## Ascension St. John

St. John Health System Lab Catalog

## Transforming Growth Factor beta 1 (TGF ß-1)

Order Name: **TGF-beta1 Plasma** Test Number: 5194422 Revision Date: 07/19/2023

TEST NAME			METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE	
Transforming Growth Factor beta 1 (TGF ß-1)			Microfluidics ELISA		
SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS					
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment	
Preferred	1 mL (0.25 mL)	Plasma	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Frozen	
Instructions	<ul> <li>Specimen Type: Lavender-top (EDTA) tube</li> <li>Specimen Storage: FREEZE</li> <li>Specimen Collection: Plasma must be removed from whole blood within 30 minutes of collection using the following protocol: Centrifuge is pre-set to 1,600g/3,380 RPM for 10 minutes 1. Centrifuge whole blood and collect top 2/3 of plasma into a new tube using a transfer pipet. 2. Centrifuge plasma a second time and collect plasma above pellet into a new tube using a transfer pipet. 3. Centrifuge this plasma a third time and collect plasma above pellet into a new tube using a transfer pipet. 4. Centrifuge plasma a final time and collect plasma above pellet into a new transport tube using a transfer pipet. 5. Freeze immediately and ship on dry ice.</li> <li>Special Instructions: Testing referred to Eurofins Viracor LLC TC#30244</li> <li>Cause of Rejection: Grossly lipemic samples</li> <li>Specimen Stability: Ambient: Not Available, Refrigerated : 21 days, Frozen: 21 days at -20 degrees C</li> </ul>				
GENERAL INFORMATION					
Expected TAT	8 - 13 days				
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 8	Labcorp Test Code: 821342			
CPT Code(s)	83520	83520			
Service Provided By					

