



## **Test Update 846**

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**Test Name** [Echinococcus Antibody, IgG](#)

**Update Type** [Specimen collection or handling and/or storage changed](#)

### **SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND HANDLING UPDATE**

#### **Echinococcus Antibody, IgG**

Order Code: ECHNG

Fee Code: 32078 (CPT 86682)

Reference Laboratory: Mayo ECHNG

The specimen stability for Mayo Clinic Laboratories Echinococcus Antibody assay will be updated effective July 18, 2023.

Collection Instructions: Collect specimen in an SST or red top tube. Centrifuge, aliquot 0.5 mL (minimum 0.4 mL) of serum into a plastic vial and refrigerate (preferred) for up to 14 days or freeze for longer storage up to 30 days.

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