



Cholecystokinin (CCK)

Explanation: The following new orderable, referred to Inter Science Institute, is available effective immediately.

Test ID: FCCK1

Methods:

Direct radioimmunoassay

Reference Values:

<80 pg/mL

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

1. Patient should fast for 10 to 12 hours prior to collection of specimens.
2. Antacid medications and medications that affect intestinal motility should be discontinued, if possible, for at least 48 hours prior to collection of specimens.

Collection Container/Tube:

Preferred: Special tube containing G.I. preservative (MCL Supply T125)

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Collect 10 mL blood in special GI preservative tube.
2. Separate plasma immediately and send as soon as possible.
3. Ship frozen.

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
GI Plasma	Frozen	180 days

Fee:

\$220.00

CPT Code:

83519

Day(s) Setup:

Monday, Thursday

Report Available:

14 to 22 days

Questions:

Contact MCL Referrals Supervisor Amy Bluhm at 800-533-1710.