

Enterovirus DNA PCR

Order Name: **CSF ENTPCR**
Test Number: 5586525
Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Enterovirus Detection by PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction	29591-5
Specimen Type - Prompt [3611815]		

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	See Instructions	Rectal swab	See Instructions	Frozen
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.5 mL)	CSF (Cerebrospinal Fluid)	Sterile Screwtop Container	Frozen
Alternate 2	See Instructions	NP Swab	See Instructions	Frozen
Instructions	Notes: 0.2 mL CSF (noncentrifuged), one NP/throat swab, 1 g fresh stool, OR one rectal swab Specimen Type: Sterile container (CSF, stool), universal transport medium (NP/throat swab, rectal swab) Specimen Storage: Swabs and stools are stable at room temperature, refrigerated, or frozen for seven days. CSF is stable at room temperature or refrigerated for seven days and frozen for 90 days. Specimen Collection: To avoid delays in turnaround time when requesting multiple tests on frozen samples, PLEASE SUBMIT SEPARATE FROZEN SPECIMENS FOR EACH TEST REQUESTED. Specimen Stability: Ambient: Not Available, Refrigerated : Not Available, Frozen: Not Available			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	3 - 4 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	138636
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 138636
CPT Code(s)	87498
Lab Section	Reference Lab