

Lamotrigine (Lamictal)

Order Name: **LAMOTRIGIN**

Test Number: 4310575

Revision Date: 05/28/2021

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Lamotrigine (Lamictal)	Quantitative Enzyme Immunoassay	6948-4

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.3)	Serum	Clot Activator (Red Top, No-Gel)	Refrigerated
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.3)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Alternate 2	1 mL (0.3)	Plasma	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Refrigerated
Alternate 3	1 mL (0.3)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)	Refrigerated
Instructions	Draw 1/2-1 hour before next dose at steady state. Separate serum, plasma from cells ASAP. Reject Criteria : Gross Hemolysis, Lipemia, <i>(Gel Separation tubes are now acceptable)</i> Stability After separation from cells: Ambient 8 hours, Refrigerated 7 days, Frozen 4 weeks.			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Mon-Fri
Expected TAT	1-3 Days
CPT Code(s)	80175
Lab Section	Chemistry