



Methadone and Metabolites, Serum

Test ID: MDNS

Explanation: This test will be made non-orderable effective immediately due to instrumentation issues and assay redevelopment. An update will be provided when testing resumes.

Recommended Alternative Test:

Methadone and Metabolite, Serum

Test ID: FMTMS

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

Reference Values:

Reporting limits(s) determined each analysis.

Methadone: None Detected ng/mL

EDDP: None Detected ng/mL

Specimen Requirements:

*****Must submit one specimen per order. Specimens cannot be shared between multiple orders.*****

Specimen Type: Serum

Collection Container/Tube: Red top

Submission Container/Tube: Plastic, preservative-free vial

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions:

1. Draw blood in a red top tube(s). Serum gel tube is not acceptable.
2. Centrifuge and send 1 mL of serum refrigerated in a plastic, preservative-free vial.

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Serum Red	Refrigerate (preferred)	29 days
	Frozen	365 days

CPT Code:

80358

G0480 (if appropriate)

Miscellaneous Referral Test Fee: \$158.00**Day(s) Performed:** Monday through Sunday**Report Available:** 6 to 10 days**Questions**

Contact Brandon DeBoom, Laboratory Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.