

Reporting Title: Alpha Fetoprotein, AF
Performing Location: Rochester

Necessary Information:

The following information is required:

- 1. Estimated due date by ultrasound
- 2. Collection date
- 3. Gestational age must be between 13 and 24 weeks; 16 to 18 weeks preferred.

If not ordering electronically, provide information on [Second Trimester Maternal Screening Alpha-Fetoprotein / Quad Screen Patient Information](#) (T595) and send with specimen.

Specimen Requirements:

Container/Tube: Amniotic fluid container

Specimen Volume: 0.75 mL

Collection Instructions: Do not centrifuge.

Forms:

[Second Trimester Maternal Screening Alpha-Fetoprotein / Quad Screen Patient Information](#) (T595) is required.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Amniotic Fld	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Ambient	7 days	

Ask at Order Entry (AOE) Questions:

Test ID	Question ID	Description	Type	Reportable
AFPA	DRPN1	Physician Phone Number	Plain Text	Yes
AFPA	DAT15	EDD by US Scan	Plain Text	Yes

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
6739	Collection Date	Alphanumeric		58734-5
6740	Last Menstrual Period (LMP)	Alphanumeric		8665-2
24233	EDD by LMP	Alphanumeric		11779-6
24239	GA at Collection by Scan	Alphanumeric	wk,d	11888-5
24240	GA at Collection by Dates	Alphanumeric	wk,d	11885-1
24234	GA Used	Alphanumeric		21299-3
24241	Results	Alphanumeric		29595-6
24235	Interpretation	Alphanumeric		59462-2
24236	Additional Comments	Alphanumeric		48767-8
24237	Follow up	Alphanumeric		80615-8
24238	General Test Info	Alphanumeric		48767-8

9950	Alpha Fetoprotein, AF	Alphanumeric		1832-5
DAT15	EDD by US Scan	Alphanumeric		11781-2

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

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

82106

82013 (if appropriate)

Reflex Tests:

Test Id	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Available Separately
ACHE_	Acetylcholinesterase, AF	1	82013	No	Yes

Result Codes for Reflex Tests:

Test ID	Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
ACHE_	9287	Acetylcholinesterase, AF	Alphanumeric		30106-9
ACHE_	GACHE	Gestational Age (ACHE)	Alphanumeric		18185-9

Reference Values:

< 2.0 multiples of median (MoM)