



TEST UPDATE: Hepatitis C Antibody **Effective: November 2008**

CPT

86803

Synonyms

HCV Antibody

Laboratory

Immunology

Availability

Daily Mon-Fri

Specimen

Blood

Volume

3.5 mL

Minimum Volume

1 mL

Container

SST™

Reference Range

Negative



Additional Information

For confirmation of positive Hepatitis C antibody, see Hepatitis C Virus Antibody by Immunoblot Assay (RIBA), and or HCV by PCR. The results from this or any other diagnostic kit should be used and interpreted only in the context of the overall clinical picture. A negative test result does not exclude the possibility of exposure to hepatitis C virus. the performance of this assay has not been established for populations of immunocompromised, immunosuppressed infant, children, or adolescent patients.