

**Reporting Title:** Hemoglobin A1c, B**Performing Location:** Rochester**Specimen Requirements:**

Container/Tube: Lavender top (EDTA)

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions: Send specimen in original tube. Do not aliquot.

**Specimen Minimum Volume:**

2 mL

**Forms:**

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send General Test Request (T239) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Whole Blood EDTA	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Frozen	7 days	
	Ambient	24 hours	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
HBA1C	Hemoglobin A1c, B Also used by tests: A1CJ	Numeric	%	4548-4

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

No

**CPT Code Information:**

83036

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**Reference Values:**

4.0-5.6%

<18 years: Hemoglobin A1c criteria for diagnosing diabetes have not been established for patients who are <18 years of age.

> or =18 years: Increased risk for diabetes (prediabetes): 5.7-6.4%

Diabetes: > or =6.5%

Interpretive information based on Diagnosis and Classification of Diabetes Mellitus, American Diabetes Association.