

# URINE PRESERVATIVE GUIDE

Test	Random	24h Urine	Diet/Drug Restrictions	No preservative	3 g Thymol	20 mL 6N HCl	10 g Boric Acid
Albumin	Y	Y	NIL	OK	OK		
Amylase	Y	N	NIL	OK			
5HIAA	N	Y	Diet			OK	
Aldosterone	N	Y	NIL				OK
Calcium	Y	Y	Drug		OK	OK	
Catecholamines	Y	Y	Drug			OK	
Chloride	Y	Y	NIL	OK			
Citric acid	N	Y	NIL		OK	OK	
Copper	N	Y	NIL	OK			
Cortisol	N	Y	NIL	OK			
Creatinine	Y	Y	NIL	OK	OK	OK	
M Bands	N	Y	NIL	OK			
Magnesium	N	Y	NIL		OK	OK	
Metanaphrines	Y	Y	Drug			OK	
Oxalate	N	Y	Drug		OK	OK	
Phosphate	N	Y	NIL		OK	OK	
pH, Urine	Y	N	NIL	OK	OK		
Potassium	Y	Y	NIL	OK	OK		
Sodium	Y	Y	NIL	OK	OK		
Total Protein	Y	Y	NIL	OK	OK		
Urea	N	Y	NIL	OK	OK	OK	
Uric Acid	N	Y	Diet		OK		
Vanillyl Mandelic Acid/ Homovanilic Acid	Y	Y	Diet			OK	
<b>Panel/Profile</b>							
Creatinine Clearance Test	N	Y	NIL	OK	OK	OK	
Creatinine Clearance & Protein, Urine Profile	N	Y	NIL	OK	OK		
Pheochromocytoma Screen	N	Y	Drug			OK	
Stone Panel	N	Y	Diet/Drug		OK		
Neuroblastoma	Y	N	NIL	OK			

**Legend**  
 Y - Yes (Offered)  
 N - No (Not Offered)  
 HCl - Hydrochloric Acid

With effect from: 01 Dec 2017