

Machaon Diagnostics - Berkeley, CA

Platelet Aggregation Testing – *Patient Guide*

(Please provide this form to patients referred to Machaon for Platelet Aggregation testing)

Your doctor has ordered a comprehensive Platelet Aggregation study. This is a very specialized test that is only offered at a handful of reference laboratories across the United States. Timing is of critical importance for this test. We recommend that all patients come to our Berkeley laboratory for on-site blood collection. Machaon Diagnostics specializes in the diagnosis of complex bleeding and clotting disorders.

Where you are going...

Our location:	2023 Eighth Street, Berkeley, CA 94710
Draw times:	9 AM – 2 PM
Time required:	Expect the visit to take 15-25 minutes
Patient parking:	Street parking available

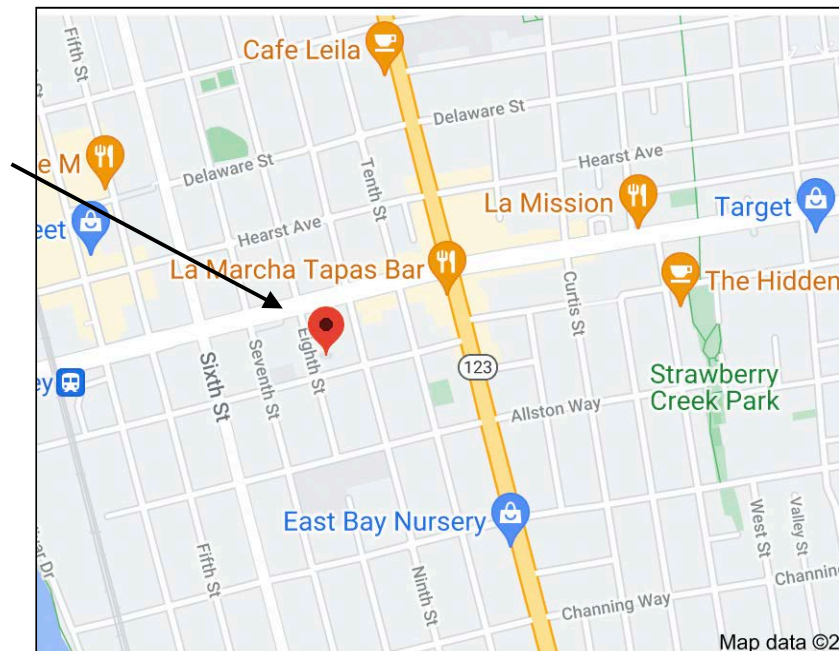
Please remember you **MUST** call to make an appointment!

Appointments:	Please phone 510-839-5600
Fasting:	DO NOT eat or drink anything, except for water, for 6 hours prior to blood draw
Interfering Agents:	Many drugs, supplements and dietary ingredients can interfere with the accurate measurement of platelet function. Please have a list of all your current medications and supplements when phoning for an appointment
Prescribed Drugs:	If you have been prescribed aspirin, non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs), antihistamines, fish oil concentrates or other platelet inhibitors, DO NOT discontinue use. We will notify you once we receive physician authorization to discontinue certain medications
Pending Surgery:	Please notify us if this test is for a pending medical procedure or surgery

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Please call for
directions

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