

## Vancomycin Peak

<b>Synonyms</b>	Vanco Pk, Peak Vanco
<b>Abbreviation</b>	VANCO PK
<b>Specimen type</b>	<b>Preferred:</b> Lithium Heparain Plasma (PST) <b>Acceptable:</b> Serum
<b>Container</b>	Green/Yellow (PST), Green/White or 2 Green Microtainers; Red/Yellow (SST) or Plain Red or 2 Red Top Microtainers.
<b>Volume</b>	1 mL Minimum: 0.5 mL Plasma/Serum
<b>Collection requirements</b>	Draw Peak 1/2 hour after 60 min IV Verify last dose date/time.
<b>S/H instructions</b>	Refrigerate if testing is delayed.
<b>Stability</b>	Centrifuged: 3 days at room temperature. 8 days refrigerated. 1 month frozen. Serum: 48 hrs refrigerated.
<b>Reference range</b>	20.0-40.0 ug/mL (Therapeutic) > 40.0 ug /mL (Panic)
<b>Routine / STAT T.A.T</b>	Within 4 hours / 1 hour
<b>Section</b>	CHEM
<b>LAB code</b>	01175