

PREGNANCY TEST (HCG)

About This Test

A Pregnancy Test (hCG) is used to confirm a pregnancy. When you suspect that you are pregnant this testing can be done reliably 10 days after a missed menstrual period.

Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG) is a hormone that is produced by the placenta of a pregnant woman. The level of hCG increases in the blood and is eliminated in the urine early in pregnancy and increases over time.

What Should I Do With My Results?

Negative results indicate that hCG is not present in the urine and likely indicative of not being pregnant. However, a test performed too early in a pregnancy or if urine is too dilute may give false-negative results.

Positive results indicate that hCG is present in the urine and likely indicative of pregnancy. However, falsepositive tests can occur in post-menopausal women or if the woman is taking hormone supplements.

How Do I Obtain My Results?

Results are available through our online patient portal, My Labs Now^M. Visit www.compunetlab.com to sign in or setup an account. Or text MYLABS to 66349. Follow The signup link in the text message you receive. Please be sure your name exactly matches the name on your lab test order. Contact help@luminatehealth.com if you need assistance. CompuNet is unable to provide verbal results to patients.

I Do Not Have a Regular Doctor. Where Can I Find One?

If you do not have a doctor, we recommend the following resources to locate one:

Premier Health Find a Doctor (937) 684-4155 or 1-855-PREMIER www.premierhealth.com/findadoc WebMD Care www.doctor.webmd.com

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