

Anti Voltage Gated Calcium Antibody

ORDERABLE: IMMX - THEN SPECIFY TEST

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TEST DETAILS

ALTERNATE NAME (S):

Anti VGCC

SPECIMEN:

Adult	5 mL Gold top Vacutainer or 6mL Red Top
Pediatric	2-10 years: 2 mL Red top

COLLECTION INFORMATION:

Minimum volume is 1 mL in each of 2 aliquots.

Note: This test is available exclusively to neurologists at LHSC/SJHC

CRITICAL INFORMATION REQUIRED:

N/A

TURNAROUND TIME FROM WHEN SPECIMEN IS RECEIVED IN TESTING LABORATORY:

Routine	STAT
40 days	N/A

REQUISITION:

General Lab Requisition or electronic order: Write full name of test in space provided

LABORATORY:

Core

TEST SCHEDULE:

Referred out monthly

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

REFERENCE RANGE

Negative	0-45 pM
Positive	>45 pM (reported with numerical values)

CRITICAL VALUE:

N/A

INTERPRETIVE COMMENTS:

N/A

METHOD OF ANALYSIS:

RIA

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SPECIAL PROCESSING:

Clearly label aliquot tubes and requisition "Anti-VGCC"

For more information please contact:

Section Head, Immunology Lab - Ext: 35768

SPECIMEN STABILITY:

Samples are stable at refrigerator temperatures for up to 72 hours.

STORAGE AND SHIPMENT:

Freeze at -20°C and send on ice packs.

Save one frozen aliquot in archive box for 6 months then discard.

REFERRED OUT TO:

Churchill Hospital Headington, Oxford, United Kingdom

COMMENTS: N/A