

NEW REFERRAL TEST

Notification Date: February 28, 2023 Effective Date: March 27, 2023

THC Confirmation, MS, SP

Explanation: The following new orderable, referred to Medtox Laboratory, will be available on March 27, 2023.

Test ID: FHCCF

Methods:

Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (GC-MS)

Reference Values:

Negative Units: ng/MI

Specimen Requirements:

Submit only 1 of the following specimens:

Serum				
Container/Tube:	Red Top			
Specimen Volume:	5 mL			
Collection Instructions:	Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s), serum gel tube is not acceptable . Spin down and send 5 mL of serum refrigerated in plastic vial.			
Minimum Volume:	2 mL			
Plasma				
Container/Tube:	Green-top (sodium heparin)			
Specimen Volume:	5 mL			

Collection Instructions:

Draw blood in a green-top (sodium heparin) tube(s), **plasma gel tube is not acceptable**. Spin down and send 5 mL sodium heparin plasma refrigerated in plastic vial.

Minimum Volume: 2 mL

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Varies	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days
	Frozen	180 days

Fee: \$163.42

CPT Code: 80349, G0480 (if appropriate)

Day(s) Setup: Monday through Sunday

Report Available: 7 to 9 days

Questions

Contact MCL Referrals Supervisor Amy Bluhm at 800-533-1710.