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## INFLUENZA A (H1N1) pdm09 HI ANTIBODY

**Synonym(s):** (H1N1) pdm09 HI Ab, (H1N1) pdm09 Ab

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<b>Lab Section Category</b>	<b>Virology</b> Click here to find out more about the <b>write-up</b> ( <a href="/clinical-departments-centers/pathology/pathology-handbook/lab-discipline-special-instructions/pages/virology.aspx">/clinical-departments-centers/pathology/pathology-handbook/lab-discipline-special-instructions/pages/virology.aspx</a> ).
<b>Specimen Required</b>	3 - 5 mL plain blood.  To diagnose acute infection, send paired samples at least two weeks apart.
<b>Storage and Transport</b>	Refrigerate samples if delay in transporting to laboratory is anticipated. <b>Do not freeze.</b>
<b>Method</b>	Haemagglutination Inhibition
<b>Test Result</b>	Acute infection: paired sera showing significant rise of HI antibody titers
<b>Turnaround Time</b>	2 - 16 days
<b>Day(s) Test Set up</b>	Every other Tuesday

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**Day(s) Test Set-Up has been last updated (<http://www.sgh.com.sg/Clinical-Departments-Centers/Pathology/Pathology-Handbook/Lab-Discipline-Special-Instructions/Tests/Pages/INFLUENZA-A-H1N1-pdm09-HI-ANTIBODY.aspx>) (<http://www.sgh.com.sg/Clinical-Departments-Centers/Pathology/Pathology-Handbook/Lab-Discipline-Special-Instructions/Tests/Pages/INFLUENZA-A-H1N1-pdm09-HI-ANTIBODY.aspx>) on 25/09/12.**

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