

Pneumo Ab Type 56 (18C)

Test Code: 72

Clinical and Procedure

Clinical Utility

This assay is only available as part of a panel and cannot be ordered individually.

A common method for evaluating suspected antibody deficiency is to immunize the patient with an appropriately selected vaccine, such as Pneumococcal, and determine vaccine-specific antibody concentrations in a serum sample 4-8 weeks post-immunization compared to a pre-immunization sample.

Procedure

Disclaimer

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