



Vasoactive Intestinal Polypeptide, Plasma

Test ID: VIP

Explanation:

Due to a reagent supply issue, this test will be made non-orderable effective immediately. An update will be provided when testing resumes.

Note:

The client-specific fee for VIP will be honored throughout the test down time period and will be displayed as a line-item credit on client statements and applied once testing resumes.

Recommended Alternative Test:

Vasoactive Intestinal Polypeptide (VIP), Plasma

Test ID: FVIPL

Methodology:

Radioimmunoassay (RIA)

Reference Values:

<78 pg/mL

Specimen Requirements:

Specimen Type:	Plasma
Collection Container/Tube:	Lavender top (EDTA)
Submission Container/Tube:	Preservative-free plastic vial
Specimen Volume:	1 mL

Collection Instructions: Draw blood in an EDTA (lavender top) tube(s). Spin down and freeze immediately. Send 1 mL of plasma frozen in a preservative-free plastic vial.

Minimum Volume: 0.75 mL

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Plasma EDTA	Frozen	180 days

CPT Code:

84586

Miscellaneous Referral Test Fee:

\$111.00

Day(s) Performed: Monday, Wednesday

Report Available: 5 to 15 days

Questions

Contact Bethany Feind, Laboratory Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.