

IMMUKNOW
994/LAB994


QUICK REFERENCE

Effective immediately, the Immuknow assay (994/LAB994), referred to LabCorp, is available to order.

DETAILS

The Immuknow assay, a transplant physician's means of obtaining and monitoring information about immune status, is the suggested replacement assay for the Immune cell function assay, which will become non-orderable on June 17, 2021.

Immuknow-994

Test info	Specimen	Performance	Clinical and Interpretive info	Billing	Tracking
Test name:	Immuknow				
Test number:	994				
Excellian order number:	LAB994				
Abbreviation:	MSO				
Alternate names:	Cellular Function Assay (involving stimulation and detection of a biomarker) Cylex Immune Assay Immuno Test Immunosuppression Level Assay Immune cell function				
Useful for:	This test is a transplant physician's means of obtaining and monitoring information about immune status. Immuknow® measures the adenosine triphosphate (ATP) response of stimulated peripheral blood lymphocytes.				
Specimen type:	Sodium heparin (Na hep) whole blood				
Collection container:	Dk green Sodium heparin (Na hep), no gel x 2				
					
Volume:	8 mL				
Minimum volume:	4 mL				
Collection instructions:	Collect Mo – Th <i>only</i>				
Transport container:	Dk green Sodium heparin (Na hep), no gel x 2				
Transport and stability:	Ambient (<i>strict</i>) – 30 hours Refrigerated - NO Frozen - NO				
	<i>Specimen must be transported to the Allina Health Central Laboratory, in a STAT bag, on the day of collection. Specimen must arrive at AHL by 3:30pm to facilitate shipping to the performing laboratory.</i>				
Reason for rejection:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specimen chilled, refrigerated, or frozen • Specimen >30 hours since collection • Clotted specimen • Hemolysis • Lithium heparin whole blood received 				

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