

Oxygen Saturation



Alternate Name:	O2 Sat
Performing Lab:	New Hanover and Cape Fear
Specimen Container:	Heparinized syringe
Minimum Volume Required:	1.0 mL
Testing Availability	Routine: 24 hours/day Stat: Yes
Turnaround Time:	Routine: 4 hours Stat: < 1 hour
Special Handling:	All specimens should be kept on ice and delivered to the laboratory immediately.
Patient Preparation:	None
Specimen Stability:	
Reference Range:	92 – 98.5%
Critical Value:	N/A
CPT Code:	82810
Testing Methodology:	Spectrophotometry
Causes for Specimen Rejection:	Improper labeling Specimen not on ice Specimen clotted
Other Comments:	
Clinical Significance:	N/A