
Lab Section	Chemistry