

Test Definition: HIVQN

HIV-1 RNA Detection and Quantification,
Plasma

Reporting Title: HIV-1 RNA Detect/Quant, P

Performing Location: Rochester

Shipping Instructions:

Ship specimen frozen on dry ice. If shipment will be delayed for more than 24 hours, freeze plasma specimen at -20 to -80 degrees C until shipment and transport on dry ice.

Specimen Requirements:

Supplies: Sarstedt Aliquot Tube, 5 mL (T914) **Collection Container/Tube:** Lavender top (EDTA)

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 1.5 mL **Collection Instructions:**

- 1. Centrifuge blood collection tube and aliquot plasma into a plastic vial per manufacturer's instructions (eg, centrifuge and aliquot within 2 hours of collection for BD Vacutainer tubes).
- 2. Freeze aliquoted plasma for shipment.

Forms:

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send 1 of the following forms with the specimen:

- -Microbiology Test Request (T732)
- -General Request (T239)

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Plasma EDTA	Frozen (preferred)	84 days	
	Refrigerated	6 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
113581	HIV-1 RNA Detect/Quant, P	Alphanumeric	copies/mL	70241-5

LOINC® and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

87536

Reference Values:

Undetected