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Performing Location(s)

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Specimen Type

Creatinine, 24 hour urine AND Creatinine, serum

Preferred Container

24 Hour Urine Container with No Preservative Keep refrigerated during collection

Alternate Container

24 Hour Urine container with 6N HCl

Minimum Volume to Submit for Testing

Entire Collection

Storage Requirements

Keep urine refrigerated during and after the collection period.

Transportation Needs

Deliver specimen to the laboratory at the end of collection.

If transportation is expected to exceed 1 hour, provisions must be made to keep the urine chilled.

Causes for Rejection

Mislabeled or unlabeled specimen
Greater than 10% of total volume lost
Inappropriate urine preservative used
Specimen not refrigerated during and after collection
No serum collection within 72 hours of urine collection

Reference Values

Population	Units	Reference Range
All Populations	ml/min/SA or (mL/min)	70-135

Available STAT

No

Methodology

Beckman AU/Dx Series

CPT Code