

Methotrexate Level

Order Name: **METHOTREX**

Test Number: 4000560

Revision Date: 02/24/2022

TEST NAME	METHODOLOGY	LOINC CODE
Methotrexate Level		

SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Preferred	4.0mL (0.5mL)	Plasma	Lithium Heparin PST (Light Green Top)	Refrigerated
Alternate 1	4.0mL (0.5mL)	Serum	Clot Activator SST	Refrigerated
Alternate 2	4.0mL (0.5mL)	Plasma	EDTA (Lavender Top)	Refrigerated
Instructions	Specimen Stability: Room temperature: 24 hours, Refrigerated: 14 days (if serum/plasma is separated from cells)			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Testing Schedule	Daily
Expected TAT	1 day
CPT Code(s)	80204
Lab Section	Chemistry