

## LABORATORY REPORT

Example Client, XYZ123 1234 Warde Road Ann Arbor MI 48108 **EXAMPLE, REPORT W** 

WX0000003826 F 12/05/1988 34 Y

Referral Testing

Collected: 08/18/2023 10:40 Received: 08/18/2023 10:40

<u>Test Name</u> <u>Result</u> <u>Flag Ref-Ranges</u> <u>Units</u> <u>Site</u>

West Nile Virus IgM Abs CSF <0.90

REFERENCE RANGE: <0.90

INTERPRETIVE CRITERIA

<0.90 Antibody not detected

0.90 - 1.10 Equivocal

>1.10 Antibody detected

West Nile virus (WNV) IgM is usually detectable in CSF from WNV-infected patients with encephalitis or meningitis at the time of clinical presentation. Because IgM antibody does not readily cross the blood-brain barrier, IqM antibody in CSF strongly suggests acute central nervous system infection. WNV antibody results from CSF should be in interpreted with caution. Possible complicating factors include low levels of antibody found in CSF, passive transfer of antibodies from blood, and contamination via bloody spinal taps. Antibodies induced by other flavivirus infections (e.g. Dengue virus, St. Louis encephalitis virus) may show cross-reactivity with WNV. Test Performed at: Quest Diagnostics Nichols Institute 33608 Ortega Highway San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675-2042 I Maramica MD, PhD

Performing Site:

QCRL: QUEST DIAGNOSTICS REFERENCE LAB CAPISTRANO 33608 Ortega Highway San Juan Capistrano CA 92675

**Reported Date: 2023.08.18 10:41** 

LAB: L - LOW, H - HIGH, AB - ABNORMAL, C - CRITICAL, . - NOT TESTED

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