

**Reporting Title:** West Nile Virus RNA, PCR, CSF

### Specimen Requirements:

**Preferred:** Vial number 2

**Acceptable:** Any vial number

**Submission Container/Tube:** Sterile screw cap vial

**Specimen Volume:** 0.5 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Do not centrifuge or heat inactivate.

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a Microbiology Test Request (T244) with the specimen.

### Result Codes:

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

## Supplemental Report:

No

### CPT Code Information:

87798

### Reference Values:

Negative

Reference values apply to all ages.