

Overview

Method Name

Radioimmunoassay (RIA)

NY State Available

No

Specimen

Specimen Type

Serum

Specimen Required

Patient preparation:

1. Patient should be fasting 10-12 hours prior to collection of specimen.
2. Antacids or other medications affecting stomach acidity or gastrointestinal motility should be discontinued, if possible, for at least 48 hours prior to collection.

Specimen Type: Serum

Collection Container/Tube:

Preferred: Red top

Acceptable: Serum gel, EDTA

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Draw blood in plain red-top tube(s), serum gel tube(s) or EDTA is acceptable.
2. Centrifuge and aliquot 3 mL serum in a plastic vial.
3. Send frozen.

Specimen Minimum Volume

1 mL

Reject Due To

Gross hemolysis	Reject
Thawing	Cold reject; Warm reject
Gross lipemia	Reject
Gross icterus	Reject

Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Frozen	14 days	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

24-214 ng/mL

Performance

PDF Report

Referral

Day(s) Performed

Monday through Friday

Report Available

9 to 11 days

Performing Laboratory Location

Inter Science Institute

Fees & Codes

Fees

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- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

Test Classification

This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by Inter Science Institute. Values obtained with different methods, laboratories, or kits cannot be used interchangeably with the results on this report. The results cannot be interpreted as absolute evidence of the presence or absence of malignant disease.

CPT Code Information

83519

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
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FPEPI	Pepsinogen I	Not Provided
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Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
FPEPI	Pepsinogen I	2736-7