

TEST CHANGE

Fluoxetine and Metabolite Quantitative, Serum or Plasma

2014180, FLUOX SP

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Plain ~~red, lavender~~~~Red, Lavender~~ (EDTA), or ~~p~~Pink (K2EDTA).

Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer 3 mL serum or plasma to an ARUP ~~standard transport tube~~~~Standard Transport Tube~~. (Min: 1.2 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)~~~~Separator tubes~~.

Remarks:

Stability: Ambient: 2 weeks; Refrigerated: ~~1 month~~~~2 weeks~~; Frozen: ~~1 month~~~~9 months~~

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

Note:

CPT Codes: 80332 (~~Alt code: G0480~~)

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

Interpretive Data:

Reference Interval: