



Introducing A New Test:

▶ **Fibrillarin (U3 RNP)**

Utilities: The U3 RNP (Fibrillarin) particle is thought to participate in the pre-ribosomal RNA processing. Anti-U3 RNP antibodies have been shown to be highly specific for patients with Cutaneous Systemic Scleroderma (SSc).

Methodology: Immunoprecipitation (IPP) Turnaround Time: 14 Days

Specimen Requirement: 1 mL Serum (Minimum: 0.5 mL), ambient, refrigerated or frozen (EDTA plasma can be used.)

Normal Range: Negative

Test #: 232

The tests above are in-house bioassays which will be labeled as "analytic specific reagents" (ASR).