

VOLTAGE
GATED
CALCIUM
CHANNEL
ANTIBODIES

Orderable – IMMx: then specify test

Turn Around Time: 20 days

Alternate Name(s):

Anti VGCC

Specimen:

Adult	Pediatric
2 x 5 mL Gold top Vacutainer tube	2-10 years: 1-3 x 3.5 mL Gold top Vacutainer tube

Collection Information:

2-5 mL serum required for testing

Reference Ranges:

Negative	Positive
≤30 pmol/L	>30 pmol/L

Special Processing:

Centrifuge at 4 °C, transfer serum to cryovials and store at 4 °C.

Comments:

Associated with Myasthenia Gravis

This test is available exclusively to neurologists at LHSC/SJHC

Storage and Shipment:

Store serum at 4 °C and ship with ice packs. Freeze if being stored for >1 week.



Laboratory:
Core Lab



Requisition:
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Laboratory Requisition
must be completed by
neurologist](#)



Method of Analysis:
RIA



Test Schedule:
Referred out Mondays



Referred Out Location:
Neuro-Immunology
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