

Human Convalescent Serum 153 to Dengue Virus

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Product Description:

NR-50225 is convalescent serum collected from a human subject who had been exposed to dengue virus (DENV) while traveling abroad. The sample was obtained on December 20, 2014, and represents a primary DENV1 exposure based on virus type-specific neutralizing antibody titers (see Functional Activity section below).¹ This immune serum is useful for the development and evaluation of diagnostic assays for flaviviruses including Zika virus.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 0.1 mL of serum.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-50225 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

Functional Activity:¹

50% neutralization titers:
 DENV1 – 288
 DENV2 – 69
 DENV3 – 58
 DENV4 – 32

Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read “The following reagent was obtained from the UNC/NIH Traveler Study through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH: Human Convalescent Serum 153 to Dengue Virus, NR-50225.”

Biosafety Level: 2

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 5th ed.

Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2009; see www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmb15/index.htm.

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