

Test Definition: TDP

Thiamine (Vitamin B1), Whole Blood

Reporting Title: Thiamin (Vitamin B1), WB

Performing Location: Rochester

Shipping Instructions:

Ship specimen in amber vial or tube to protect from light.

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

1. Patient should fast overnight (12-14 hours); infants should have specimen collected just before next feeding. Water can be taken as needed.

2. For 12 hours before specimen collection, patient should not take vitamin supplements.

Supplies: Amber Frosted Tube, 5 mL (T915) **Collection Container/Tube:** Lavender top (EDTA)

Submission Container/Tube: Amber vial

Specimen Volume: 4 mL **Collection Instructions:**

- 1. Invert 8 to 10 times to mix blood.
- 2. Transfer whole blood into amber vial or tube and freeze within 24 hours of collection.

Forms:

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a General Request (T239) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Whole Blood EDTA	Frozen	28 days	LIGHT PROTECTED

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Туре	Unit	LOINC®
85753	Thiamin (Vitamin B1), WB	Numeric	nmol/L	32554-8

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Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

84425

Reference Values:

70-180 nmol/L