

DISSEMINATED  
INTRAVASCULAR  
COAGULATION  
SCREEN

## Orderable - DIC

Turn Around Time: 4 hours

STAT: 1 hour

### Alternate Name(s):

DIC Screen

### Specimen:

4 mL Lavender (K<sub>3</sub>EDTA) and 2.7 mL Blue (3.2% Sodium Citrate) Vacutainer tubes

### Collection Information:

Collect blood aseptically in Vacutainer tubes.

INR/PTT and FIBC can be ordered together on the same tube, platelet count is part of CBC.

### Reference Ranges:

See individual ranges and values for INR, PTT, Platelet Count and Fibrinogen.

### Interpretive Comments:

Screen consists of INR, PTT, Platelet Count and Fibrinogen.

No single test is conclusive in the diagnosis of DIC and results must be assessed in relation to each other.



**Laboratory:**  
Core Lab



**Requisition:**  
GENERAL LABORATORY  
REQUISITION



**Method of Analysis:**  
Refer to individual tests  
for method of analysis



**Test Schedule:**  
As required