

HIV SEROLOGY Routine

Orderable - HIV

Turnaround Time: Up to 6 days

Alternate Name(s):

HIV Antibody

Specimen Type and Collection Information:

Please review the Public Health Ontario Laboratory Test Information Index:

[HIV – Diagnostic Serology](#)

Specimen Type	Minimum Volume	Collection Kit
Serum	2.0 mL	Blood, clotted - Gold 5mL Vacutainer (SST)
Blood	3.5 mL	Blood, clotted - Gold 5mL Vacutainer (SST)

Refer to [Prenatal-Serology](#) if ordering for Prenatal serology investigation.

For more information on HIV testing for Transplant patients or Needle stick injuries, refer to "HIV-Transplant" or "Needle stick Injury" entries in Laboratory Test Information Guide.

Storage and Shipment:

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



Laboratory:
Microbiology



Requisition:
See electronic order



Method of Analysis:
CMIA
ICT
ELFA



Test Schedule:
Referred out weekdays



Referred to:
Public Health Laboratory
1200 Commissioners Rd E
London, Ontario
519-455-9310