

Notification Date: December 19, 2022 Effective Date: January 26, 2023

# Entamoeba histolytica Antibody, Serum

Test ID: EHOLG

**Useful for:** 

As an adjunct in the diagnosis of extraintestinal, invasive amebiasis

**Method Name** 

Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)

**Reference Values:** 

Negative

Reference values apply to all ages

Specimen Requirements:

Container/Tube: Serum gel

Acceptable: Red top

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial

**Specimen Volume:** 0.5 mL

Minimum Volume: 0.4 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Centrifuge and aliquot serum into plastic vial

## **Specimen Stability Information:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Frozen (preferred)	30 days
	Refrigerated	7 days

#### **CPT Code:**

86753

# Day(s) Performed:

Tuesday, Thursday

Analytic Time: Report Available:

Same day/1 day 1 to 5 days

### Questions

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