

Southern Nevada Public Health Laboratory
TEST MENU

Creatinine, Enzymatic

Method	Abbott Alinity c-series Enzymatic method.
CPT Code	82565
Specimen	Serum – Required Volume: 2-4 mL Minimum specimen volume: 1mL
Collect in	Serum Separator Tube (SST)
Labeling	Label with patient's full name, date of birth, collection date, and time.
Processing	Processing Serum: Allow blood to completely clot (usually within 30 minutes). Serum may be centrifuged at the speed and time recommended by the manufacturer.
Transport	Store and transport refrigerated (2-8°C) within 7 days.
Sample Rejection	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mislabelled/unlabeled specimen- Specimen quantity not sufficient for testing (QNS)
Requisition	SNPHL Request Forms
Turn Around Time	24-48 Hours
Results	Reference Range: Male: 0.73 to 1.18 mg/dl Female: 0.55 to 1.02 mg/dl
Reported	System generated fax; Electronic transmission
Limitations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• N-acetyl-L-cysteine at therapeutically achieved concentrations may lead to falsely low results in serum/plasma samples.• Alpha-methyldopa may cause falsely low results in serum/plasma samples.
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