


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

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

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV) qPCR (plasma)		

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (mL)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	2 mL (0.5 mL)	Plasma	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Frozen
Instructions	<p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Lavender-top (EDTA) tube</p> <p><b>Specimen Storage:</b> Maintain specimen at room temperature or FREEZE</p> <p><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.</p> <p><b>Special Instructions:</b> Testing referred to Eurofins Viracor LLC TC#9501</p> <p><b>Specimen Stability:</b> Ambient: 96 hours, Refrigerated : Not Available, Frozen: 30 days</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Expected TAT	2 - 4 days
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 818576
CPT Code(s)	87799
Service Provided By	 <b>labcorp</b> Oklahoma, Inc.