

Methylphenidate, Metabolite Confirmation/Quantitation Serum or Plasma

Order Name: **Methphen S/P**
Test Number: 6905081
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TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Methylphenidate, Metabolite Confirmation/Quantitation Serum or Plasma	Quant Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry	

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	2 mL (1 mL)	Serum	Clot Activator (Red Top, No-Gel)	Frozen
Instructions	<p>Specimen Type: Gray-top (sodium fluoride), Red-top or Green-top (heparin) tube Specimen Storage: FREEZE; do NOT refreeze. Specimen Collection: Separate serum or plasma and transfer to a plastic transport tube. Freeze and ship frozen. Collect specimen as a peak level one to two hours after dosing. To avoid delays in turnaround time when requesting multiple tests on frozen samples, PLEASE SUMBIT SEPARATE FROZEN SPECIMENS FOR EACH TEST REQUESTED. Specimen Stability: Ambient: Unstable, Refrigerated : Unstable, Frozen: 6 months</p>			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Expected TAT	3-5 days
Performing Labcorp Test Code	715300
Notes	Labcorp Test Code: 715300
CPT Code(s)	80360
Lab Section	Reference Lab