

# BARTONELLA SEROLOGY

## Orderable - CATSF

Turnaround Time: Up to 10 days

### Alternate Name(s):

Cat Scratch Fever (Bartonella) Antibody

### Specimen Type and Collection Information:

Please review the Public Health Ontario Laboratory Test Information Index:

#### Bartonella henselae

Specimen Type	Minimum Volume	Collection Kit
Serum	1.0 mL	Vacutainer tubes (SST), Gold 5 mL
Blood, Clotted	5.0 mL	Vacutainer tubes (SST), Gold 5 mL



**Laboratory:**  
Microbiology



**Requisition:**  
[PUBLIC HEALTH  
LABORATORY TEST  
REQUISITION](#)

This requisition **MUST**  
accompany the specimen



**Method of Analysis:**  
IFA IgG



**Test Schedule:**  
Referred out weekdays



**Referred to:**  
Public Health Laboratory  
1200 Commissioners Rd E  
London, Ontario  
519-455-9310

### Critical Information Required

Ensure the Public Health Laboratory Requisition include the following:

- Clinical symptoms
- Exposure (e.g. animal contact)
- Onset date

### Storage and Shipment:

The specimen must be refrigerated.  
The specimen must be received within 24 hours of collection.