

### Client

#### Gurugram

Pathkind Diagnostics Pvt. Ltd.

Plot No. 55-56, Udhyog Vihar Ph-IV, Gurugram - 122015

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Name : Mr. CL04 Billing Date 07/07/202312:17:08 Sample Collected on Age : 35 Yrs 10/07/2023 10:01:31 Sex Sample Received on 10/07/2023 11:02:13 : Male P. ID No. : P1000100012576 Report Released on 20/07/2023 17:41:54 : 10002304632 Barcode No. 10002304632-01 Accession No

Referring Doctor: Self

Referred By Ref no.

# Report Status - Final

Test Name	Result	Biological Ref. Interval	Unit	

## **BIOCHEMISTRY**

# Acetylcholine Receptor (ACHR) Antibody (Binding)

Sample: Serum Method: Radio Immuno Assay 2.00 H Normal: < 0.4 Borderline: 0.4 - 0.5

High: >0.5

nmol/L

## **Acetylcholine Receptor (ACHR) Antibody**

- 1. Auto Antibody acetylcholine receptor Antibodies are heterogeneous regarding their biological effects. They can act as modulating or blocking antibodies. This test is Antibody binding assay and cannot ascertain biological effects of the Antibody.
- 2. Autoantibodies to the acetylcholine receptor are responsible for failure of the neuromuscular junction in Myasthenia Gravis
- 3. The frequency of ACHR antibody detection in MG patients with moderate to severe generalized MG, mild generalized MG, and ocular MG are found to be 93%, 88%, and 71% respectively.
- 4. These antibodies can also be found in some other disorders like- primary biliary cirrhosis, tardive dyskinesia, autoimmune thyroiditis, systemic lupus erythematous, thymoma without myasthenia, and amyotrophic lateral sclerosis.
- 5. The antibody titres can be negative or not detectable in the first 12 months after the onset of symptoms of MG or during immunosuppressant therapy.
- 6. The magnitude of the antibody titres correlates poorly with severity of MG and hence is not useful for predicting disease activity.

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