

Overview

Method Name
Gas Chromatography (GC)

NY State Available
Yes

Specimen

Specimen Type
Varies

Specimen Required
Must submit one specimen per order. Specimens cannot be shared between multiple orders.
Submit only 1 of the following specimens:

Specimen Type: Serum
Collection Container/Tube: Red top
Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial
Specimen Volume: 5 mL
Collection Instructions:
1. Draw blood in a plain, red-top tube(s). Serum gel tube is not acceptable.
2. Centrifuge and freeze immediately. Send 5 mL of serum frozen in a plastic, preservative-free vial.
3. Label specimen appropriately (serum).

Specimen Type: Plasma
Collection Container/Tube:
Preferred: Lavender-top EDTA)
Acceptable: Green-top (Heparin)
Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial
Specimen Volume: 5 mL
Collection Instructions:
1. Draw blood in a lavender-top (EDTA) or green-top (Heparin) tube(s). Plasma gel tube is not acceptable.
2. Centrifuge and freeze immediately. Send 5 mL of plasma frozen in a preservative-free plastic vial.
3. Label specimen appropriately (plasma).

Specimen Minimum Volume
2.2 mL

Reject Due To

Other	Polymer gel separation tube (SST or PST)
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Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Frozen	21 days	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

Reporting limit determined each analysis

30-125 ng/mL plasma in myasthenia gravis patients restores normal neuronal transmission.

Performance

PDF Report

No

Day(s) Performed

Monday through Sunday

Report Available

9 to 11 days

Specimen Retention Time

2 weeks

Performing Laboratory Location

NMS Labs

Fees & Codes

Fees

- Authorized users can sign in to [Test Prices](#) for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

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

80375

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FPYD	Pyridostigmine	9390-6

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
Z1435	Pyridostigmine	9390-6
Z1870	Reporting Limit	19147-8