

**Reporting Title:** Carboxy-THC Confirmation, M  
**Performing Location:** Mayo Clinic Laboratories - Rochester Superior Drive

**Ordering Guidance:**  
For chain-of-custody testing, order THCMX / 11-nor-Delta-9-Tetrahydrocannabinol-9-Carboxylic Acid (Carboxy-THC) Confirmation, Chain of Custody, Meconium.

**Specimen Requirements:**  
**Supplies:** Stool container, Small (Random), 4 oz (T288)  
**Container/Tube:** Stool container  
**Specimen Volume:** 1 g (approximately 1 teaspoon)  
**Collection Instructions:** Collect entire random meconium specimen.

**Forms:**  
If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a [Therapeutics Test Request](#) (T831) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Meconium	Frozen (preferred)	28 days	
	Ambient	14 days	
	Refrigerated	21 days	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
31863	Carboxy-THC	Alphanumeric	ng/g	69007-3
31876	Interpretation	Alphanumeric		69050-3
31877	Chain of Custody	Alphanumeric		77202-0

LOINC® and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**  
No

**CPT Code Information:**  
G0480  
80349 (if appropriate for select payers)

**Reference Values:**  
Negative

Positive results are reported with a quantitative liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry result.

Test Definition: THCM

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Meconium

Cutoff concentration: 5 ng/g