



Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

GALACTOSE-1-PHOSPHATE URILTRANSFERASE -QUALITATIVE, DRIED BLOOD SPOT

# Orderable - G1PUDBS

## **Alternate Name(s):**

Galactosemia Screen



#### Laboratory:

Biochemical Genetics Lab



#### Requisition:

BIOCHEMICAL GENETICS
LAB REQUISITION

## **Specimen:**

Dried blood spots on a Newborn Screening-type card.

Blood can be from a heel prick, finger prick, or Green top (Sodium or Lithium Heparinized) Vacutainer tube.

## **Collection Information:**

On a Newborn Screening-type card, saturate each circle completely (i.e blood dot should be clearly visible on both front and back of card).

Air dry horizontally at room temperature. Do **NOT** heat the card to dry!



**Test Schedule:** As required

Once the blood spots are completely dry (approximately 3 hours) seal the card in a plastic bag and send to Biochemical Genetics at room temperature.

## **Reference Ranges:**

See report