## Prostate Markers phi Who To Biopsy

The phi score is a blood test for men with a PSA result between 4-10ng/ml (some experts use it with PSA results from 2-10ng/ml). It is used to help reduce unnecessary initial prostate cancer biopsies.

## Science:

The *phi* Score, which has three times the specificity for prostate cancer compared to the PSA alone. It is a calculation based on an index of proteins in the blood that combines the concentrations of PSA, freePSA and pro2PSA.

## **Results:**

*phi* results have four categories of risk that prostate cancer may be found on biopsy.

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