

Test Definition: VITE

Vitamin E, Serum

Reporting Title: Vitamin E, S

Performing Location: Rochester

Shipping Instructions:

Ship specimen in amber vial to protect from light.

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation: Fasting overnight (12-14 hours) (infants-draw prior to next feeding) Supplies: Amber Frosted Tube, 5 mL (T915) Collection Container/Tube: Preferred: Red top Acceptable: Serum gel Submission Container/Tube: Amber vial Specimen Volume: 0.5 mL

Collection Instructions: Within 24 hours of collection, centrifuge, and aliquot serum into an amber vial to protect from light.

Forms:

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a General Request (T239) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container	
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	44 days	LIGHT PROTECTED	
	Frozen	44 days	LIGHT PROTECTED	
	Ambient	7 days	LIGHT PROTECTED	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
2350	A-Tocopherol, Vitamin E	Numeric	mg/L	1823-4

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

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information: 84446

Reference Values: 0-17 years: 3.8-18.4 mg/L > or =18 years: 5.5-17.0 mg/L