

# Pathology Report



LEE, RACHEAL

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Patient RILEY, KATE 10 11 MAEVA ST JUBILEE POCKET QLD 4802

Sex F Age 30 years DOB 24/04/1994

Report For LEE, RACHEAL Ref. by/copy to LEE, RACHEAL Requested 04/07/2024

Collected 04/07/2024 09:11 AM Reported 09/07/2024 12:05 PM

### MTHFR GENOTYPE ANALYSIS

Peripheral blood

REASON FOR REFERRAL: Nil stated

RESULTS:

C677T mutation: NOT Detected

A1298C mutation: Heterozygous (single mutated allele detected)

This patient is heterozygous for the MTHFR A1298C mutation. Studies have shown that without the presence of the C677T mutation, this is NOT associated with increased plasma homocysteine levels or venous thrombosis.

#### **METHOD:**

The methylenetetrahydrofolate reductase gene (MTHFR, Ref. Sequence: NM\_005957.4) was screened for the presence of C677T (also known as c.677C>T/c.665C>T) and A1298C (also known as c.1298A>C/c.1286A>C) mutations using real-time PCR analysis (Hanson et al. Clin Chem. 2001;661-666).

Note: Changes to MBS on 01/03/23 require a proven history of thromboembolism in the patient or a proven mutation in a first degree relative for the above test/s to be refundable by Medicare. As no relevant history was supplied/exists, the patient will be billed for these tests. Please contact Patient Accounts on 1800 350 046 to arrange appropriate billing if patient has a positive history.

For enquiries consult Dr Peter Davidson or Dr Abhijit Kulkarni.

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### **CUMULATIVE SERUM HOMOCYSTEINE**

04/07/24 Date Time 09:11 76195731 Lab No

Homocysteine 15.0 umol/L (0.0-15.0)

76195731 High normal value.

With this level, the heterozygous state for defects of transsulphuration (homocysteinaemia) is unlikely. However the risk of coronary artery disease may be mildly elevated over the

baseline. This is independent of other risk factors.

Homocysteine Related Risk

Plasma level (umol/L) Risk Average No increase Below 9.0 9.0 - 14.9 x 2

15.0 - 19.9 x 3 20.0 or greater x 4.5

Risks approximated from New Eng J Med 1997 (337:230-236)

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