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VANCOMYCIN, TROUGH

Test Code: VANCT

Specimen Type: Serum

Tube Type / Collection Container: Brick Color Top OR Red Top

Specimen Volume: 1 ML

Specimen Handling: Centrifuge and pipette serum into plastic screw cap

transport tube.

Specimen Storage: Refrigerate 2-8 C

Specimen Collection Notes: Serum must be removed from cells within 4 hours of collection. Specimen stable 48 hours refrigerated. Collect immedaitely prior to dose. Peak and Trough Vancomycin levels should be collected around the third dose

Department: Chemistry



