

Overview

Method Name  
Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC-MS/MS)

NY State Available  
Yes

Specimen

Specimen Type  
Serum

Specimen Required  
Collection Container/Tube: Red top  
Specimen Volume: 1.5 mL  
Submission Container/Tube: Plastic vial  
Collection Instructions:  
1. Morning (8 a.m.) and afternoon (4 p.m.) specimens are preferred.  
2. Include time of collection  
3. Centrifuge and aliquot serum into a plastic vial.  
Additional Information: If multiple specimens are collected, send a separate order for each specimen.

Specimen Minimum Volume  
0.5 mL

Reject Due To

Gross hemolysis	Reject
Gross lipemia	Reject
Gross icterus	OK

Specimen Stability Information

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Serum	Refrigerated (preferred)	28 days	
	Ambient	28 days	
	Frozen	28 days	

Clinical & Interpretive

Reference Values

No established reference values

Performance

PDF Report

No

Day(s) Performed

Monday through Friday

Report Available

2 to 5 days

Specimen Retention Time

14 days

Performing Laboratory Location

Rochester

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 Mayo Clinic in a manner consistent with CLIA requirements. It has not been cleared or approved by the US Food and Drug Administration.

CPT Code Information

82533

LOINC® Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
CLAV	Cortisol, LAV	2143-6

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
6346	Cortisol, LAV	2143-6