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Test Order

Brucella or Leptospirosis Serology

Synonym(s)	
Methodology	micro agglutination test, ImmunoDOT
Acceptable Specimen	Serum (refrigerated). Acute and convalescent-phase serum specimens that
Type(s) for Testing	are shipped together are preferred.
Transport / Collection	Serum should be packaged and shipped in Sarstedt 2 ml microcentrifuge
Medium	tubes with an O-ring in the lid to prevent leakage during transport.
Storage and	Refrigerate until transported to the laboratory. Serum should be packaged
Preservation of	and shipped on cold packs.
Specimen	
Minimum Volume	100μΙ
Required	
Additional Collection	N/A
Instructions	
Additional Required	Patient clinical history required .
Information	
Send Out?	Yes (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)
Turnaround Time	1 week from receipt at CDC
Testing Restrictions	Patient clinical history required.
Requisition Form(s)	http://sfcdcp.org/document.html?id=1036
	http://sfcdcp.org/document.html?id=1037
Limitations / Notes /	
Disclaimers	

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