

Overview

Method Name

High Performance Liquid Chromatography/Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC/MS/MS)

NY State Available

Yes

Specimen

Specimen Type

Plasma EDTA

Specimen Required

Container/Tube: EDTA (lavender top) or Pink top

Specimen Volume: 3 mL

Draw blood in EDTA (lavender top) or Pink top tube(s) (**Plasma gel tube is not acceptable.**) Spin down and send 1 mL of plasma refrigerate in preservative-free plastic vial.

Reject Due To

Hemolysis	NA
Lipemia	NA
Icterus	NA
Other	Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST)

Specimen Minimum Volume

0.5 mL

Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Plasma EDTA	Refrigerated (preferred)	30 days	
	Frozen	120 days	
	Ambient	30 days	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

0.2 mcg/mL

The reported value may vary based on dilution or weight of the specimen.

Performance**PDF Report**

No

Specimen Retention Time

2 weeks

Performing Laboratory Location

NMS Labs

Fees & Codes**Test Classification**

This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by NMS Labs. It has not been cleared or approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

CPT Code Information

80299

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC Value
FGANP	Ganciclovir, Plasma	15367-6

Result ID	Reporting Name	LOINC®
Z5527	Ganciclovir	15367-6