TEST CHANGE

Flecainide

0090003, FLEC

Specimen Requirements:	
Patient Preparation:	Timing of specimen collection: Pre-dose (trough) draw - At steady state concentration.
Collect:	Plain red. Also acceptable: Lavender (EDTA), pink (K2EDTA or K3EDTA), green (sodium or lithium heparin), or gray (sodium fluoride/potassium oxalate).
Specimen Preparation:	Separate serum or plasma from cells within 6 hours of collection. Transfer 2 mL serum to an ARUP Standard Transport Tube. (Min: 0.5 mL)
Transport Temperature:	Refrigerated.
Unacceptable Conditions:	Gel separator tubes or gels of any kind; drug loss is immediate and no testing will be performed.
Remarks:	
Stability:	After separation from cells: Ambient: 6 weeks; Refrigerated: 6 weeks; Frozen: 6 weeks
Methodology:	Quantitative Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry
Performed:	Mon, Thu, Sat
Reported:	1-8~~5~~ days
Note:	
CPT Codes:	80181
New York DOH Approval Status:	This test is New York DOH approved.

Interpretive Data:

Toxic concentrations may cause cardiac abnormalities, hypotension and seizure.

This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by ARUP Laboratories. It has not been cleared or approved by the US Food and Drug Administration. This test was performed in a CLIA certified laboratory and is intended for clinical purposes.

Reference Interval:

Therapeutic Range:

0.20-1.00 µg/mL
Toxic: > 1.50 µg/mL