
Overview**Method Name**

Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR)

NY State Available

No

Specimen**Specimen Type**

Varies

Necessary Information

Specimen source is required.

Specimen Required

Submit only 1 of the following specimens:

Source is required.

Preferred:**Specimen Type:** Respiratory**Sources:** Bronchial lavage or wash, nasopharyngeal lavage or wash, or tracheal lavage or wash**Container/Tube:** Sterile, plastic, leak-proof container**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL**Stability:** Ambient 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days; Frozen 30 days**Other acceptable specimens:****Specimen Type:** Fluid**Source:** Spinal Fluid**Container/Tube:** Sterile, plastic, leak-proof vial**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL**Stability:** Ambient 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days; Frozen 30 days**Specimen Type:** Urine**Container/Tube:** Sterile, plastic, leak-proof container**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL**Stability:** Ambient 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days (**DO NOT FREEZE**)

Specimen Type: Whole Blood

Container/Tube: Lavender-top (EDTA) or yellow-top (ACD)

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: Draw blood in a lavender-top (EDTA) tube(s) or yellow-top (ACD) tube(s) and send 1 mL whole blood refrigerated (**DO NOT FREEZE**).

Stability: Ambient 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days

Specimen Type: Serum

Collection Container/Tube: Red-top

Submission Container/Tube: 12x75 mm screw capped vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: Draw blood in a plain red-top tube(s). Spin down and send 1 mL serum in a plastic, screw-capped vial. Send specimen refrigerated.

Stability: Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days; Frozen 30 days

Specimen Type: Plasma

Collection Container/Tube: yellow-top (ACD), lavender-top (DTA), or PPT (white-top) tube

Submission Container Type: 12x75 mm screw capped vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: Draw blood in a yellow-top (ACD) or lavender-top (EDTA) tube(s). Spin down and transfer 1 mL ACD or EDTA plasma into a plastic, screw capped vial. Send specimen refrigerated.

Stability: Ambient 48 hours; Refrigerated 7 days; Frozen 30 days

Specimen Minimum Volume

0.35 mL

Reject Due To

Other	Whole blood or plasma anticoagulated with heparin; calcium alginate swabs, sputum
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Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Frozen	30 days	
	Ambient	48 hours	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

Not Detected

Performance

PDF Report

No

Day(s) Performed

Monday through Sunday

Report Available

3 to 5 days

Performing Laboratory Location

Quest Diagnostics

Fees & Codes

Fees

- Authorized users can sign in to [Test Prices](#) for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their Regional Manager. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

Test Classification

This test was developed and its analytical performance characteristics have been determined by Quest Diagnostics. It has not been cleared or approved by FDA. This assay has been validated pursuant to the CLIA regulations and is used for clinical purposes.

CPT Code Information

87799

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FADNA	Adenovirus DNA, Quant Real-Time PCR	49340-3

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
Z6088	Source	31208-2
Z6089	Adenovirus DNA, QN PCR	49340-3
Z6090	Adenovirus DNA, QN RT PCR	Not Provided