

HOTLINE: Effective November 18, 2019

New Test **3001975** **Methyl Bromide Metabolite, Serum or Plasma** **METH BRO**

Methodology: Quantitative Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectrometry
Performed: Varies
Reported: 8-11 days

Specimen Required: Patient Prep: Avoid exposure to gadolinium or iodine based contrast media for 96 hours prior to specimen collection. Do not use disinfectants containing iodine, such as Betadine, during draw (prior to draw).
Collect: Royal Blue (K₂ EDTA), Royal Blue (Na₂ EDTA), or Royal Blue (No Additive).
Specimen Preparation: Separate from cells ASAP or within 2 hours of collection. Transfer 2 mL serum or plasma to an Acid Washed Transfer Vial (ARUP supply #54350) available online through eSupply using ARUP Connect™ or contact ARUP Client Services at (800) 522-2787. (Min: 0.7 mL)
Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated. Also acceptable: Room temperature or frozen.
Unacceptable Conditions: Separator tubes.
Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 1 month; Refrigerated: 1 month; Frozen: 1 year

Reference Interval: By report

CPT Code(s): 82542

New York DOH Approved.

HOTLINE NOTE: Refer to the Test Mix Addendum for interface build information.