

**Reporting Title:** PAI-1 Ag, P**Performing Location:** Rochester**Specimen Requirements:**

See Coagulation Guidelines for Specimen Handling and Processing in Special Instructions.

Specimen Type: Platelet-poor plasma

Collection Container/Tube: Light-blue top (citrate)

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Spin down, remove plasma, and spin plasma again.
2. Freeze specimen immediately at < or =-40 degrees C, if possible.

Additional Information:

1. Double-centrifuged specimen is critical for accurate results as platelet contamination may cause spurious results.
2. Each coagulation assay requested should have its own vial.

**Forms:**

If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a Coagulation Test Request (T753) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Plasma Na Cit	Frozen	14 days	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
86083	PAI-1 Ag, P	Numeric	ng/mL	22758-7

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

No

**CPT Code:** 1 x 85415

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**Reference Values:**

3-72 ng/mL