



**ABIM Laboratory Test Reference Ranges – January 2022**

| Laboratory Tests   | Reference Ranges                         |
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| 1,25-Dihydroxyvitamin D (1,25-dihydroxycholecalciferol), serum | See Vitamin D metabolites                |
| 17-Hydroxyprogesterone, serum                                  |  |
| Female, follicular   | <80 ng/dL                                |
| Female, luteal   | <285 ng/dL                               |
| Female, postmenopausal   | <51 ng/dL                                |
| Male (adult)   | <220 ng/dL                               |
| 25-Hydroxyvitamin D (25-hydroxycholecalciferol), serum         | See Vitamin D metabolites                |
| 5-Hydroxyindoleacetic acid, urine                              | 2–9 mg/24 hr                             |
| 6-Thioguanine, whole blood                                     | 230–400 pmol/8x10 <sup>8</sup> RBCs      |
| Absolute neutrophil count (ANC)                                | 2000–8250/µL                             |
| Acid phosphatase, serum  |  |
| Total  | 0.5–2.0 (Bodansky) units/mL              |
| Prostatic fraction   | 0.1–0.4 unit/mL                          |
| ACTH, plasma   | 10–60 pg/mL                              |
| Activated partial thromboplastin time                          | 25–35 seconds                            |
| ADAMTS13 activity  | >60%                                     |
| Adrenocorticotrophic hormone (ACTH), plasma                    | 10–60 pg/mL                              |
| Albumin, serum   | 3.5–5.5 g/dL                             |
| Albumin, urine   | <25 mg/24 hr                             |
| Albumin-to-creatinine ratio, urine                             | <30 mg/g                                 |
| Aldolase, serum  | 0.8–3.0 IU/mL                            |
| Aldosterone, plasma  |  |
| Supine or seated   | ≤10 ng/dL                                |
| Standing   | <21 ng/dL                                |
| Low-sodium diet (supine)                                       | ≤30 ng/dL                                |
| Aldosterone, urine   | 5–19 µg/24 hr                            |
| Alkaline phosphatase, serum                                    | 30–120 U/L                               |
| Alpha <sub>1</sub> -antitrypsin (AAT), serum                   | 150–350 mg/dL                            |
| Alpha <sub>2</sub> -antiplasmin activity, plasma               | 75%–115%                                 |
| Alpha-amino nitrogen, urine                                    | 100–290 mg/24 hr                         |
| Alpha-fetoprotein, serum                                       | <10 ng/mL                                |
| Amino acids, urine   | 200–400 mg/24 hr                         |
| Aminotransferase, serum alanine (ALT, SGPT)                    | 10–40 U/L                                |
| Aminotransferase, serum aspartate (AST, SGOT)                  | 10–40 U/L                                |
| Ammonia, blood   | 40–70 µg/dL                              |
| Amylase, serum   | 25–125 U/L (80–180 [Somogyi] units/dL)   |
| Amylase, urine   | 1–17 U/hr                                |
| Androstenedione, serum   | Female: 30–200 ng/dL; male: 40–150 ng/dL |
| Angiotensin-converting enzyme, serum                           | 8–53 U/L                                 |
| Anion gap, serum   | 7–13 mEq/L                               |
| Antibodies to double-stranded DNA                              | 0–7 IU/mL                                |

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| Anticardiolipin antibodies                               |  |
| IgG  | <20 GPL  |
| IgM  | <20 MPL  |
| Anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide, antibodies to         | <20 units  |
| Antideoxyribonuclease B                                  | <280 units   |
| Anti-F-actin antibodies, serum                           | ≤1:80  |
| Antihistone antibodies                                   | <1:16  |
| Anti-liver-kidney microsomal antibodies (anti-LKM)       | <1:20  |
| Antimitochondrial antibodies                             | ≤1:5   |
| Anti-myelin associated glycoprotein antibody             | <1:1600  |
| Antimyeloperoxidase antibodies                           | <1.0 U   |
| Antinuclear antibodies                                   | ≤1:40  |
| Anti-smooth muscle antibodies                            | ≤1:80  |
| Antistreptolysin O titer                                 | <200 Todd units  |
| Antithrombin activity                                    | 80%–120%   |
| Antithyroglobulin antibodies                             | <20 U/mL   |
| Antithyroid peroxidase antibodies                        | <2.0 U/mL  |
| Anti-tissue transglutaminase antibodies                  | See <i>Tissue transglutaminase antibody</i>  |
| Arterial blood gas studies (patient breathing room air): |  |
| pH   | 7.38–7.44  |
| PaCO <sub>2</sub>  | 38–42 mm Hg  |
| PaO <sub>2</sub>   | 75–100 mm Hg   |
| Bicarbonate  | 23–26 mEq/L  |
| Oxygen saturation  | ≥95%   |
| Methemoglobin  | 0.5%–3.0%  |
| Ascorbic acid (vitamin C), blood                         | 0.4–1.5 mg/dL  |
| Ascorbic acid, leukocyte                                 | 16.5 ± 5.1 mg/dL of leukocytes   |
| (1,3)-Beta-D-glucan, serum                               | <60 pg/mL  |
| Beta-human chorionic gonadotropin (beta-hCG), serum      | Female, premenopausal nonpregnant: <1.0 U/L; female, postmenopausal: <7.0 U/L; male: <1.4 U/L                                  |
| Beta-human chorionic gonadotropin (beta-hCG), urine      | <2 mIU/24 hr   |
| Beta <sub>2</sub> -glycoprotein I antibodies:            |  |
| IgG  | <21 SGU  |
| IgM  | <21 SMU  |
| Beta-hydroxybutyrate, serum                              | <0.4 mmol/L  |
| Beta <sub>2</sub> -microglobulin, serum                  | 0.54–2.75 mg/L   |
| Bicarbonate, serum                                       | 23–28 mEq/L  |
| Bilirubin, serum   |  |
| Total  | 0.3–1.0 mg/dL  |
| Direct   | 0.1–0.3 mg/dL  |
| Indirect   | 0.2–0.7 mg/dL  |
| Bleeding time (template)                                 | <8 minutes   |
| Blood urea nitrogen (BUN), serum or plasma               | 8–20 mg/dL   |
| Bone-specific alkaline phosphatase, serum                | Female, premenopausal: 4.5–16.9 µg/L<br>Female, postmenopausal: 7.0–22.4 µg/L<br>Male, 25 years of age or older: 6.5–20.1 µg/L |
| B-type natriuretic peptide, plasma                       | <100 pg/mL   |
| C peptide, serum   | 0.8–3.1 ng/mL  |

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| Calcitonin, serum                | Female: ≤5 pg/mL; male: ≤10 pg/mL          |
| Calcium, ionized, serum          | 1.12–1.23 mmol/L                           |
| Calcium, serum                   | 8.6–10.2 mg/dL                             |
| Calcium, urine                   | Female: <250 mg/24 hr; male: <300 mg/24 hr |
| Carbohydrate antigens, serum     |  |
| CA 19-9                          | 0–37 U/mL                                  |
| CA 27-29                         | <38.0 U/mL                                 |
| CA 125                           | <35 U/mL                                   |
| Carbon dioxide content, serum    | 23–30 mEq/L                                |
| Carboxyhemoglobin, blood         | <5%  |
| Carcinoembryonic antigen, plasma | <2.5 ng/mL                                 |
| Carotene, serum                  | 75–300 µg/dL                               |
| Catecholamines, plasma           |  |
| Dopamine                         | <30 pg/mL                                  |
| Epinephrine                      |  |
| Supine                           | <50 pg/mL                                  |
| Standing                         | <95 pg/mL                                  |
| Norepinephrine                   |  |
| Supine                           | 112–658 pg/mL                              |
| Standing                         | 217–1109 pg/mL                             |
| Catecholamines, urine            |  |
| Dopamine                         | 65–400 µg/24 hr                            |
| Epinephrine                      | 2–24 µg/24 hr                              |
| Norepinephrine                   | 15–100 µg/24 hr                            |
| Total                            | 26–121 µg/24 hr                            |
| CD4 T-lymphocyte count           | 530–1570/µL                                |
| Cell count, CSF:                 |  |
| Leukocytes (WBCs)                | 0–5 cells/µL                               |
| Erythrocytes (RBCs)              | 0/µL                                       |
| Ceruloplasmin, serum (plasma)    | 25–43 mg/dL                                |
| Chloride, CSF                    | 120–130 mEq/L                              |
| Chloride, serum                  | 98–106 mEq/L                               |
| Chloride, urine                  |  |
| Random ("spot")                  | mEq/L; varies                              |
| 24-hour measurement              | mEq/24 hr; varies with intake              |
| Cholesterol, serum               |  |
| Total                            |  |
| Desirable                        | <200 mg/dL                                 |
| Borderline-high                  | 200–239 mg/dL                              |
| High                             | >239 mg/dL                                 |
| High-density lipoprotein         |  |
| Low                              | Female: <50 mg/dL; male: <40 mg/dL         |
| Low-density lipoprotein          |  |
| Optimal                          | <100 mg/dL                                 |
| Near-optimal                     | 100–129 mg/dL                              |
| Borderline-high                  | 130–159 mg/dL                              |
| High                             | 160–189 mg/dL                              |
| Very high                        | >189 mg/dL                                 |

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| Cholinesterase, serum (pseudocholinesterase)<br>Packed cells | $\geq 0.5$ pH units/hr<br>$\geq 0.7$ pH units/hr                         |
| Chorionic gonadotropin, beta-human<br>(beta-hCG), serum      | See Beta-human chorionic gonadotropin (beta-hCG), serum                  |
| Chorionic gonadotropin, beta-human<br>(beta-hCG), urine      | See Beta-human chorionic gonadotropin (beta-hCG), urine                  |
| Chromogranin A, serum  | <93 ng/mL  |
| Citrate, urine   | 250–1000 mg/24 hr  |
| Coagulation factors, plasma                                  |  |
| Factor I (fibrinogen)  | 200–400 mg/dL  |
| Factor II (prothrombin)                                      | 60%–130%   |
| Factor V (accelerator globulin)                              | 60%–130%   |
| Factor VII (proconvertin)                                    | 60%–130%   |
| Factor VIII (antihemophilic globulin)                        | 50%–150%   |
| Factor IX (plasma thromboplastin component)                  | 60%–130%   |
| Factor X (Stuart factor)                                     | 60%–130%   |
| Factor XI (plasma thromboplastin antecedent)                 | 60%–130%   |
| Factor XII (Hageman factor)                                  | 60%–130%   |
| Factor XIII  | 57%–192%   |
| Cold agglutinin titer  | >1:64 positive   |
| Complement components, serum                                 |  |
| C3   | 100–233 mg/dL  |
| C4   | 14–48 mg/dL  |
| CH50   | 110–190 units/mL   |
| Copper, serum  | 100–200 $\mu$ g/dL   |
| Copper, urine  | 0–100 $\mu$ g/24 hr  |
| Coproporphyrin, urine  | 50–250 $\mu$ g/24 hr   |
| Cortisol, free, urine  | 4–50 $\mu$ g/24 hr   |
| Cortisol, plasma   |  |
| 8 AM   | 5–25 $\mu$ g/dL  |
| 4 PM   | <10 $\mu$ g/dL   |
| 1 hour after cosyntropin                                     | $\geq 18$ $\mu$ g/dL   |
| Overnight suppression test (1-mg)                            | <1.8 $\mu$ g/dL  |
| Overnight suppression test (8-mg)                            | >50% reduction in cortisol   |
| Cortisol, saliva, 11 PM – midnight                           | <0.09 $\mu$ g/dL   |
| C-reactive protein, serum                                    | $\leq 0.8$ mg/dL   |
| C-reactive protein (high sensitivity), serum                 | Low risk: <1.0 mg/L; Average risk: 1.0–3.0 mg/L;<br>High risk: >3.0 mg/L |
| Creatine kinase, serum                                       |  |
| Total  | Female: 30–135 U/L; male: 55–170 U/L                                     |
| MB isoenzymes  | <5% of total   |
| Creatine, urine  | Female: 0–100 mg/24 hr; male: 0–40 mg/24 hr                              |
| Creatinine clearance, urine                                  | 90–140 mL/min/1.73 m <sup>2</sup>  |
| Creatinine, serum  | Female: 0.50–1.10 mg/dL; male: 0.70–1.30 mg/dL                           |
| Creatinine, urine  |  |
| Random ("spot")  | mg/dL; varies  |
| 24-hour measurement  | 15–25 mg/kg body weight/24 hr  |
| Cyclosporine, whole blood (trough)                           |  |
| Therapeutic  | 100–200 ng/mL  |
| 0–3 months post transplantation                              | 150–250 ng/mL  |
| More than 3 months post transplantation                      | 75–125 ng/mL   |

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| D-dimer, plasma  | <0.5 µg/mL   |
| Dehydroepiandrosterone sulfate (DHEA-S), serum               | Female: 44–332 µg/dL; male: 89–457 µg/dL                                   |
| Delta-aminolevulinic acid, serum                             | <20 µg/dL  |
| Digoxin, serum   | Therapeutic: 1.0–2.0 ng/mL<br>(<1.2 ng/mL for patients with heart failure) |
| Dihydrotestosterone, serum                                   | Adult male: 25–80 ng/dL  |
| Dopamine, plasma   | <30 pg/mL  |
| Dopamine, urine  | 65–400 µg/24 hr  |
| D-Xylose absorption<br>(after ingestion of 25 g of D-xylose) |  |
| Serum  | 25–40 mg/dL  |
| Urinary excretion  | 4.5–7.5 g during a 5-hr period   |
| Electrolytes, serum  |  |
| Sodium   | 136–145 mEq/L  |
| Potassium  | 3.5–5.0 mEq/L  |
| Chloride   | 98–106 mEq/L   |
| Bicarbonate  | 23–28 mEq/L  |
| Epinephrine, plasma  |  |
| Supine   | <110 pg/mL   |
| Standing   | <140 pg/mL   |
| Epinephrine, urine   | <20 µg/24 hr   |
| Erythrocyte count  | 4.2–5.9 million/µL   |
| Erythrocyte sedimentation rate (Westergren)                  | Female: 0–20 mm/hr; male: 0–15 mm/hr                                       |
| Erythrocyte survival rate ( <sup>51</sup> Cr)                | T½ = 28 days   |
| Erythropoietin, serum  | 4–26 mU/mL   |
| Estradiol, serum   |  |
| Female, follicular   | 10–180 pg/mL   |
| Mid-cycle peak   | 100–300 pg/mL  |
| Luteal   | 40–200 pg/mL   |
| Postmenopausal   | <10 pg/mL  |
| Male   | 20–50 pg/mL  |
| Estriol, urine   | >12 mg/24 hr   |
| Estrogen receptor protein                                    | Negative: <10 fmol/mg protein  |
| Estrone, serum   | 10–60 pg/mL  |
| Ethanol, blood   | <0.005% (<5 mg/dL)   |
| Coma level   | >0.5% (>500 mg/dL)   |
| Intoxication   | ≥0.08%–0.1% (>80–100 mg/dL)  |
| Euglobulin clot lysis time                                   | 2–4 hours at 37.0 °C   |
| Everolimus, whole blood (trough)                             | Therapeutic: 3.0–8.0 ng/mL   |
| Factor XIII, B subunit, plasma                               | 60–130 U/dL  |
| Fecal fat  | <7 g/24 hr   |
| Fecal nitrogen   | <2 g/24 hr   |
| Fecal pH   | 7.0–7.5  |
| Fecal potassium  | <10 mEq/L  |
| Fecal sodium   | <10 mEq/L  |
| Fecal urobilinogen   | 40–280 mg/24 hr  |
| Fecal weight   | <250 g/24 hr   |
| Ferritin, serum  | Female: 24–307 ng/mL; male: 24–336 ng/mL                                   |
| Fibrin(ogen) degradation products                            | <10 µg/mL  |
| Fibrinogen, plasma   | 200–400 mg/dL  |

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| Fibroblast growth factor-23, serum                                  | 30–80 RU/mL   |
| Flecainide, serum   | Therapeutic: 0.2–1.0 µg/mL  |
| Folate, red cell  | 150–450 ng/mL of packed cells   |
| Folate, serum   | 1.8–9.0 ng/mL   |
| Follicle-stimulating hormone, serum                                 |   |
| Female, follicular/luteal   | 2–9 mIU/mL (2–9 U/L)  |
| Female, mid-cycle peak  | 4–22 mIU/mL (4–22 U/L)  |
| Female, postmenopausal  | >30 mIU/mL (>30 U/L)  |
| Male (adult)  | 1–7 mIU/mL (1–7 U/L)  |
| Children, Tanner stages 1, 2  | 0.5–8.0 mIU/mL (0.5–8.0 U/L)  |
| Children, Tanner stages 3, 4, 5                                     | 1–12 mIU/mL (1–12 U/L)  |
| Free kappa light chain, serum                                       | 3.3–19.4 mg/L   |
| Free kappa-to-free lambda light chain ratio, serum                  | 0.26–1.65   |
| Free lambda light chain, serum                                      | 5.7–26.3 mg/L   |
| Gamma globulin, CSF   | 6.1–8.3 mg/dL   |
| Gamma-glutamyltransferase<br>(gamma-glutamyl transpeptidase), serum | Female: 8–40 U/L; male: 9–50 U/L  |
| Gastrin, serum  | <100 pg/mL  |
| Gentamicin, serum   | Therapeutic: peak 5.0–10.0 µg/mL;<br>trough: <2.0 µg/mL                                       |
| Glucose, CSF  | 50–75 mg/dL   |
| Glucose, plasma (fasting)   | 70–99 mg/dL   |
| Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase, blood                            | 5–15 units/g of hemoglobin  |
| Glycoprotein α-subunit, serum                                       | <1 ng/mL  |
| Growth hormone, serum   |   |
| At rest   | <5 ng/mL  |
| Response to provocative stimuli                                     | >7 ng/mL  |
| Haptoglobin, serum  | 83–267 mg/dL  |
| Hematocrit, blood   | Female: 37%–47%; male: 42%–50%  |
| Hemoglobin A <sub>1C</sub>  | 4.0%–5.6%   |
| Hemoglobin, blood   | Female: 12–16 g/dL; male: 14–18 g/dL  |
| Hemoglobin fractionation  |   |
| Hb A  | 96%–98%   |
| Hb A <sub>2</sub>   | 1.5%–3.5%   |
| Hb F  | <1%   |
| Hemoglobin, plasma  | <5.0 mg/dL  |
| Heparin–anti-factor Xa assay, plasma                                | 0.3–0.7 IU/mL [therapeutic range for standard (unfractionated) heparin therapy]               |
| Heparin–platelet factor 4 antibody, serum                           | Positive: >0.4 optical density units  |
| Hepatic copper  | 25–40 µg/g dry weight   |
| Hepatic iron index  | <1.0  |
| Histamine excretion, urine  | 20–50 µg/24 hr  |
| Homocysteine, plasma  | 5–15 µmol/L   |
| β-Human chorionic gonadotropin (β-hCG), serum                       | Female, premenopausal nonpregnant: <1.0 U/L; female, postmenopausal: <7.0 U/L; male: <1.4 U/L |
| β-Human chorionic gonadotropin (β-hCG), urine                       | <2 mIU/24 hr  |
| Hydroxyproline, urine   | 10–30 mg/sq meter of body surface/24 hr   |
| Immature platelet fraction  | 1%–5% of platelet count   |
| Immune complexes, serum   | 0–50 µg/dL  |

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| Immunoglobulins, serum   |                                       |
| IgA  | 90–325 mg/dL                          |
| IgE  | <380 IU/mL                            |
| IgG  | 800–1500 mg/dL                        |
| IgM  | 45–150 mg/dL                          |
| Immunoglobulin free light chains, serum                        |                                       |
| Kappa  | 3.3–19.4 mg/L                         |
| Lambda   | 5.7–26.3 mg/L                         |
| Kappa-to-lambda ratio  | 0.26–1.65                             |
| Insulin, serum (fasting)                                       | <20 µU/mL                             |
| Insulin-like growth factor 1 (IGF-1)<br>(somatomedin-C), serum |                                       |
| Ages 16–24   | 182–780 ng/mL                         |
| Ages 25–39   | 114–492 ng/mL                         |
| Ages 40–54   | 90–360 ng/mL                          |
| Ages 55 and older  | 71–290 ng/mL                          |
| Iodine, urine  |                                       |
| Random ("spot")  | µg/L; varies                          |
| Iron, serum  | 50–150 µg/dL                          |
| Iron-binding capacity, serum (total)                           | 250–310 µg/dL                         |
| Lactate dehydrogenase, serum                                   | 80–225 U/L                            |
| Lactate, arterial blood  | <1.3 mmol/L (<1.3 mEq/L)              |
| Lactate, serum or plasma                                       | 0.7–2.1 mmol/L                        |
| Lactate, venous blood  | 0.7–1.8 mEq/L; 6–16 mg/dL             |
| Lactic acid, serum   | 6–19 mg/dL (0.7–2.1 mmol/L)           |
| Lactose tolerance test, GI                                     | Increase in plasma glucose: >15 mg/dL |
| Lead, blood  | <5.0 µg/dL                            |
| Leukocyte count  | 4000–11,000/µL                        |
| Segmented neutrophils  | 50%–70%                               |
| Band forms   | 0%–5%                                 |
| Lymphocytes  | 30%–45%                               |
| Monocytes  | 0%–6%                                 |
| Basophils  | 0%–1%                                 |
| Eosinophils  | 0%–3%                                 |
| Lipase, serum  | 10–140 U/L                            |
| Lipoprotein(a), serum  | Desirable: <30 mg/dL                  |
| Lithium, plasma  |                                       |
| Therapeutic  | 0.6–1.2 mEq/L                         |
| Toxic level  | >2 mEq/L                              |
| Luteinizing hormone (LH), serum                                |                                       |
| Female, follicular/luteal                                      | 1–12 mIU/mL (1–12 U/L)                |
| Female, mid-cycle peak   | 9–80 mIU/mL (9–80 U/L)                |
| Female, postmenopausal   | >30 mIU/mL (>30 U/L)                  |
| Male (adult)   | 2–9 mIU/mL (2–9 U/L)                  |
| Children, Tanner stages 1, 2, 3                                | <9.0 mIU/mL (<9.0 U/L)                |
| Children, Tanner stages 4, 5                                   | 1–15 mIU/mL (1–15 U/L)                |

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| Lymphocyte subsets  |  |
| CD3   | 900–3245/ $\mu$ L  |
| CD4   | 530–1570/ $\mu$ L  |
| CD8   | 430–1060/ $\mu$ L  |
| CD19  | 208–590/ $\mu$ L   |
| CD56  | 40–500/ $\mu$ L  |
| Magnesium, serum  | 1.6–2.6 mEq/L  |
| Magnesium, urine  | 14–290 mg/24 hr  |
| Mean corpuscular hemoglobin   | 28–32 pg   |
| Mean corpuscular hemoglobin concentration                                       | 33–36 g/dL   |
| Mean corpuscular volume   | 80–98 fL   |
| Mean platelet volume  | 7–9 fL   |
| Metanephrides, fractionated, plasma   |  |
| Metanephrine  | <0.5 nmol/L  |
| Normetanephrine   | <0.9 nmol/L  |
| Metanephrides, fractionated, 24-hour urine                                      |  |
| Metanephrine  | <400 $\mu$ g/24 hr   |
| Normetanephrine   | <900 $\mu$ g/24 hr   |
| Myoglobin, serum  | <100 $\mu$ g/L   |
| Norepinephrine, plasma  |  |
| Supine  | 70–750 pg/mL   |
| Standing  | 200–1700 pg/mL   |
| Norepinephrine, urine   | 0–100 $\mu$ g/24 hr  |
| Normetanephrine, fractionated, plasma   | <0.9 nmol/L  |
| Normetanephrine, fractionated, 24-hour urine                                    | <900 $\mu$ g/24 hr   |
| <i>N</i> -telopeptide, urine  | Female: 11–48 nmol BCE/mmol creatinine;<br>male: 7–68 nmol BCE/mmol creatinine   |
| <i>N</i> -terminal-pro-B-type natriuretic peptide (NT-pro-BNP), serum or plasma | <p>If eGFR &gt;60 mL/min/1.73 <math>m^2</math></p> <p><i>18–49 years of age</i></p> <p>Heart failure unlikely: ≤300 pg/mL<br/>High probability of heart failure: ≥450 pg/mL</p> <p><i>50–75 years of age</i></p> <p>Heart failure unlikely: ≤300 pg/mL<br/>High probability of heart failure: ≥900 pg/mL</p> <p><i>Older than 75 years of age</i></p> <p>Heart failure unlikely: ≤300 pg/mL<br/>High probability of heart failure: ≥1800 pg/mL</p> <p>If eGFR &lt;60 mL/min/1.73 <math>m^2</math></p> <p><i>18 years of age or older</i></p> <p>High probability of heart failure: ≥1200 pg/mL</p> |
| Osmolality, serum   | 275–295 mOsm/kg H <sub>2</sub> O   |
| Osmolality, urine   | 38–1400 mOsm/kg H <sub>2</sub> O   |
| Osmotic fragility of erythrocytes   | Increased if hemolysis occurs in over 0.5% NaCl;<br>decreased if hemolysis is incomplete in 0.3% NaCl  |
| Osteocalcin, serum  | Female: 7.2–27.9 ng/mL; male: 11.3–35.4 ng/mL  |
| Oxalate, urine  | <40 mg/24 hr   |
| Oxygen consumption  | 225–275 mL/min   |
| Oxygen saturation, arterial blood   | ≥95%   |
| Parathyroid hormone, serum  |  |
| C-terminal  | 150–350 pg/mL  |
| Intact  | 10–65 pg/mL  |
| Intact (dialysis patients only)   | Target: 130–585 pg/mL  |

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| Parathyroid hormone-related protein, serum | <1.5 pmol/L  |
| Partial thromboplastin time (activated)    | 25–35 seconds  |
| pH, urine                                  | 4.5–8.0  |
| Phenolsulfonphthalein, urine               | At least 25% excreted by 15 minutes;<br>40% by 30 minutes;<br>60% by 120 minutes |
| Phenytoin, serum                           | Therapeutic: 10–20 µg/mL   |
| Phosphatase (acid), serum                  |  |
| Total                                      | 0.5–2.0 (Bodansky) units/mL  |
| Prostatic fraction                         | 0.1–0.4 unit/mL  |
| Phosphatase (alkaline), serum              | 30–120 U/L   |
| Phospholipids, serum (total)               | 200–300 mg/dL  |
| Phosphorus, serum                          | 3.0–4.5 mg/dL  |
| Phosphorus, urine                          | 500–1200 mg/24 hr  |
| Platelet count                             | 150,000–450,000/µL   |
| Platelet function analysis (PFA-100):      |  |
| Collagen–epinephrine closure time          | 60–143 seconds   |
| Collagen–ADP closure time                  | 58–123 seconds   |
| Platelet survival rate ( <sup>51</sup> Cr) | 10 days  |
| Potassium, serum                           | 3.5–5.0 mEq/L  |
| Potassium, urine                           |  |
| Random ("spot")                            | mEq/L; varies  |
| 24-hour measurement                        | mEq/24 hr; varies with intake  |
| Prealbumin, serum                          | 16–30 mg/dL  |
| Pregnanetriol, urine                       | 0.2–3.5 mg/24 hr   |
| Pressure (opening) [initial], CSF          | 70–180 mm CSF (70–180 mm H <sub>2</sub> O)                                       |
| Procalcitonin, serum                       | ≤0.10 ng/mL  |
| Progesterone, serum                        |  |
| Female, follicular                         | 0.02–0.9 ng/mL   |
| Female, luteal                             | 2–30 ng/mL   |
| Male (adult)                               | 0.12–0.3 ng/mL   |
| Proinsulin, serum                          | 3–20 pmol/L  |
| Prolactin, serum                           | <20 ng/mL  |
| Prostate-specific antigen, serum           | ng/mL; no specific normal or abnormal level                                      |
| Protein C activity, plasma                 | 65%–150%   |
| Protein C antigen, plasma                  | 70%–140%   |
| Protein catabolic rate, urine              | goal: 1.0–1.2 g/kg/24 hr   |
| Protein S activity, plasma                 | 57%–131%   |
| Protein S antigen, plasma                  |  |
| Total                                      | 60%–140%   |
| Free                                       | 60%–130%   |
| Protein, urine                             |  |
| Random ("spot")                            | mg/dL; varies  |
| 24-hour measurement                        | <100 mg/24 hr  |
| Proteins, CSF total                        | 15–45 mg/dL  |
| Proteins, serum                            |  |
| Total                                      | 5.5–9.0 g/dL   |
| Albumin                                    | 3.5–5.5 g/dL   |

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| Proteins, serum (continued)                     |  |  |
| Globulin  |  | 2.0–3.5 g/dL   |
| Alpha1  |  | 0.2–0.4 g/dL   |
| Alpha2  |  | 0.5–0.9 g/dL   |
| Beta  |  | 0.6–1.1 g/dL   |
| Gamma   |  | 0.7–1.7 g/dL   |
| Protein-to-creatinine ratio, urine              |  | <0.2 mg/mg   |
| Prothrombin time, plasma                        |  | 11–13 seconds  |
| Pyruvic acid, blood                             |  | 0.08–0.16 mmol/L   |
| Quinidine, serum                                |  | Therapeutic: 2–5 µg/mL   |
| Red cell distribution width (RDW)               |  | 9.0%–14.5%   |
| Red cell mass                                   |  | Female: 22.7–27.9 mL/kg; male: 24.9–32.5 mL/kg   |
| Renin activity (angiotensin-I radioimmunoassay) |  |  |
| Peripheral plasma                               |  |  |
| Normal diet                                     |  |  |
| Supine  |  | 0.3–2.5 ng/mL/hr   |
| Upright   |  | 0.2–3.6 ng/mL/hr   |
| Low sodium diet                                 |  |  |
| Supine  |  | 0.9–4.5 ng/mL/hr   |
| Upright   |  | 4.1–9.1 ng/mL/hr   |
| Diuretics + low sodium diet                     |  | 6.3–13.7 ng/mL/hr  |
| Renal vein concentration                        |  | Normal ratio (high:low): <1.5  |
| Reptilase time                                  |  | 10–12 seconds  |
| Reticulocyte count                              |  | 0.5%–1.5% of red cells   |
| Reticulocyte count, absolute                    |  | 25,000–100,000/µL  |
| Rheumatoid factor (nephelometry)                |  | <24 IU/mL  |
| Rheumatoid factor, latex test for               |  | ≤1:80  |
| Ristocetin cofactor activity of plasma          |  | ○ von Willebrand factor activity (ristocetin cofactor activity), plasma  |
| Russell viper venom time, dilute                |  | 33–44 seconds  |
| Salicylate, plasma                              |  | Therapeutic: 20–30 mg/dL   |
| Sex hormone-binding globulin                    |  | Female, nonpregnant: 18–144 nmol/L;<br>male: 10–57 nmol/L  |
| Sodium, serum                                   |  | 136–145 mEq/L  |
| Sodium, urine                                   |  |  |
| Random ("spot")                                 |  | mEq/L; varies  |
| 24-hour measurement                             |  | mEq/24 hr; varies with intake  |
| Specific gravity, urine                         |  | 1.002–1.030  |
| Sperm density                                   |  | 10–150 million/mL  |
| Sweat test for sodium and chloride              |  | <60 mEq/L  |
| T3 resin uptake                                 |  | 25%–35%  |
| T-lymphocyte count, CD4                         |  | 530–1570/µL  |
| Tacrolimus, whole blood (trough)                |  | Therapeutic: 5–15 ng/mL {For transplant patients:<br>10.0–15.0 ng/mL (0–3 months post transplantation);<br>5.0–10.0 ng/mL (more than 3 months post transplantation)} |
| Testosterone, serum                             |  | Female: 18–54 ng/dL; male: 291–1100 ng/dL  |
| Testosterone, bioavailable, serum               |  | Female, age 18–69 yrs: 0.5–8.5 ng/dL   |
| Testosterone, free, serum                       |  | Male: 70–300 pg/mL   |
| Theophylline, serum                             |  | Therapeutic: 8–20 µg/mL  |
| Thrombin time                                   |  | 17–23 seconds  |

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| Thyroid function studies   |  |   |
| T3 resin uptake  |  | 25%–35%                                     |
| Thyroglobulin, serum   |  | <20 ng/mL                                   |
| Thyroidal iodine ( <sup>123</sup> I) uptake                            |  | 5%–30% of administered dose at 24 hours     |
| Thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH), serum                               |  | 0.5–4.0 µU/mL (0.5–4.0 mU/L)                |
| Thyroid-stimulating immunoglobulin (TSI)                               |  | <130%                                       |
| Thyroxine-binding globulin, serum                                      |  | 12–27 µg/mL                                 |
| Thyroxine index, free (estimate)                                       |  | 5–12  |
| Thyroxine (T <sub>4</sub> ), serum                                     |  |   |
| Total  |  | 5–12 µg/dL                                  |
| Free   |  | 0.8–1.8 ng/dL                               |
| Triiodothyronine (T <sub>3</sub> ), serum                              |  |   |
| Total  |  | 80–180 ng/dL                                |
| Reverse  |  | 20–40 ng/dL                                 |
| Free   |  | 2.3–4.2 pg/mL                               |
| Tissue transglutaminase antibody, IgA<br>[by chemiluminescence method] |  | <20 AU                                      |
| Tissue transglutaminase antibody, IgG<br>[by chemiluminescence method] |  | <20 AU                                      |
| Tissue transglutaminase antibody, IgA<br>[by ELISA]                    |  | <4.0 U/mL                                   |
| Tissue transglutaminase antibody, IgG<br>[by ELISA]                    |  | <6.0 U/mL                                   |
| Total proteins, CSF  |  | 15–45 mg/dL                                 |
| Transaminase, serum glutamic oxaloacetic (SGOT)                        |  | See Aminotransferase, serum aspartate (AST) |
| Transaminase, serum glutamic pyruvic (SGPT)                            |  | See Aminotransferase, serum alanine (ALT)   |
| Transferrin saturation   |  | 20%–50%                                     |
| Transferrin, serum   |  | 200–400 mg/dL                               |
| Triglycerides, serum (fasting)   |  |   |
| Optimal  |  | <100 mg/dL                                  |
| Normal   |  | <150 mg/dL                                  |
| Borderline-high  |  | 150–199 mg/dL                               |
| High   |  | 200–499 mg/dL                               |
| Very high  |  | >499 mg/dL                                  |
| Troponin I, cardiac, serum   |  | ≤0.04 ng/mL                                 |
| Troponin T, cardiac, serum   |  | ≤0.01 ng/mL                                 |
| Tryptase, serum  |  | <11.5 ng/mL                                 |
| Urea clearance, urine  |  |   |
| Standard   |  | 40–60 mL/min                                |
| Maximal  |  | 60–100 mL/min                               |
| Urea nitrogen, blood   |  | 8–20 mg/dL                                  |
| Urea nitrogen, urine   |  | 12–20 g/24 hr                               |
| Uric acid, serum   |  | 3.0–7.0 mg/dL                               |
| Uric acid, urine   |  | 250–750 mg/24 hr                            |
| Uroporphyrin, urine  |  | 10–30 µg/24 hr                              |
| Vanillylmandelic acid, urine   |  | <9 mg/24 hr                                 |
| Venous oxygen content, mixed   |  | 14–16 mL/dL                                 |

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| Venous studies, mixed, blood  |   |
| pH  | 7.32–7.41   |
| PCO <sub>2</sub>  | 42–53 mm Hg   |
| PO <sub>2</sub>   | 35–42 mm Hg   |
| Bicarbonate   | 24–28 mEq/L   |
| Oxygen saturation (SvO <sub>2</sub> )                                 | 65%–75%   |
| Viscosity, serum  | 1.4–1.8 cp  |
| Vitamin A, serum:   |   |
| Adult   | 32.5–78.0 µg/dL   |
| Pediatric, age 1–2 yr (retinol)                                       | 20–43 µg/dL   |
| Vitamin B <sub>12</sub> , serum                                       | 200–800 pg/mL   |
| Vitamin D metabolites, serum  |   |
| 1,25-Dihydroxyvitamin D<br>(1,25-dihydroxycholecalciferol)            | 15–60 pg/mL   |
| 25-Hydroxyvitamin D<br>(25-hydroxycholecalciferol)                    | 30–60 ng/mL   |
| Vitamin E, serum:   |   |
| Adult   | 5.5–17.0 mg/L   |
| Pediatric, age 1–2 yr (alpha-tocopherol)                              | 2.9–16.6 mg/L   |
| Volume, blood   |   |
| Plasma  | Female: 43 mL/kg body weight;<br>male: 44 mL/kg body weight       |
| Red cell  | Female: 20–30 mL/kg body weight;<br>male: 25–35 mL/kg body weight |
| von Willebrand factor activity (ristocetin cofactor activity), plasma | 50%–150%  |
| von Willebrand factor antigen, plasma                                 | 50%–150%  |
| Zinc, serum   | 75–140 µg/dL  |

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