

# Laboratory Report

## High-Sensitivity C-Reactive Protein (hs-CRP)

BLOOD SPOT ID



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### Understanding the Test

High-sensitivity CRP has been promoted as an additional risk factor for determining a person's risk of developing heart and vascular diseases. Therefore it can be of additional use in evaluating risk of developing these health problems.

### Summary of Results

#### Reference Range

High-Sensitivity C-Reactive Protein ..... **6.2** mg/L **H** < 4.0 mg/L

### Understanding the Results

Apparently healthy individuals with high levels of hs-CRP may be at increased risk for heart and vascular disease even when cholesterol levels are within an acceptable range. Anti-inflammatory drugs and some cholesterol lowering drugs may affect test results.

Values less than 4.0 mg/L indicate average risk

Values greater than 4.0 mg/L indicate higher risk

Values Higher than 10 mg/L may indicate acute inflammation.

Recent illness, chronic inflammatory conditions, injury, and/or hormone replacement therapy can cause false elevations in the result so it's important to be in a healthy condition before test results can be of value in predicting the risk of cardiovascular disease.

These test results do NOT make or confirm a diagnosis which can only be made by a qualified health professional.

### Laboratory Processing Summary

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