

Overview

Method Name

Real - Time Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR)

NY State Available

Yes

Specimen

Specimen Type

Whole blood

Specimen Required

Specimen Type: Whole Blood

Container/Tube: EDTA Tube

Specimen Volume: 3mL

Collection Instructions: Collect 1 mL (lavender-top) EDTA whole blood. Ship refrigerate.

Reject Due To

Hemolysis	Mild Reject; Gross Reject
Lipemia	NA
Icterus	NA
Other	Heparinized whole blood

Specimen Minimum Volume

0.5 mL

Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Whole blood	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days	
	Frozen	30 days	
	Ambient	7 days	

Clinical & Interpretive**Reference Values**

Reference Range: Not Detected

Performance**PDF Report**

No

Performing Laboratory Location

Quest Diagnostics

Fees & Codes**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.

This test is performed pursuant to a license agreement with Roche Molecular Systems, Inc.

CPT Code Information

87538

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC Value
FHV2Q	HIV-2 DNA/RNA Qualitative RT-PCR	Unable to Verify

Result ID	Reporting Name	LOINC®
Z0711	HIV-2 DNA/RNA	25841-8