

Zonisamide (Zonegran, Excegran)

Order Name: **ZONEGRAN**

Test Number: 3653425

Revision Date: 12/12/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Zonisamide (Zonegran, Excegran)	Enzyme Immunoassay	

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	1 mL (0.4 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator (Red Top, No-Gel)	Room Temperature
Alternate 1	1 mL (0.4 mL)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin (Dark Green Top / No-Gel)	Room Temperature
Alternate 2	1 mL (0.4 mL)	Plasma	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Room Temperature

Instructions

Notes: 0.4 mL (Note: This volume Does not allow for repeat testing)

Specimen Type: Red-top tube, Sodium heparin tube, Potassium-EDTA, Lithium heparin tube **DO NOT USE A GEL BARRIER TUBE**. The use of gel-barrier tubes is not recommended due to slow absorption of the drug by the gel. Depending on the specimen volume and storage time, the decrease in drug level due to absorption may be clinically significant.

Specimen Storage: Room Temperature tested immediately.

Specimen Collection: Separate serum from cells within 45 minutes of collection and transfer to a plastic transport tube. Separate plasma immediately and transfer to a plastic transport tube for shipment to the laboratory.

Specimen Stability: Ambient: 14 days, Refrigerated : 7 days, Frozen: 4 weeks

GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	2 - 4 days working day.
Performing Labcorp Test Code	007915
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 007915
CPT Code(s)	80203
Lab Section	Reference Lab