

CARBAMAZEPINE,
SERUM - TOTAL

Orderable - CARB

Turnaround Time: 24 hours

Alternate Name(s):

Anticonvulsant
Tegretol

Specimen:

Adult	Pediatric
6 mL Red top Vacutainer tube	0-2 years: 0.5 mL Red top Microtainer 2-10 years: 4 mL Red top Vacutainer tube
Green and gold top Vacutainers with separator gels are not acceptable.	

Collection Information:

Collect blood aseptically in a Vacutainer tube.

Reference Ranges:

17 - 51 µmol/L

Critical Value: Toxic: >64 µmol/L

Comments:

CRITICAL VALUE to be phoned to Nurse or Physician immediately.



Laboratory:
Core Lab



Requisition:
GENERAL LABORATORY
REQUISITION



Method of Analysis:
Kinetic Interaction of
Microparticles in Solution
(KIMS)



Test Schedule:
As required

Other times by prior
arrangement.