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Vibrant Wellness is pleased to present to you, Neural Zoomer testing, to help you make healthy lifestyle choices in consultation with your physicians and dietitians. It is intended to be used as a tool to encourage a general state of health and well-being.

**Neural Zoomer** is an array of neurological proteins which offers very specific antibody-to-antigen recognition. The Vibrant Wellness Neural Zoomer is designed to assess an individual's reactivity to neurological antigens.

Interpretation of Report: The test results of antibody levels to the individual proteins are calculated by comparing the average intensity of the individual protein antibody to that of a healthy reference population. Reference ranges have been established using 192 healthy individuals. The results are displayed as **POSITIVE (High Risk)** or **NEGATIVE (Low Risk)**. A **POSITIVE** result indicates that you have comparatively higher antibodies to the corresponding protein with respect to the reference range. A **NEGATIVE** result indicates that you have comparatively lower antibodies to the corresponding protein with respect to the reference range.

Ratings for the references are calculated based on the Impact Factor, Citations, and Study Population of the references. It is indicated based on a star based system (1 star -5 stars) with 5 stars indicating the best correlation of the antibody with the potential associated risk. The Impact Factor of the journal in which the reference is published is the number of citations received by articles published in that journal during the two preceding years, divided by the total number of articles published in that journal during the two preceding years. Study population includes the number of samples tested along with gender, age and ethnicity of the population.

The Vibrant Wellness platform provides tools for you to track and analyze your general wellness profile. Testing for Neural Zoomer offered by Vibrant Wellness is performed by Vibrant America LLC, a CLIA certified lab CLIA#:05D2078809.

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Please Note - It is important that you discuss any modifications to your diet, exercise and nutritional supplementation with your physician before making any changes.

To schedule an appointment with Vibrant Clinical Dietitians please call: Toll-Free 866-364-0963.



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	Test Name	Current Result	Previous Result
Demyelination antigens	Anti-Tubulin (IgG + IgA)	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
	Anti-Tubulin IgM	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
	Anti-Myelin basic protein (IgG + IgA)	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
	Anti-Myelin basic protein IgM	POSITIVE	POSITIVE

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Optical a Autonom Nervou System	Anti-Neuron specific enolase (IgG + IgA)	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
	Anti-Neuron specific enolase IgM	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE

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Peripheral Neuropathy	Anti-GM1 (IgG + IgA)	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
	Anti-GM1 IgM	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
	Anti-GM2 (IgG + IgA)	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
	Anti-GM2 IgM	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE



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nity	Anti-HSV1 (IgG + IgA)	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
	Anti-HSV1 IgM	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
rain mmu	Anti-Cerebellum (IgG + IgA)	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
Brain Autoimmunity	Anti-Cerebellum IgM	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
	Anti-Purkinje cell (IgG + IgA)	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
	Anti-Purkinje cell IgM	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE



## Glossary

Autoimmunity is a key component in several diseases of the nervous system. For reasons, still under research, the body attacks its own self and causes injury, along with other components of the immune system like cytokines, leading to disease. Symptoms associated with autoimmunity in the nervous system include

Ataxia

Sensory loss

- Diarrhea
- Muscle spasms
- Neuropathic pain
- Orthostatic hypotension
- Nausea or vomiting
- Muscle stiffness
- Photosensitivity

Anti-Cerebellum - The cerebellum is a region of the brain that plays an important role in motor control. The cerebellum does not initiate movement, but contributes to coordination, precision, and accurate timing. Anti-Cerebellum antibodies have been associated with autism and autism spectrum disorders.

**Anti-GM1** - Antiganglioside antibodies that react to self-gangliosides are found in autoimmune neuropathies. These antibodies were first found to react with cerebellar cells. Detection of Ganglioside M1 (GM1) antibody, usually of the IgM isotype, is associated with multi-focal motor neuropathy and lower motor neuropathy, characterized by muscle weakness and atrophy.

**Anti-GM2** - Antiganglioside antibodies that react to self-gangliosides are found in autoimmune neuropathies. These antibodies were first found to react with cerebellar cells. GM2 ganglioside is a potential peripheral nerve antigen for neuropathy-associated autoantibodies. Anti-GM2 IgM antibodies have been reported in samples with chronic motor or motor dominant neuropathy.

Anti-HSV1 - Herpes simplex virus 1 (HSV-1) is a members of the herpesvirus family, Herpesviridae, that infect humans. HSV-1 (which produces most cold sores) is ubiquitous and contagious. As neurotropic and neuroinvasive virus, HSV-1 persists in the body by becoming latent and hiding from the immune system in the cell bodies of neurons. Seropositivity to Herpes Simplex Virus antibodies has been correlated with increased risk of Alzheimer's disease.

Anti-Myelin basic protein - Myelin basic protein (MBP) is a protein which is important in the process of myelination of nerves in the nervous system. The myelin sheath is a multi-layered membrane, unique to the nervous system that functions as an insulator to greatly increase the velocity of axonal impulse conduction. Serum samples with increased titers of anti-MBP antibodies are at increased risk for Multiple Sclerosis and other neurological disorders.

Anti-Neuron specific enolase - Neuron specific enolase is a protein enzyme that is encoded by the ENO2 gene. It is found in mature neurons and cells of neuronal origin. Antibodies against neuron specific enolase are found in samples with optical neuropathies.

Anti-Purkinje cell - Purkinje cells, or Purkinje neurons, are a class of GABAergic neurons located in the cerebellum. Purkinje cells are aligned like dominos stacked one in front of the other. Their large dendritic arbors form nearly two-dimensional layers through which parallel fibers from the deeper-layers pass. Purkinje cell antibodies including anti-metabotropic glutamate receptor 1, anti-Homer protein homolog 3, and anti-carbonic anhydrase-related protein VIII have been associated with cerebellar ataxia.

Anti-s100b blood brain barrier - S100 calcium-binding protein B (S100B) is a protein of the S-100 protein family. S100 proteins are localized in the cytoplasm and nucleus of a wide range of cells, and involved in the regulation of a number of cellular processes such as cell cycle progression and differentiation. Blood-brain barrier integrity breach and sub-concussive episodes leads to the production of this antibody. Extravasation of S100B may trigger a pathologic autoimmune reaction linking systemic and CNS immune responses.

**Anti-Tubulin** - Tubulin, one of the major constituents of microtubules, is a dimeric protein consisting of an alpha and beta chain. Alpha and Beta tubulins polymerize into microtubules, a major component of the eukaryotic cytoskeleton. Anti-Tubulin antibodies play an important role in the development of inflammatory demyelination, neurodegeneration and chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy.

**Blood brain barrier** - The blood–brain barrier (BBB) is a highly selective semipermeable membrane barrier that separates the circulating blood from the brain extracellular fluid in the central nervous system (CNS). The blood–brain barrier is formed by brain endothelial cells, which are connected by tight junctions.

**Demyelination** - A demyelinating disorder is a disorder of the nervous system in which the myelin sheath of neurons is damaged. This damage impairs the conduction of signals in the affected nerves.

**Neuropathy** - It is the term used to describe nerve damage which usually occurs in the '**peripheral** nervous system' (typically hands and feet) as opposed to the '**central** nervous system' (the brain and spinal cord). Neuropathy is seen with a number of different underlying medical conditions.



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Brain Autoimmunity	Anti-HSV1	Luc Letenneur , Karine Pérès, Hervé Fleury, Isabelle Garrigue, Pascale Barberger-Gateau, Catherine Helmer, Jean-Marc Orgogozo, Serge Gauthier, Jean-François Dartigues "Seropositivity to Herpes Simplex Virus Antibodies and Risk of Alzheimer's Disease: A Population-Based Cohort Study" The authors describe the reactivation of HSV seropositivity which is highly correlated with incident AD. IgM-positive subjects showed a significant higher risk of developing AD (HR=2.55; 95% CI [1.38–4.72]).	****
Brain	Anti-Purkinje cell	S. Jarius and B. Wildemann "'Medusa head ataxia': the expanding spectrum of Purkinje cell antibodies in autoimmune cerebellar ataxia. Part 1: Anti-mGluR1, anti-Homer-3, anti-Sj/ITPR1 and anti-CARP VIII" This review article discusses the role of the antigens in spinocerebellar ataxia and focuses specifically on anti- metabotropic glutamate receptor 1-, anti-Homer protein homolog 3-, and anti-carbonic anhydrase-related protein VIII-associated autoimmune cerebellar ataxia (ACA)	****



## **Risk and Limitations**

Neural Zoomer testing is performed at Vibrant America, a CLIA certified laboratory, and utilizes ISO-13485 developed technology. However, laboratory error can occur, which might lead to incorrect results. Some of them may include sample mislabeling or contamination, operational error or failure to obtain data for certain proteins. Vibrant's laboratory may need a second sample to complete the testing.

Vibrant America has effective procedures in place to protect against technical and operational problems. However, such problems may still occur. Examples include failure to obtain the result for a specific protein due to circumstances beyond Vibrant's control. Vibrant may re-test a sample in order to obtain these results but upon re-testing the results may still not be obtained. As with all medical laboratory testing, there is a small chance that the laboratory could report incorrect results. A tested individual may wish to pursue further testing to verify any results.

Tested individuals should not change their diet, physical activity, or any medical treatments they are currently using based on the test results without consulting their personal health care provider.

Tested individuals may find their experience is not consistent with Vibrant's selected peer reviewed scientific research findings of relative improvement for study groups. The science in this area is still developing and many personal health factors affect diet and health. Since subjects in the scientific studies referenced in this report may have had personal health and other factors different from those of tested individuals, results from these studies may not be representative of the results experienced by tested individuals. Further, some recommendations may or may not be attainable, depending on the tested individual's physical ability or other personal health factors.

A limitation of this testing is that many of these scientific studies may have been performed in selected populations only. The interpretations and recommendations are done in the context of these studies, but the results may or may not be relevant to tested individuals of different or mixed ethnicities.

Based on test results and other medical knowledge of the tested individual, health care providers might consider additional independent testing, or consult another health care provider.