

LABORATORY REPORT

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Referral Testing

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14-3-3 eta Protein <0.2 <0.2 ng/mL QCRL

The 14-3-3eta protein is a marker of synovial inflammation that is released into synovial fluid and peripheral blood in rheumatoid arthritis (RA) and erosive psoriatic arthritis. One in five RF and CCP seronegative early stage RA patients is found to be positive for 14-3-3eta protein. Patients with active joint RA disease have higher values of 14-3-3eta protein than those with inactive RA or psoriasis without arthritis. 14-3-3eta protein has a 93% specificity in patients with RA. Values > or = 0.2 ng/mL are elevated and indicative of RA disease or erosive psoriatic arthritis. Values >0.50 ng/mL are associated with more aggressive RA disease and poorer outcomes. Unlike RF and CCP, 14-3-3eta protein is a therapeutically modifiable marker to monitor response to therapy. A decrease in 14-3-3eta protein in response to DMARDs (disease-modifying antirheumatic drugs) and anti-TNF (tumor necrosis factor) drugs indicates better clinical outcomes; an increase is associated with worse outcomes despite apparent clinical remission.

For further information please visit: http://www.questdiagnostics.com/testcenter/testguide.action?dc=TS-RmArthPnl

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Performing Site:

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

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