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PARTIAL THROMBOPLASTIN TIME, ACTIVATED (APTT) MIXING STUDY

Test Code: APTM

Specimen Type: plasma

Tube Type / Collection Container: Light Blue; Buffered Sodium Citrate 3.2%

Specimen Volume: 2.7 ML Draw to fill line on tube-Short draws will be rejected.

Specimen Handling: Centrifuge at 3000rpm within 1hr of collection and pipette plasma into plastic screw cap transport tube.

Specimen Storage: Ambient / Room Temp.

Specimen Collection Notes: Submit specimen as whole blood. Tube must be FULL. Specimen stable 4 hours room temp. **Testing is performed Mon. thru Fri. 0700 - 1300 unless approved by the on-call pathologist**

Department: Chemistry

