# BILE ACIDS, SERUM

# **Orderable - BILACID**

Turn Around Time: 4 days

## Alternate Name(s):

Bile Acids: Total

#### Specimen:

5 mL Gold top Vacutainer tube

4.5 mL Green (Li-Heparin) top Vacutainer tube is also acceptable

### **Collection Information:**

Minimum volume required for testing is 0.5 mL.

Fasting specimen preferred.

Spin, separate and store until tested.



Test Schedule: Batch testing - Twice per week (Tuesday and Thursday)

#### **Reference Ranges:**

0.0-10.0 umol/L (fasting sample)

#### **Storage and Shipment:**

Stable 7 days at 4° C, store frozen -20° C up to 3 months



Pathology and Laboratory Medicine



Laboratory: Core Lab



Requisition: GENERAL LABORATORY REQUISITION

Method of Analysis: Colourimetric Enzymatic Assay