

Xylose

General:

Xylose is used to test for malabsorption in fasting patients. If xylose is detected in blood and/or urine within the next few hours, it has been absorbed by the intestine.

Indication: Suspicion of malabsorption.

Material: 1 ml NaF blood

TAT: 5-7 days*

Method: photometric

Units: mg/dl

Ref.- range: <5.0

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