



Allergen Specific IgG Testing

Test Code: See Service Directory or Web Site

CPT CODE	Refer to individual test listing
SPECIMEN REQUIREMENT	
Type:	Serum
Volume:	0.5 mL for 1-30 tests
Handling:	
Storage:	Ambient
Shipping:	No special shipping requirements
METHODOLOGY	EIA
SET-UP SCHEDULE	Monday through Friday Note: The set-up schedule is subject to change without notice or when a holiday falls on a week day.
STANDARD TURNAROUND TIME	2-3 business days from receipt of specimen
REFERENCE RANGE	See Report
CLINICAL UTILITY	Although there have been many publications concerning the measurement of allergen-specific IgG, the clinical utility of such tests has not been established except in special situations. Thus, the quantitative IgG test should only be ordered by specialists who recognize the limitations of the test. The normal reference ranges reported represent the expected results for individuals who have no unusual exposure and have not been immunized with the indicated allergen. The ranges reported have no disease-associated significance. The test was developed on its performance characteristics determined by IBT Reference Laboratory. * It has not been cleared or approved by the FDA.
STABILITY	1 week ambient, 4 weeks refrigerated, 1 year frozen