



# Test Definition: FHSAG

MVista Histoplasma Ag Quantitative, Spinal Fluid

## Overview

### Method Name

Quantitative Sandwich Enzyme Immunoassay (EIA)

### NY State Available

Yes

## Specimen

### Specimen Type

CSF

### Specimen Required

**Specimen Type:** Spinal Fluid

**Sources:** CSF

**Container/Tube:** Sterile container

**Specimen Volume:** 0.8 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Collect 0.8 mL of spinal fluid (CSF). Ship refrigerated, 0.8 mL of spinal fluid. Send specimen in a plastic, screw-capped vial refrigerated.

### Specimen Minimum Volume

0.8 mL

### Reject Due To

Other	Specimen that is too viscous to pipette. Tissue, biopsy, sputum, bronchial brush, tracheal aspirate, FNA, bone marrow aspirate, stool or samples in transport media, fixative or Isolator tubes
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### Specimen Stability Information

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

## Clinical & Interpretive

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**Reference Values**

Reference interval: None Detected

Reportable Range: Positive Results reported in ng/mL from 0.20 ng/mL to 20.00 ng/mL.

Positive Results above 20.00 ng/mL are reported as "Above the Limit of Quantification".

**Cautions**

Cross-reactions are seen with blastomycosis, paracoccidioidomycosis, penicilliosis, less frequently in coccidioidomycosis, rarely in aspergillosis and possibly sporotrichosis.

Sputolysin, sodium hydroxide and potassium hydroxide treatment degrade the analyte detected in the assay.

**Performance****PDF Report**

No

**Day(s) Performed**

Monday through Friday

**Report Available**

3 to 5 days

**Performing Laboratory Location**

MiraVista Diagnostics

**Fees & Codes****Fees**

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

**Test Classification**

This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by MiraVista Diagnostics. It has not been cleared or approved by the FDA; however, FDA clearance or approval is not currently required for clinical use. The results are not intended to be used as the sole means for clinical diagnosis or patient management decisions.

**CPT Code Information**

87385

**LOINC® Information**

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FHSAG	MVista Histoplasma Ag, CSF	51754-0

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
Z1722	Result:	51754-0
Z1034	Interpretation	Not Provided