



## West Nile Virus, RNA, PCR, Molecular Detection, Random, Urine

Test ID: WNVUR

### Explanation:

This test will become non-orderable, effective immediately due to reagent backorder. An update will be provided when testing resumes.

Note: There is no referral alternative available for urine. Please consider serum alternative test below. Urine specimens received at MCL will be canceled during this test down.

### Recommended Alternative Test:

## West Nile Virus by PCR

Test ID: ZW83

Referral lab Code: 45315

Methods: Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction

Reference Values: Negative

### Specimen Requirements:

Specimen Type:	CSF
Collection Container	Sterile leak-proof container
Specimen Volume:	0.7 mL
Minimum volume:	0.3 mL
Specimen Type:	Serum
Collection Container	Red-top / Serum Separator
Specimen Volume:	0.7 mL
Minimum volume:	0.3 mL

### Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Varies	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days
	Frozen	30 days

**CPT Code:** 87798

**Day(s) Performed:** Mon-Sat

**Analytic Time:** 1-2 days

**NYS Approved:** No

**Price:** \$185.00

**Questions:**

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