

Mercury, Hair

Reporting Title: Mercury, Hair **Performing Location:** Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Supplies: Hair and Nails Collection Kit (T565) Specimen Volume: 0.2 g Collection Instructions: Prepare and transport specimen per the instructions in the kit or see Collecting Hair and Nails for Metals Testing. Additional Information: If known, indicate source of hair (axillary, head, or pubic).

Specimen Minimum Volume:

0.05 g

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Hair	Ambient (preferred)		
	Frozen		
	Refrigerated		

Ask at Order Entry (AOE) Questions:

Test ID	Question ID	Description	Туре	Reportable
HGHAR	HGHSC	Specimen Source: • Head • Pubic • Axillary • Scalp	Answer List	Yes

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
31900	Mercury, Hair	Numeric	mcg/g	5686-1
HGHSC	Specimen Source	Alphanumeric		31208-2

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:

No



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CPT Code Information:

83825

Reference Values:

0-15 years: Not established > or =16 years: <1.0 mcg/g of hair