

Reporting Title: DRVVT Confirmation Ratio
Performing Location: Rochester

Ordering Guidance:
Because no single coagulation test can identify or exclude all lupus anticoagulants (LA), and because of the complexity of testing LA, one of the following Coagulation Consultation reflexive panel procedures are recommended if clinically indicated:
ALUPP / Lupus Anticoagulant Profile, Plasma
AATHR / Thrombophilia Profile, Plasma and Whole Blood
APROL / Prolonged Clot Time Profile, Plasma

Additional Testing Requirements:
Serum anticardiolipin antibody testing (CLPMG / Phospholipid [Cardiolipin] Antibodies, IgG and IgM, Serum) and anti-beta-2 glycoprotein I (B2GMG / Beta-2 Glycoprotein 1 Antibodies, IgG and IgM, Serum) antibody testing should also be performed in conjunction with coagulation-based testing for lupus anticoagulants to enhance detection of different types of antiphospholipid antibodies.

Specimen Requirements:
Only orderable as part of a reflex. For more information see DRV11 / Dilute Russell's Viper Venom Time (DRVVT), with Reflex, Plasma.

Specimen Type: Platelet-poor plasma
Collection Container/Tube: Light-blue top (3.2% sodium citrate)
Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial
Specimen Volume: 1 mL
Collection Instructions:

- 1. For complete instructions, see [Coagulation Guidelines for Specimen Handling and Processing](#).
- 2. Centrifuge, remove plasma, and centrifuge plasma again.
- 3. Aliquot into a separate plastic vial, leaving 0.25 mL in the bottom of the centrifuged vial.
- 4. Freeze plasma immediately (no longer than 4 hours after collection) at -20 degrees C or, ideally, -40 degrees C or below.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Plasma Na Cit	Frozen	14 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
RCRI3	DRVVT Confirmation Ratio	Numeric	ratio	50410-0

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

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

85613

Reference Values:

Only orderable as part of a reflex. For more information see DRVI1 / Dilute Russell's Viper Venom Time (DRVVT), with Reflex, Plasma.

<1.20

Normal ranges for children: not clearly established, but similar to normal ranges for adults, except for newborn infants whose results may not reach adult values until 3 to 6 months.