



# ANTI- STREPTOLYSIN O SCREEN

## Orderable - ASO

Turnaround Time: 7 days

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### Alternate Name(s):

ASO Screen and Titre

### Specimen:

Serum - 5 mL Gold or 6 mL Red top Vacutainer tube  
Minimum volume required 1 mL

### Interpretive Comments:

Screen detects antibodies to the enzyme streptolysin O. If screen test is positive, a semi-quantitative method will be done (antistreptolysin O titre/ASOT).

### Storage and Shipment:

Specimen must be received within 24 hours of collection. If the transport time exceeds 24 hours, the specimen will only be tested if appropriate.



**Laboratory:**  
Microbiology



**Requisition:**  
Electronic Order



**Method of Analysis:**  
Slide Agglutination



**Test Schedule:**  
Testing is batched weekly  
on Thursday