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## **ALDOSTERONE, serum**

**Test Code:** ALDOS

**Specimen Type:** Serum

**Tube Type / Collection Container:** SST (Serum Separator Tube)

**Specimen Volume:** 1 ML

**Specimen Handling:** Centrifuge

**Specimen Storage:** Refrigerate 2-8 C

**Specimen Collection Notes:** Only with physician approval the patient should have no isotopes administered for 24hrs prior to venipuncture, should be taken off medications for at least 3 weeks prior to sample collection and should be on a normal sodium diet. Patient should be ambulatory for a least 30min. before blood collection. / State patient position-supine/upright at time of collection.

**Department:** Reference Laboratory

**Reference Lab Code:** 004374

