

Reporting Title: Carcinoembryonic Ag (CEA), CSF
Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:
Collection Container/Tube: Sterile vial
Submission Container/Tube: 13 x 75-mm tube
Specimen Volume: 0.5 mL

Forms:
[If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send an Oncology Test Request](#) (T729) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
CSF	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days	
	Frozen	90 days	
	Ambient	7 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
CEASF	Carcinoembryonic Ag (CEA), CSF	Numeric	ng/mL	2037-0

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

Supplemental Report:
No

CPT Code Information:
82378

Reference Values:
<0.6 ng/mL
Tumor markers are not specific for malignancy, and values may vary by method.