

Reporting Title: Hemoquant, F

Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation: Patient should refrain from ingesting red meat and aspirin-containing products (eg, Excedrin, Aspirin) for 3 days prior to specimen collection.

Collection Container/Tube: Hemoquant Specimen Collection (T134)

Submission Container/Tube: Screw-capped tube

Specimen Volume: 1 g

Collection Instructions: Collect random specimen from a single defecation.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Fecal	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Ambient	7 days	
	Frozen		

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
2410	Fecal Hemoglobin	Numeric	mg Hb/g	27396-1

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

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

84126

Reference Values:

Normal:

< or =2.0 mg total hemoglobin/g feces

Marginal:

2.1-4.0 mg total hemoglobin/g feces*

*2.1-4.0 mg Hb/g is considered marginally elevated, but not clinically significant, if red meat, warfarin, or aspirin was ingested 72 hours prior to collection.

Elevated:

>4.0 mg total hemoglobin/g feces