

PLAC® Test (Lp-PLA2)

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The PLAC® test aids in predicting risk for coronary heart disease, and ischemic stroke associated with atherosclerosis. The PLAC® test measures Lp-PLA2, an enzyme that promotes inflammation inside the arteries, leading to the formation of unstable, rupture-prone plaque. The PLAC® test for Lp-PLA2 is different from both cholesterol tests and other tests for inflammation because Lp-PLA2 is a specific cardiovascular risk factor that provides unique information about the stability of the plaque inside your arteries. Elevated levels of Lp-PLA2 increase your risk for heart disease and stroke since plaque rupture is the major cause of both events.

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