

Reporting Title: Aldosterone, P
Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Collection Container/Tube: Lavender top (EDTA)

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 2 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. See [Renin-Aldosterone Studies](#) for detailed instructions.
2. The recommended collection time is 8 a.m., after the patient is [active](#) for approximately 2 hours. Try to collect the specimen as close to that time as possible and no later than 10 a.m.
3. Centrifuge and aliquot plasma into a plastic vial.

Forms:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Plasma EDTA	Frozen (preferred)	30 days	
	Refrigerated	28 days	
	Ambient	4 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
65424	Aldosterone, P	Numeric	ng/dL	1763-2

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

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

82088

Reference Values:

- 0-30 days: 17-154 ng/dL*
- 31 days-11 months: 6.5-86 ng/dL*
- 1-10 years:
- < or =40 ng/dL (supine)*
- < or =124 ng/dL (upright)*
- > or =11 years: < or =21 ng/dL (a.m. peripheral vein specimen)

*Loeuille GA, Racadot A, Vasseur P, Vandewalle B. Blood and urinary aldosterone levels in normal neonates, infants and children. *Pediatric*. 1981;36(5):335-344

For International System of Units (SI) conversion for Reference Values, see
www.mayocliniclabs.com/order-tests/si-unit-conversion.html.