

Islet Antigen 2 (IA-2) Antibody, Serum

Test ID: IA2

Explanation:

As part of ongoing efforts to enhance testing efficiencies and reduce the use of radioimmunoassays, this test will become obsolete effective August 18, 2025. The recommended alternate test is listed below.

Note: Our commitment to delivering answers to patients is our top priority. We apologize for any inconvenience. Please be assured that we are here to support you throughout this transition. We look forward to continuing to serve your needs in other capacities. If you have any questions, Customer Service is available to assist you.

The client-specific fee will be honored for 30 days.

Recommended Alternative Test:

IA2 Autoantibodies

Test ID: FIAAB

Methodology:

Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)

Reference Values:

Negative: <7.5

Positive: > or = 7.5

Specimen Requirements:

Container/Tube:

Preferred: Serum gel

Acceptable: Red top

Submission Container/tube: Plastic vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Centrifuge and aliquot 1 mL of serum into a plastic vial.
2. Freeze immediately after separation and send frozen.

Minimum Volume: 0.5 mL (Note: Minimum volume does not allow for repeat analysis)

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum	Frozen (preferred)	107 days
	Ambient	72 hours
	Refrigerated	72 hours

CPT Code:
86341

Day(s) Performed: Varies **Report Available:** 7 to 14 days

NYS Approved: No

Questions
Contact Amy Ennis, Laboratory Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.