

Test Definition: FPEPA

Gastric Pepsin A Assay

Overview

Method Name

Enzymatic method

NY State Available

No

Specimen

Specimen Type

Body Fluid

Specimen Required

Specimen Type: Tracheal or Bronch Fluid

Sources: Tracheal or Bronch Fluid

Container/Tube: Standard Transport Tube

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: 1 mL Tracheal or Bronch Fluid shipped frozen.

Specimen Minimum Volume

0.5 mL

Reject Due To

Hemolysis	NA
Lipemia	NA NA
Icterus	NA
Other	NA

Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Body Fluid	Frozen	30 days	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

Protein Unit: mg/mL



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Pepsin A Unit: ng/mL

Pepsin A Reference Range (Units):

Pepsin A Reference Range (ng/mL):

<12.5 negative

12.5-100 weak to moderate positive

>100 strong positive

Performance

PDF Report

No

Day(s) Performed

Monday through Friday

Report Available

2 to 9 days

Performing Laboratory Location

Nemours Children's Health-Gastroenterology

Fees & Codes

Fees

- Authorized users can sign in to <u>Test Prices</u> for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact <u>Customer Service</u> 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact <u>Customer Service</u>.

CPT Code Information

83986, 84157, 82657

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FPEPA	Pepsin A Assay	Not Provided
Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value

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Z3670	Specimen Type	31208-2
Z3671	рН	Not Provided
Z3672	Protein	Not Provided
Z3673	Pepsin A	Not Provided



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Z3674 Interpretation Not Provided