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## Overview

### Method Name

Gas Chromatography (GC)

### NY State Available

Yes

## Specimen

### Specimen Type

Varies

### Specimen Required

Submit only 1 of the following specimens:

#### Serum

Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). (**Serum gel tube is not acceptable.**) Spin down and send 1 mL of serum refrigerate in preservative-free plastic vial.

**Note:** Label specimen appropriately (serum).

#### Plasma

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

**Note:** Label specimens appropriately (plasma).

### Reject Due To

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

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**Specimen Minimum Volume**

0.5 mL

**Specimen Stability Information**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Refrigerated (preferred)	16 days	
	Frozen	60 days	

**Clinical & Interpretive****Reference Values**

Reporting limit determined each analysis

Ticlopidine

Synonym(s): Ticlid

Steady state peak plasma levels from patients on a 250 mg twice daily regimen: 0.22 – 2.1 mcg/mL (mean of 0.99) at 2 hours post dose.

**Performance****PDF Report**

No

**Performing Laboratory Location**

NMS Labs

**Fees & Codes****Test Classification**

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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
FFTIC	Ticlopidine	11003-1

Result ID	Reporting Name	LOINC®
Z1475	Ticlopidine	11003-1
Z1340	Reporting Limit	19147-8