

Reporting Title: Chromogranin A, S**Performing Location:** Rochester**Specimen Requirements:**

Patient Preparation: For at least 2 weeks before specimen collection, patient should stop taking proton pump inhibitor medications.

Supplies: Sarstedt Aliquot Tube, 5 mL (T914)

Collection Container/Tube:

Preferred: Serum gel

Acceptable: Red top

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 0.5 mL

Collection Information: Centrifuge and aliquot serum into plastic vial. Do not submit in original tube.

Specimen Minimum Volume:

0.2 mL

Forms:

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send 1 of the following forms with the specimen:

-General Request (T239)

-Oncology Test Request (T729)

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Frozen (preferred)	90 days	
	Ambient	48 hours	
	Refrigerated	48 hours	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
CGAK	Chromogranin A, S	Numeric	ng/mL	9811-1

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

86316

Reference Values:

<93 ng/mL

Reference values apply to all ages.