

# HCV VIRAL LOAD-HEPATITIS C VIRUS RNA PCR QUALITATIVE

Profile Details | 1 Parameters

Fasting: Overnight fasting for 9-12 hours | Report Time: Within 4 Days



**Specimen Required:** Blood

**Price- ₹4700 ₹2570**

## Parameters Included

### About This Test

A Hepatitis C Virus RNA PCR Qualitative test measures the presence of Hepatitis C virus (HCV) RNA in the blood. Here's what this test assesses: 1. Detection of Active Infection: Identifies whether the Hepatitis C virus is present in the blood, indicating an active infection. It can detect the virus even at low levels that other tests might miss. 2. Confirmation of Diagnosis: Confirms the diagnosis of Hepatitis C infection, especially if other antibody tests (like anti-HCV) are positive but cannot determine if the virus is currently active. 3. Early Detection: Detects HCV infection early, even before antibodies are produced, which is especially useful in recent exposures. 4. Monitoring Treatment Efficacy: While not typically used for ongoing treatment monitoring (quantitative PCR is used for that), the qualitative test can confirm whether the virus has been eliminated after treatment in certain cases. 5. Screening Donors: Used in blood and organ donation screening to ensure that the virus is not transmitted to recipients. In summary, the Hepatitis C Virus RNA PCR Qualitative test detects the presence of HCV RNA in the blood to diagnose active infection, confirm infection status, enable early detection, and screen blood or organ donors.



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