

**Reporting Title:** Immunoglobulin A (IgA), S**Performing Location:** Rochester**Ordering Guidance:**

Cascade testing is recommended for celiac disease. Cascade testing ensures that testing proceeds in an algorithmic fashion. The following cascades are available; select the appropriate one for your specific patient situation.

- CDCOM / Celiac Disease Comprehensive Cascade, Serum and Whole Blood: Complete testing including HLA DQ
- CDSP / Celiac Disease Serology Cascade, Serum: Complete serology testing excluding HLA DQ
- CDGF / Celiac Disease Gluten-Free Cascade, Serum and Whole Blood: For patients already adhering to a gluten-free diet

To order individual tests, see Celiac Disease Diagnostic Testing Algorithm.

**Specimen Requirements:**

Collection Container/Tube:

Preferred: Serum gel

Acceptable: Red top

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: Centrifuge and aliquot serum into a plastic vial.

**Specimen Minimum Volume:**

0.5 mL

**Forms:**

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a Gastroenterology and Hepatology Test Request (T728) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	28 days	
	Frozen	28 days	
	Ambient	14 days	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
IGA	Immunoglobulin A (IgA), S Also used by tests: IMMIG	Numeric	mg/dL	2458-8

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

No

**CPT Code Information:**

82784

**Reference Values:**

0-<5 months: 7-37 mg/dL  
5-<9 months: 16-50 mg/dL  
9-<15 months: 27-66 mg/dL  
15-<24 months: 36-79 mg/dL  
2-<4 years: 27-246 mg/dL  
4-<7 years: 29-256 mg/dL  
7-<10 years: 34-274 mg/dL  
10-<13 years: 42-295 mg/dL  
13-<16 years: 52-319 mg/dL  
16-<18 years: 60-337 mg/dL  
> or =18 years: 61-356 mg/dL