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## **Hepatitis C Virus RNA by PCR, Quantitative with Reflex to Genotype**

**Test Code:** MISC

**Specimen Type:** Plasma or Serum

**Tube Type / Collection Container:** White Top Potassium EDTA or SST

**Specimen Volume:** 1.75 ML

**Specimen Handling:** Centrifuge and pipette plasma or serum into plastic screw cap transport tube.

**Specimen Storage:** Frozen

**Specimen Collection Notes:** Collect specimen in PPT (white top tube) or SST, centrifuge within 1 hour of collection. Pipette serum into a screw-cap polypropylene tube (not pop top or snap cap). Freeze immediately. (Submit separate frozen specimen for each test requested.)

**Department:** Reference Laboratory

**Reference Lab Code:** 551221



