

WHEN ARE THE
TWO BEST TIMES
TO TEST PATIENTS
FOR HCV?

EARLY. AND OFTEN.



That's right. By testing your HCV patients frequently with an assay that can follow the virus from detection through therapy, you'll be better able to provide a more beneficial course of treatment.

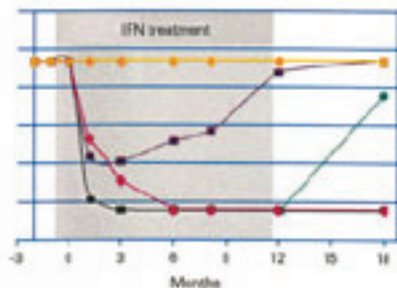
Which is why you need the Roche AMPLICOR® HCV Test, v2.0, and AMPLICOR HCV MONITOR™ Test, v2.0.

These two assays offer the sensitivity to detect and monitor HCV viral loads down to extremely low levels. And they give you results you can depend on, so you can initiate or change a course of therapy with confidence. It all adds up to a more accurate account of patient response, which can enable you to make the right decisions easier and faster.

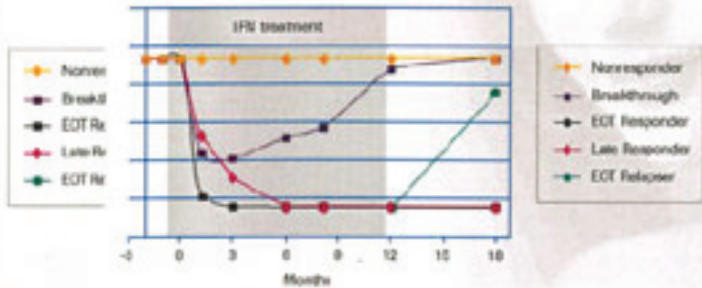
Sensitive down to 50 IU/mL.

The qualitative **AMPLICOR HCV Test** consistently detects RNA levels as low as 50 IU/mL, with a 100% positivity rate. This outstanding sensitivity allows you to reliably diagnose HCV and monitor response to HCV therapy—even if a patient has a low-level infection. The quantitative **AMPLICOR HCV MONITOR Test** reliably measures HCV levels between 800 IU/mL and 850,000 IU/mL, with a 95% positivity rate. This allows you to track a patient's viral load throughout the entire course of treatment, not just at the beginning.

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Results you can count on—every time.

When you're using a dependable assay, you don't have to worry about false positive results, which can force you to retest—and waste additional time and money. And **AMPLICOR HCV Test** and **AMPLICOR HCV MONITOR Test** give you the reliability—and the confidence—you need. They use either an Internal Control or Quantitation Standard, so both extraction efficiency and amplification efficiency can be monitored, for a more thorough quality control process. And they amplify all common HCV genotypes equally, so every known strain of virus can be reliably detected and quantitated.

Setting the standard by adopting the world standard.

Both AMPLICOR assays are the first to measure HCV RNA results in IU/mL, the World Health Organization (WHO) Standard format of International Units. This lets you compare qualitative and viral load results to any other HCV RNA results that are also expressed in IU/mL. You can even compare results of different tests from different countries. This can save you time and money, while ensuring that your patients don't have to undergo needless testing and therapy.

Find out more.

Regular testing with AMPLICOR HCV Test and AMPLICOR HCV MONITOR Test can give you the accurate information you need to provide a better course of treatment for your patients. For additional information, or to order a test, contact your Roche representative. And see why the best way to make your therapy more effective is to test your patients more often.