

Reporting Title: Bilirubin, S
Performing Location: Rochester

Shipping Instructions:
Ship specimen in amber vial to protect from light.

Necessary Information:
Patient's age and sex are required.

Specimen Requirements:
Supplies: Amber Frosted Tube, 5 mL (T915)
Collection Container/Tube:
Preferred: Serum gel
Acceptable: Red top
Submission Container/Tube: Amber vial
Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions:
1. Serum gel tubes should be centrifuged within 2 hours of collection.
2. Red-top tubes should be centrifuged, and the serum aliquoted into an amber vial within 2 hours of collection.

Forms:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	24 hours	LIGHT PROTECTED
	Frozen	30 days	LIGHT PROTECTED
	Ambient	6 hours	LIGHT PROTECTED

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
BILID	Bilirubin, Direct	Numeric	mg/dL	1968-7
BILIT	Bilirubin Total, S	Numeric	mg/dL	1975-2

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

Supplemental Report:
No

Components:

Test Id	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Available Separately
BILIT	Bilirubin Total, S	1	82247	Yes	Yes
BILID	Bilirubin, Direct	1	82248	Yes	Yes

CPT Code Information:

82247-Bilirubin, total

82248-Bilirubin, direct

Reference Values:

Direct Bilirubin

> or =12 months: 0.0-0.3 mg/dL

Reference values have not been established for patients who are younger than 12 months of age.

Total Bilirubin

0-6 days: Refer to www.bilitool.org for information on age-specific (postnatal hour of life) serum bilirubin values.

7-14 days: 0.0-14.9 mg/dL

15 days to 17 years: 0.0-1.0 mg/dL

> or =18 years 0.0-1.2 mg/dL