



Bird Fancier's Profile Panel III

Test Code 401709

| | |
|---------------------------------|---|
| CPT CODE | 82785 x 1 86003 x 5 86331 x 12 |
| SPECIMEN REQUIREMENT | Type: Serum Volume: 2.5 mL Handling: Storage: Ambient Shipping: No special shipping requirements |
| METHODOLOGY | Immulite 2000 ImmunoCAP FEIA – IgE Gel Diffusion (Ouchterlony) |
| SET-UP SCHEDULE | ImmunoCAP IgE – Monday thru Friday Total IgE: Monday, Wednesday, Friday Gel Diffusion: Tuesday and Friday |
| STANDARD TURNAROUND TIME | 3-5 business days from receipt of specimen |
| CLINICAL UTILITY | For patients who have both precipitating antibody specific for bird antigens and the symptoms and the clinical findings of pneumonitis, a diagnosis of bird fancier's lung disease may be appropriate. It is important to recognize that a positive serology alone cannot be used to establish the diagnosis of HP or Bird Fancier's Lung without appropriate clinical findings and exposure history. |
| STABILITY | <u>ImmunoCap IgE</u> – 4 weeks ambient 4 weeks refrigerated and 1 year frozen. <u>Total IgE</u> : 4 weeks ambient, 4 weeks refrigerated <u>Gel Diffusion</u> : 4 weeks ambient, 4 weeks refrigerated |
