

**CARDIOLIPIN ANTIBODY,  
IgM, SERUM  
(EIA)**

**MPL**

**<12.50**

### **Interpretation**

<b>RESULT IN MPL</b>	<b>REMARKS</b>
<12.50	Negative
12.50-20	Equivocal
20-80	Low Positive
>80	High Positive

### **Comments**

Anticardiolipin antibodies (ACA) belong to the group of Antiphospholipid antibodies which are positive in 30-40% cases of Systemic lupus erythematosus and also in patients with other Rheumatic diseases. Presence of cardiolipin antibodies is considered to be of significant diagnostic relevance in cases of Venous / Arterial thrombosis, Thrombocytopenia, Livedo reticularis, Habitual abortions and Neurological manifestations. Elevated ACA levels are also seen in patients with Cardiovascular insufficiency and Myocardial infarction.