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## Fentanyl and Metabolites, S

**Test ID:** FENTS

**Explanation:** This test will be made non-orderable effective immediately due to assay performance issues. Testing will be unavailable for several months as the assay is redeveloped with a new method. The recommended alternative referral test is listed below. An update will be provided when testing resumes.

**Recommended Alternative Test:**

### Fentanyl and Metabolite, Serum/Plasma.

**Test ID:** ZW86

**Referral Lab Code:** 2079SP

**Methodology:**

High Performance Liquid Chromatography/Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC-MS/MS)

**Specimen Requirements:**

**Submit only one:**

**Specimen Type:** Serum

**Container/Tube:** Red-top

**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). Serum gel tube is not acceptable. Spin down and send 1 mL of serum ambient in a plastic (Preservative-Free) vial.

**Specimen Type:** Plasma

**Container/Tube:** Lavender top EDTA

**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Draw blood in a lavender top EDTA(s). Spin down and send 1 mL of plasma ambient in a plastic (Preservative-Free) vial.

**Rejection Criteria:** Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST) will be rejected

**Specimen Stability Information:**

| Specimen Type | Temperature         | Time      |
|---------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Varies        | Ambient (preferred) | 30 days   |
|               | Refrigerate         | 30 days   |
|               | Frozen              | 10 months |

**CPT Code:** 80354

**Miscellaneous Referral Test Fee:** \$132.00

**Day(s) Performed:** Varies      **Report Available:** 6 – 8 days

**Questions**

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