

Aquaporin-4 (AQP4) Antibody (NMO-IgG)

Test ID: 90382

CPT: 83516

Clinical Significance:

Confirm suspected cases of NMO and assist in making a differential diagnosis and identifying the cause of MS-like symptoms in the patient. An accurate diagnosis will further help predict disease course and provide direction in treatment options.

Profile Components:



Labtech Diagnostics

Container:

Serum Separator Tube (SST®)

Transport Temperature:

Refrigerated (cold packs)

Specimen:

Serum

Specimen Stability:

Room temperature: 72 hours
Refrigerated: 40 days
Frozen: 5 months

Reject Criteria:

Days Performed:

Mon-Fri

Collection Instructions:

Separate serum or plasma from cells within 45 minutes of venipuncture.