


**Anaplasma Phagocytophilum (HGA), IgG/IgM**

Order Name: **A Phagocytoph Abs**  
Test Number: 5613565  
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
A Phagocytophilum Antibody, IgG	<a href="#">Immunofluorescence Assay (IFA)</a>	23877-4
A Phagocytophilum Antibody, IgM	<a href="#">Immunofluorescence Assay (IFA)</a>	23878-2

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	0.5 mL (0.2 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Instructions	<p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Red-top tube or gel-barrier tube</p> <p><b>Collection:</b> If tube other than a gel-barrier is used, transfer separated serum to a labeled plastic transport tube. Do not freeze gel-barrier tube, pour off serum first.</p> <p><b>Stability:</b> Room temperature: 14 days, Refrigerated: 14 days, Frozen: 14 days (Freeze/Thaw Cycle: 4x)</p> <p><b>?Causes for Rejection:</b> Hemolysis; lipemia; gross bacterial contamination; frozen gel-barrier tube</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	2- 4 days
Clinical Use	Acceptable test for acute or convalescent phase of infection from <i>Anaplasma phagocytophilum</i> . May be useful when PCR testing is not an option (eg, outside the 2 week window for acute phase).
CPT Code(s)	86666x2
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