**BMC** 

# **Specimen Type**

Serum

## **Preferred Container**

Gold or Red top

#### **Minimum Volume**

2 mL Serum

# **Storage Requirements**

Sample tubes should be centrifuged within 2 hours of collection followed by transfer of the serum (red or gold top) to a labeled plastic, aliquot tube and stored refrigerated. See Causes of Rejection for temperature requirements.

# **Transportation Needs**

Deliver specimen to laboratory within 1 hour of collection if unspun. If not possible see "Storage Requirements".

# **Causes for Rejection**

Mislabeled or unlabeled specimen
Plasma
Spun or Unspun sample > 7 days refrigerated
Spun or Unspun sample > 3 days at room temperature
Hemolysis > 500 mg/dL HgB
Lipemia > 3000 mg/dL Trig
Bilirubin > 20 mg/dL Bili
Total Protein > 12 g/dL

#### **Reference Values**

Hepatitis A Antibody (IgG) Reference Range		
Population	Units	Reference Range
All populations	S/CO	Negative

### **Available STAT**

No

### Methodology

Two Step Chemiluminescence Immunoassay

# **CPT Code**

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