

TEST CHANGE

Gamma-Hydroxybutyric Acid (GHB), Serum or Plasma - Screen with Reflex to Confirmation/Quantitation

0091193, GHB SP

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Plain red, lavender (EDTA), or pink (K2EDTA).

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer ~~5~~1 mL serum or plasma to an ARUP standard transport ~~tube~~estube. (Min: ~~2.40.5~~ mL)
Test is not performed at ARUP; separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.

Transport Temperature: Refrigerated. Also acceptable: Room temperature or frozen.

Unacceptable Conditions: Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST) or citrate buffered tubes.

Remarks:

Stability: Ambient: 1 month; Refrigerated: 1 month; Frozen: 2 months

Methodology: Gas Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry (~~GC-MS~~)

Note:

CPT Codes: 80307; if positive add ~~83921~~82542

New York DOH Approval Status: This test is New York DOH approved.

Interpretive Data:

Reference Interval:

Refer to report