

Reporting Title: Potassium, 24 HR, U**Performing Location:** Rochester**Necessary Information:**

24-Hour volume (in milliliters) is required.

Specimen Requirements:

Supplies: Sarstedt 5 mL Aliquot Tube (T914)

Collection Container/Tube: 24-Hour graduated urine container with no metal cap or glued insert

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic, 5 mL tube or a clean, plastic aliquot container with no metal cap or glued insert

Specimen Volume: 5 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Collect urine for 24 hours.
2. Refrigerate specimen within 4 hours of completion of 24-Hour collection.

Additional Information:

See Urine Preservatives-Collection and Transportation for 24-Hour Urine Specimens for multiple collections.

Specimen Minimum Volume:

1 mL

Urine Preservative Collection Options:

Note: The addition of preservative or application of temperature controls must occur within 4 hours of completion of the collection.

Ambient OK

Refrigerate Preferred

Frozen OK

50% Acetic Acid OK

Boric Acid OK

Diazolidinyl Urea OK

6M Hydrochloric Acid OK

6M Nitric Acid No

Sodium Carbonate OK

Thymol OK

Toluene No

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Urine	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days	
	Frozen	30 days	

	Ambient	7 days	
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Ask at Order Entry (AOE) Questions:

Test ID	Question ID	Description	Type	Reportable
KUR	TM28	Collection Duration	Plain Text	Yes
KUR	VL26	Urine Volume	Plain Text	Yes

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
KURU	Potassium, 24 Hr, U	Numeric	mmol/24 h	2829-0
TM28	Collection Duration	Numeric	h	13362-9
VL26	Urine Volume	Numeric	mL	3167-4

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

84133

Reference Values:

> or =18 years: 16-105 mmol/24 hours

Reference values have not been established for patients who are younger than 18 years of age.