



## Interleukin 1-Beta

**Explanation:** The following new orderable, referred to Inter Science Institute, will be available on December 13, 2024.

**Test ID:** FIN1B

**Methods:**

Enzyme Immunoassay (EIA)

**Reference Values:**

Less than 1.0 pg/mL

**Specimen Requirements:**

**Patient preparation:** Patient should NOT be on any corticosteroids, anti-inflammatory medications, or pain killers, if possible, for at least 48 hours prior to specimen collection.

**Specimen Type:** Serum

**Collection Container/Tube:**

**Preferred:** Red top

**Acceptable:** SST

**Submission Container/Tube:** Plastic vial

**Specimen Volume:** 3 mL

**Collection Instructions:**

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

**Minimum Volume:** 1 mL

**Specimen Stability Information:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Frozen	30 days

**Fee:**  
\$260.00

**CPT Code:**  
83520

**Day(s) Setup:** Monday through Friday

**Report Available:** 12 to 14 days

## **Questions**

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