



Memo No. 2019-019
Date: 04-Jun-2019
Memo To: Clients
Re: Various

Levetiracetam, Serum

Effective immediately, the reference range for Levetiracetam has changed. There are no changes to the method, specimen requirements or handling.

Specimen Requirements and Handling:

Serum collected in a plain red top tube. EDTA plasma is also acceptable

Specimen volume: 1.0 mL

Minimum volume: 0.5 mL

Store and send frozen

Reference Range:

12.0-46.0 mcg/mL

Toxic level is not well established. Interpretation should include a clinical evaluation.

HL7 (unchanged)

Order Code: LEVET
(REF Code)

Result Code: 62040 LEVETIRACETAM Units: mcg/mL
(RES Code)

Lyme Disease Antibody-Immunoblot, Serum

Effective immediately, only the Result ID Reporting Names for two components of the Lyme Disease Antibody-Immunoblot have changed.

HL7

Order Code: LYWB
(REF Code)

Result Codes (RES Codes):

Current Result ID Reporting Name	New Result ID Reporting Name
38598 IgG Immunoblot	38598 IgG Immunoblot
38600 IgG Band(s)	38600 IgG detected against
38602 IgM Immunoblot	38602 IgM Immunoblot
38604 IgM Band(s)	38604 IgM detected against

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Methadone Quantitation, GC/MS, Serum

Effective immediately, the testing site for Methadone Quantitation has changed and specimens are now referred to Quest Diagnostics. Please note the following details.

Method:

GC/MS

Specimen Requirements and Handling:

Serum collected in a plain red top tube (no gel) or a royal blue top tube

Specimen volume: 5.0 mL

Minimum volume: 1.2 mL

Store and send frozen

Stability:

Room temperature: 72 hours

Refrigerated: 14 days

Frozen: 1 year

Reference Ranges:

100 – 400 ng/mL

Potentially Toxic Range: ≥ 2000 ng/mL

HL7

Order Code: METHAD S
(REF Code)

Result Code: 62967 METHADONE, GC/MS, SERUM
(RES Code)

Units: ng/mL

Please contact Client Care for pricing details.

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