
Lab Dept: Chemistry

Test Name: MINERALCORTICOID

General Information

Lab Order Codes: MTG

Synonyms: Corticosterone

CPT Codes: 82088 – Aldosterone
82528 – Corticosterone
83519 – Immunoassay, analyte, quantitative; by radiopharmaceutical technique
82633 – Deoxycorticosterone, 11-

Test Includes: Aldosterone, Corticosterone, 18-OH-Corticosterone, DOC (deoxycorticosterone)

Logistics

Test Indications: N/A

Lab Testing Sections: Chemistry - Sendouts

Referred to: Esoterix, Inc. (ESL Test: 500915)

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: Red top 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 individual test listings.
References:	Esoterix, Inc (December 2014) Esoterix, Inc. "Expected Value & S.I. Unit Conversion Table" Fifth Edition. 2003