

NEW TEST

NOTIFICATION DATE: August 1, 2022

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 2, 2022

COVID 19 ANTIBODY SEROLOGY

14598/LAB14598

QUICK REFERENCE

Effective August 2, 2022, Allina Health Laboratory will offer the Covid 19 antibody serology assay (14598/LAB14598) referred to LabCorp

DETAILS

COVID-19 antibody serology-14598

Test info	Specimen	Performance	Clinical and Interpretive info	Billing	Tracking
Test name:		COVID-19 antibody serology			
Test number:		14598			
Excellian order number:		LAB14598			
Alternate names:		SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies Nucleocapsid			
Useful for:		Qualitative detection of high affinity antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid (N) protein, the virus that causes COVID-19, to aid in identifying individuals with an adaptive immune response to SARS-CoV-2, indicating recent or prior infection. Note: This assay will not detect antibodies induced by currently available SARS-CoV-2 vaccines. This assay enriches detection of higher affinity antibodies which are more likely to be specific for SARS-CoV-2 N protein. While this assay in principle can detect high affinity antibodies of all isotypes (i.e., IgG, IgA, IgM), it preferentially detects IgG antibodies since these are more likely to evolve to become high affinity. Serologic results should not be used as the sole basis to diagnosis or exclude recent SARS-CoV-2 infection. This test is recommended for individuals at greater than or equal to 14 days post-symptom onset or following exposure to individuals with confirmed COVID-19. The incubation period for COVID-19 ranges from 5 to 7 days.			

Effective 8/2/2022, the COVID-19 Serology testing will no longer be performed at Allina Health Laboratory.

QUESTIONS: Contact your Allina Health Laboratory account representative, or our Client Services department



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If you are an interfaced client, and this is a test that you may utilize at your facility, contact your Account representative to obtain build information and arrange testing.

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