

## Anti-Centromere B Antibodies

Test ID: 8220

CPT: 86235

### Clinical Significance

Centromere B Antibody is diagnostic for the form of scleroderma known as CREST (calcinosis, Raynaud's phenomenon, esophageal immotility, sclerodactyly, and telangiectasia).



### Test Details

#### Components:

**Methodology:** Immunoassay (IA)

### Reference Range

< 1.0 Negative > 1.0 positive AI

### Container

Serum Separator Tube (SST)

### Transport Temperature

Refrigerated

### Specimen(s)

Serum

### Specimen Stability

Refrigerated: 7 days  
Frozen: 30 days

### Reject Criteria

Gross hemolysis • Gross lipemia •  
Grossly icteric

### Days Performed

Mon-Fri

### Collection Instructions

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