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# SAMPLE REPORT

## 09-May-1990 Female

16 HARKER STREET  
BURWOOD VIC 3125

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### IMMUNOLOGY

BLOOD - SERUM

Result Range Units

#### **INTRINSIC FACTOR AB**

**POSITIVE**

Comment:

A positive intrinsic factor antibody(IFA) result in the presence of a low haemoglobin, macrocytosis, and low B12 levels is suggestive of Pernicious Anaemia (PA). A gastric biopsy should be considered in a patients who is < 50 years old.

A positive IFA result with low B12 levels and absence of anaemia or macrocytosis is not likely to represent PA.

Suggest repeat testing in 6-12 months with serum gastrin, full blood count, and fasting B12.

#### **Gastric Parietal Cell Ab**

**POSITIVE**

Comment:

Gastric parietal cell antibodies are associated with > 90% of patients with autoimmune gastritis, the end result of which may be Pernicious Anaemia (PA). 20 - 30% of relatives of patients with PA, autoimmune thyroiditis and a small percentage of healthy persons may be positive and run an increased long term risk of PA. Gastric parietal cell antibodies can also be found in patients with autoimmune thyroid disorders, insulin dependant diabetes mellitus, and Addisons disease. A negative intrinsic factor antibody result does not exclude the diagnosis of PA as only 60% of patients with PA will have this antibody.

All Immunology tests performed by accredited laboratory NATA: 2133

Tests ordered: PCA,IFAB,CFee