



Anti-Corticotroph cells autoantibodies

Indication

▶ Lymphocytic hypophysitis, autoimmune hypophysitis, pituitary hormone deficits.

see also

▶ [Autoantibodies in pituitary diseases](#)

Prevalence

Table 1

Diseases		Authors
ACTH-deficiency	14,8 %	De Bellis et al. 2011

Test methods

Indirect immunofluorescence (IF)

Literature

De Bellis A, Pane E, Bellastella G, Sinisi AA, Colella C, Giordano R, Giavoli C, Lania A, Ambrosio MR, Di Somma C, Zatelli MC, Arvat E, Colao A, Bizzarro A, Bellastella A; Italian Autoimmune Hypophysitis Network Study: Detection of antipituitary and antihypothalamus antibodies to investigate the role of pituitary or hypothalamic autoimmunity in patients with selective idiopathic hypopituitarism. Clin Endocrinol (2011); 75(3): 361 - 366 (PMID: [21521324](#)).