



HEPATITIS DELTA VIRUS ANTIBODY (ANTI-HDV TOTAL AB)

Synonym(s): HDV Total Ab, Anti-Delta Total, Delta Ab

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Lab Section Category	Virology Click here to find out more about the write-up (/clinical-departments-centers/pathology/pathology-handbook/lab-discipline-special-instructions/pages/virology.aspx).
Specimen Required	3 – 5 mL plain blood.
Storage and Transport	Refrigerate samples if delay in transporting to laboratory is anticipated. Do not freeze.
Method	Enzyme Immunoassay
Test Result	A positive test result must be interpreted in conjunction with the clinical features of the patient and the test results for HBV markers.
Turnaround Time	<1 - 7 days
Day(s) Test Set up	Wednesday

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