

Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

## ECHINOCOCCUS SEROLOGY

# **Orderable – PARASRO**

Turnaround Time: Up to 10 days

# **Specimen Type and Collection Information:**

Please review the Public Health Ontario Laboratory Test Information Index:

#### Echinococcosis Serology

Specimen Type	Minimum Volume	Collection Kit
Serum	1.0 mL	Gold 5mLVacutainer (SST)
Blood	5.0 mL	Blood, clotted- vacutainer
		tubes (SST) Gold or Red

## **Critical Information Required:**

Specify Echinococcus in the **Specimen Description** field when placing order in PowerChart and on Public Health Laboratory Requisition.

## **Storage and Shipment:**

The specimen must be refrigerated. The specimen must be received within 24 hours of collection.



Laboratory: Microbiology



Requisition: <u>PUBLIC HEALTH</u> <u>LABORATORY TEST</u> <u>REQUISTION</u> This requisition MUST accompany the specimen

Method of Analysis: EIA



**Test Schedule:** Referred out weekdays



#### Referred to:

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