



## **TEST UPDATE: Hepatitis B Core Antibody, IgM** **Effective: November 2008**

### **CPT**

86705

### **Synonyms**

HB<sub>c</sub>Ab, IgM

### **Laboratory**

Immunology

### **Availability**

Daily Mon-Fri

### **Specimen**

Blood

### **Volume**

3.5 mL

### **Minimum Volume**

1 mL

### **Container**

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## Reference Range

Negative

## Additional Information

A reactive anti-HBc IgM result does not exclude co-infection by another hepatitis virus.