

Finch Droppings Gel Diffusion

Test Code: 185825

Clinical and Procedure

Clinical Utility

The measurement of serum precipitins by gel diffusion is a commonly used technique to assess exposure and sensitization to various antigens. They are usually of the IgG or IgM class.

Procedure

In Ouchterlony gel immunodiffusion the sample and the antigen are placed in opposing wells cut in a uniform layer of agarose. This test has not been cleared or approved for diagnostic use by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Turnaround Time

3 business days from receipt of specimen

Specimen Information

Specimen Type	Order Code	CPT Code	NY Approved	Volume	Assay Range
serum	185825	86331	Yes	0.5 mL (min. 50 uL)	Qualitative

Special Instructions

- 0.5 mL serum, ambient, frozen or refrigerated.
- Stability 4 weeks ambient, refrigerated or frozen.

Qualitative

Disclaimer

Specimens are approved for testing in New York only when indicated in the Specimen Information field above.

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