

Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

#### IMMUNOGLOBULIN G, CSF

# **Orderable - CSFI**

Turn Around Time: 4 hours

### Alternate Name(s):

CSF IgG CSFI

### Specimen:



Laboratory: Core Lab



Requisition: GENERAL LABORATORY REQUISITION



Method of Analysis: Turbidimetry

Adult	Pediatric
1 mL of CSF and a 5 mL	0-2 years: 0.5 mL Gold or Red
Gold or 6 mL Red top	Microtainer
Vacutainer	2-10 years: 3 mL Gold or Red
	Vacutainer tube
Serum from a 4.5 mL Green (Lithium Heparin) is also	
acceptable.	

**Collection Information:** 

Minimum CSF volume required is 700  $\mu l$ 



**Reference Ranges:** 

10-30 mg/L

### **Interpretive Comments:**

CSF Albumin and Serum Albumin and IgG are also quantitated in order to calculate CSF Index.

## Specimen Stability:

<u>Centrifuged CSF samples:</u> stable for 1 day at room temperature or 7 days refrigerated or one month frozen at -20°C



Test Schedule: Daily



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<u>Serum:</u>

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