



# Test Definition: FHOBG

Venom Honey Bee IgG

## Overview

### Method Name

Phadia ImmunoCAP

### NY State Available

Yes

## Specimen

### Specimen Type

Serum

### Specimen Required

Draw blood in a plain red-top tube(s), serum gel tube(s) is acceptable. Spin down and send 0.5 mL of serum refrigerated in a plastic vial.

### Specimen Minimum Volume

0.5 mL

### Reject Due To

Hemolysis	NA
Lipemia	NA
Icterus	NA
Other	NA

### Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	28 days	
	Ambient	7 days	
	Frozen	365 days	

## Clinical & Interpretive

### Reference Values

>3.5 mcg/mL

Venom IgG Reference Values: 1.0 – 3.5 mcg/mL Low venom IgG indicating a significant reaction risk. 3.5 – 6.0 mcg/mL Moderate level of venom IgG that may be associated from serious sting reactions (J.Clin.Immun.6:172, 1983) > 6.0 mcg/mL Elevated venom IgG usually associated with protection from serious sting reactions (J.Clin.Immun.6:172, 1983) The interpretative guidelines have been adapted from Golden et al (JACI 1992; 90:386-393). The test method used is the Phadia ImmunoCAP IgG assay which has been recalibrated to correlate with the venom IgG assay referenced above.

## Performance

### PDF Report

No

### Day(s) Performed

Monday through Friday

### Report Available

2 to 7 days

### Performing Laboratory Location

Eurofins Viracor

## Fees & Codes

### Fees

- Authorized users can sign in to [Test Prices](#) for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

### Test Classification

[This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by Viracor Eurofins. It has not been cleared or approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.](#)

### CPT Code Information

86001

### LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FHOBG	Honey Bee IgG	49739-6

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
Z3563	Venom Honey Bee IgG	49739-6