

— Immune System Health

Autoimmune Disease

Your body's immune system protects you from disease and infection. But if you have an autoimmune disease, your immune system attacks healthy cells in your body by mistake. Autoimmune diseases can affect ... [See more](#)

— ANA SCREEN, IFA

NEGATIVE

Range: NEGATIVE

ANA SCREEN, IFA

The antinuclear antibody (ANA) test is ordered to help screen for autoimmune disorders and is most often used as one of the tests to diagnose systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE).

Result Comments

ANA IFA is a first line screen for detecting the presence of up to approximately 150 autoantibodies in various autoimmune diseases. A negative ANA IFA result suggests an ANA-associated autoimmune disease is not present at this time, but is not definitive. If there is high clinical suspicion for Sjogren's syndrome, testing for anti-SS-A/Ro antibody should be considered. Anti-Jo-1 antibody should be considered for clinically suspected inflammatory myopathies.

AC-0: Negative

International Consensus on ANA Patterns
(<https://doi.org/10.1515/cclm-2018-0052>)

For additional information, please refer to <http://education.QuestDiagnostics.com/faq/FAQ177>
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— DNA (DS) ANTIBO...
(IU/mL)

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Range: See Comments

DNA (DS) ANTIBODY

(IU/mL)

Result Comments

IU/mL

Interpretation

< 35 = 4

Negative

< 0.1 = 4 Negative
5-9 Indeterminate
> or = 10 Positive

▬ SCL-70 ANTIBODY
(AI)

<1.0 NEG

Range: <1.0 NEG

SCL-70 ANTIBODY

(AI)

▬ SM ANTIBODY
(AI)

<1.0 NEG

Range: <1.0 NEG

SM ANTIBODY

(AI)

▬ SM/RNP ANTIBO...
(AI)

<1.0 NEG

Range: <1.0 NEG

SM/RNP ANTIBODY

(AI)

▬ SJOGREN'S ANTI...
(AI)

<1.0 NEG

Range: <1.0 NEG

SJOGREN'S ANTIBODY (SS-A)

(AI)

+ SJOGREN'S ANTI...
(AI)

<1.0 NEG

Range: <1.0 NEG