

**Reporting Title:** Interleukin 1-Alpha**Performing Location:** Inter Science Institute**Specimen Requirements:**

Patient preparation: Patient should NOT be on any corticosteroids, anti-inflammatory medications, or pain killers, if possible, for at least 48 hours prior to specimen collection.

Specimen Type: Serum

Collection Container/Tube:

Preferred: Red top

Acceptable: SST

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s), serum-gel tube(s) is acceptable.
2. Centrifuge and aliquot 3 mL of serum into a plastic vial.
3. Send frozen.

**Specimen Minimum Volume:**

1 mL

| Specimen Type | Temperature | Time    | Special Container |
|---------------|-------------|---------|-------------------|
| Serum         | Frozen      | 30 days |                   |

**Result Codes:**

| Result ID | Reporting Name      | Type         | Unit | LOINC®  |
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| FIN1A     | Interleukin 1-Alpha | Alphanumeric |      | 33821-0 |

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

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**CPT Code Information:**

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**Reference Values:**

Less than 3.9 pg/mL