

**Reporting Title:** Interleukin 1-Alpha**Performing Location:** Inter Science Institute**Specimen Requirements:**

Patient preparation: Patient should NOT be on any corticosteroids, anti-inflammatory medications, or pain killers, if possible, for at least 48 hours prior to specimen collection.

Specimen Type: Serum

Collection Container/Tube: Red top or SST

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s), serum-gel tube(s) is acceptable.
2. Separate immediately and send 3 mL of serum frozen in a plastic vial.

**Specimen Minimum Volume:**

1 mL

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Frozen	30 days	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
Z0942	Interleukin 1-Alpha	Alphanumeric	pg/mL	33821-0

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

No

**CPT Code Information:**

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**Reference Values:**

Less than 3.9 pg/mL