



## ANTIPHOSPHOLIPID SYNDROME REFLEX PANEL Replacing Antiphospholipid Antibody Effective June 1, 2017

**New Assay:** Antiphospholipid Syndrome Reflex Panel  
**Discontinued Assay:** ANPLA: Anti-Phospholipid Antibody

The new assay panel meets international guidelines and classification criteria for antiphospholipid syndrome (APS) established by the International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis.<sup>1</sup>

For detailed information on APS, please see ARUP Consult (see URL below) or visit our blog in the Media Center at [www.PCLAlverno.com](http://www.PCLAlverno.com) for a direct link.  
[https://arupconsult.com/content/antiphospholipid-syndrome/?tab=tab\\_item-0](https://arupconsult.com/content/antiphospholipid-syndrome/?tab=tab_item-0)

### SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

#### Specimens:

Minimum 2 mL Sodium Citrate Platelet Poor Plasma - FROZEN  
Minimum 1 mL Serum (Serum Separator Tube)

#### Stability:

Plasma, FROZEN -20°C, 3 months  
Serum, REFRIGERATED, 2 weeks

#### Cause for Rejection:

Platelet Poor Plasma specimen: EDTA Plasma, clotted or hemolyzed.  
Serum specimen: Plasma, body fluids, heat-inactivated, hemolyzed or lipemic

**CPT code\*:** 86147x2; 86146x2; 85610; 85730; 85613

If reflexed, additional CPT codes may apply: 85670; 85635; 85730; 85525; 85732; 85597; 85613 x2; 85598

**SOFT code:** ANPSR (code may be different in your EMR)

<sup>1</sup>Miyakis S, Lockshin MD, Atsumi T, Branch DW, Brey RL, Cervera R, Derksen RH, DE Groot PG, Koike T, Meroni PL, Reber G, Shoenfeld Y, Tincani A, Vlachoyiannopoulos PG, Krilis SA. [International consensus statement on an update of the classification criteria for definite antiphospholipid syndrome \(APS\)](#). J Thromb Haemost. 2006; 4(2): 295-306. PubMed

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