PSA TOTAL - PROSTATE SPECIFIC ANTIGEN

Profile Details | 1 Parameters

Fasting: Fasting not mandatory | Report Time: Same day

Specimen Required: Blood

Price- ~~₹799~~ **₹449**

Parameters Included

About This Test

Prostate-specific antigen (PSA) is a protein produced by cells in the prostate gland, which is primarily responsible for producing semen in men. The PSA test measures the level of this protein in the blood. The PSA test is primarily used as a screening tool for prostate cancer. Elevated levels of PSA can indicate various prostate conditions, including: 1. **Prostate Cancer:** Higher PSA levels are often associated with prostate cancer, though not exclusively. Other factors, such as age and prostate size, can also affect PSA levels. 2. **Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia (BPH):** A non-cancerous enlargement of the prostate gland can cause elevated PSA levels due to increased PSA production by the larger prostate gland. 3. **Prostatitis:** Inflammation or infection of the prostate gland can also lead to temporary increases in PSA levels. The PSA test helps in early detection of prostate cancer and monitoring the effectiveness of treatment in men already diagnosed with the disease. However, elevated PSA levels do not always indicate prostate cancer and may prompt further testing, such as a prostate biopsy, to confirm or rule out cancer.

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