



HANTAVIRUS TOTAL ANTIBODY

Synonym(s): Hantavirus 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. To diagnose acute infection, send paired sera taken two weeks apart for Hantavirus total Ab .
Storage and Transport	Refrigerate samples if delay in transporting to laboratory is anticipated. Do not freeze.
Method	Immunofluorescence assay
Test Result	Acute infection: Paired sera showing ≥ 4 fold rise of total Ab titres
Turnaround Time	1 – 4 days
Day(s) Test Set up	Tuesday and Friday

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