

Reporting Title: 6-MAM Confirmation, CoC, M
Performing Location: Rochester

Shipping Instructions:
The laboratory recommends sending chain-of-custody specimens by overnight shipment.

Specimen Requirements:
Supplies: Chain-of-Custody Meconium Kit (T653) includes the specimen containers, seals, and documentation required.
Specimen Volume: 1 g (approximately 1 teaspoon)
Collection Instructions:
1. Collect entire random meconium specimen.
2. Send specimen frozen. When refrigerated, a significant percentage of 6-monoacetylmorphine will convert to morphine in less than 24 hours.
Additional Information: Specimen that arrives with a broken seal does not meet the chain of custody requirements.

Forms:
1. [Chain of Custody Request](#) is included in the Chain-of-Custody Kit (T282).
2. If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a [Therapeutics Test Request](#) (T831) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Meconium	Frozen	14 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
36202	6-Monoacetylmorphine	Alphanumeric	ng/g	29345-6
36203	Interpretation	Alphanumeric		69050-3
36204	Chain of Custody	Alphanumeric		77202-0

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

Supplemental Report:
No

CPT Code Information:
80356
G0480 (if appropriate)

Reflex Tests:

Test Id	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Available Separately
COCH	Chain of Custody Processing	1	99001	Yes	No

Reference Values:

Negative

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

Cutoff concentration: 5 ng/g