

TACROLIMUS

Orderable – FK FKC (continuous dose)

Turnaround Time: 1 day

STAT: Same day if received by 1000 h

Alternate Name(s):

FK506

Prograf®

Specimen:

Adult	Pediatric
4 mL K ₂ or K ₃ EDTA Lavender top Vacutainer tube	0-2 years: 0.5 mL Lavender Microtainer 2-10 years: 3 mL Lavender top



Laboratory:
Toxicology/Special
Chemistry Lab



Requisition:
GENERAL LABORATORY
REQUISITION



Method of Analysis:
LC-MS/MS



Test Schedule:
Monday--Saturday
Specimens received in the
Core lab after 1000 h will
be processed the next
working day.

Collection Information:

Minimum volume required for testing is 1.5 mL.

Send to laboratory immediately after collection.

Clotted blood is not suitable for analysis.

Thoroughly mix the blood sample after procurement.

Reference Ranges:

No established reference range. Concentrations are measured in ng/mL.

Comments:

Call the Toxicology/Special Chemistry Laboratory for more information at: 519-685-8500 x 64664 option 3.

Critical Information Required:

Date and time of sample collection.

Storage and Shipment:

Within LHSC (between campuses):

Send specimens between campuses on ice packs. S

Referred-in:

Send on ice packs.