

LAB337 Paroxysmal Nocturnal Hemoglobinuria (PNH)

URMC

Additional Test Codes

URMC Code: PNH

Specimen Type

Whole Blood - 1 Dark Lavender top tube

Special Requirements

Must have a **completed and signed** URMC requisition sent with specimens.

Place **specimens, requisition, CBCA results, and billing** in URMC shipping container.

Place bag in URMC pick-up area in CLP and enter information into the log sheet.

If specimens are collected at sites other than MIB campus they MUST arrive by courier by 6pm. Courier arrives for pick up at 7pm.

If Specimen is received on a Friday after 7pm or on a weekend please arrange to have specimen delivered by STAT courier, call URMC to notify them that a specimen is on its way.

Storage/Transport Temperature

Room Temperature

Causes for Rejection

Mislabeled or unlabeled specimens

Frozen

Clotted

Hemolyzed specimens.

Specimens greater than 48 hours old.

CPT Code

Flow Cytometry Cell Markers: 88184 (for 1 marker), 88185 (each additional marker)

Flow Cytometry Interpretation: 88187 (2-8 markers), 88188 (9-15 markers), 88189 (Greater than 16 markers).

The number of markers performed is dependent on the diagnosis.