



Pathology and Laboratory Medicine



Orderable - APOA1

Turn Around Time: 2 days

Specimen:

5 mL Gold top Vacutainer tube

Collection Information:

It is mandatory that patient be fasting for a minimum of 12 hours.

Collect blood aseptically in a Vacutainer tube.

Grossly hemolyzed and grossly lipemic specimens are unacceptable for analysis.



Requisition:

Laboratory: Core Lab

GENERAL LABORATORY REQUISITION



Method of Analysis: Immunoturbidimetric assay from Siemen Advia

Reference Ranges:

Male	Female
1.10-2.05 g/L	1.25-2.15 g/L



Test Schedule:

2400

Referred out weekdays Monday-Friday



Referred Out Location: LifeLabs

Interpretive Comments:

Lipid target values should be based on patient 10 year CVD risk assessment. 2012 revised treatment goals include:

High or Intermediate CVD risk Primary LDL-c \leq 2.0 mmol/L or Tx target ≥ 50% decrease in LDL-c

Alternate Non HDL-c ≤ 2.6 mmol/L or Tx target ApoB ≤ 0.8 g/L

Low CVD risk Primary ≥ 50% decrease in LDL-c

Storage and Shipment:

Store and ship refrigerated at 2-8 °C. Specimen is stable for 7 days refrigerated.