ABO Group and Rh Type

Test ID:	7788	CPT:	86900, 86901

Clinical Significance

Determination of ABO blood group and Rh type for transfusion candidates. Group and typing of expectant mothers and newborns may indicate potential for ABO hemolytic disease of the fetus/newborn. Rh typing is used to determine Rh immune globulin candidacy for prenatal and postpartum patients.

Test Details

Components:

Methodology: Immune Agglutination

Reference Range

See Laboratory Report

Container

EDTA Lavander tube, ACD-A, or ACD-BD

Transport Temperature

Room Temperature

Specimen(s)

Whole Blood

Specimen Stability

Room temperature: 72 hours
Refrigerated: 6 days

Reject Criteria

Hemolysis, Received frozen, Serum Separator Tube (SST®)Frozen: Unacceptable

Days Performed

Mon-Fri

Collection Instructions

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