



# Test Definition: FMTAG

Rickettsia typhi (murine typhus) Antibodies,  
IgG

## Overview

### Method Name

Indirect Fluorescent Antibody (IFA)

### NY State Available

No

## Specimen

### Specimen Type

Serum

### Specimen Required

#### Collection Container/Tube:

**Preferred:** Red top

**Acceptable:** Serum gel

**Submission Container/Tube:** Plastic vial

**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL Serum

#### Collection Instructions:

1. Centrifuge and aliquot 1 mL of serum into a plastic vial.
2. Send frozen.

### Specimen Minimum Volume

Serum: 0.5 mL

### Reject Due To

Hemolysis	Reject
Lipemia	Reject
Bacterially contaminated samples	Reject
Plasma	Reject

### Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Frozen (preferred)	90 days	
	Refrigerated	5 days	

**Clinical & Interpretive****Clinical Information**

Refer to [www.labcorp.com/test-menu/search](http://www.labcorp.com/test-menu/search)

**Reference Values**

Negative: <1:64

Present or past: 1:64

Recent/active: >1:64

**Performance****PDF Report**

No

**Day(s) Performed**

Thursday

**Report Available**

3 to 10 days

**Performing Laboratory Location**

LabCorp Burlington

**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 account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

**CPT Code Information**

86757

**LOINC® Information**

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FMTAG	Murine Typhus Antibodies, IgG	5324-9

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
-----------	------------------	---------------------

## Test Definition: FMTAG

Rickettsia typhi (murine typhus) Antibodies,  
IgG

FMTAG	Murine Typhus Antibodies, IgG	In Process
-------	-------------------------------	------------