Lab Dept: Chemistry

Test Name: MINERALCORTICOID

General Information

Lab Order Codes: MTG

Synonyms: Corticosterone

CPT Codes: 82088 – Aldosterone

82528 - Corticosterone

82542 – Column chromatography, includes mass spectrophotometry, if performed, non-drug analytes not elsewhere specified, qualitative or

quantitative, each specimen 82633 – Deoxycorticosterone, 11-

Test Includes: Aldosterone, Corticosterone, 18-OH-Corticosterone, DOC

(deoxycorticosterone)

Logistics

Test Indications: N/A

Lab Testing Sections: Chemistry - Sendouts

Referred to: Lab Corp (LABC Test: 500285)

Phone Numbers: MIN Lab: 612-813-6280

STP Lab: 651-220-6550

Test Availability: Daily, 24 hours

Turnaround Time: 3 – 9 days, test performed on Monday

Special Instructions: N/A

Specimen

Specimen Type: Blood

Container: SST (Gold, marble or red) tube

Draw Volume: 7.5 mL (Minimum: 4.5 mL) blood

Processed Volume: 2.5 mL (Minimum: 1.5 mL) serum

Note: Submission of the minimum volume does not allow repeat

analysis.

Collection: Routine venipuncture

Special Processing: Lab Staff: Centrifuge specimen within one hour of collection. Remove

serum aliquot into a screw-capped round bottom plastic vial. Store and

ship at frozen temperatures. Forward promptly.

Patient Preparation: None

Sample Rejection: Specimen other than serum; mislabeled or unlabeled specimens

Interpretive

Reference Range: See specific report.

Critical Values: N/A

Limitations: N/A

Methodology: See specific report.

References: Lab Corp November 2021

Updates: 12/14/2017: Update CPT and collection container.

11/18/2021: Moved from Esoterix to Lab Corp