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Plasma Total Mycophenolic Acid

Starting from this month, the Department of Chemical Pathology at Prince of Wales Hospital will commence a new therapeutic drug monitoring service on plasma total mycophenolic acid for patients receiving this immunosuppressant. Its measurement will be performed using the state-of-the-art technology: liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry.

Each request requires a 3-ml EDTA blood sample collected at trough level. The frequency of measurement for this new service is biweekly. If clinically indicated, results can be made available on the next working day after consultation with our Duty Biochemist.

For enquiries on further details of therapeutic drug monitoring service on immunosuppressants, please contact our Duty Biochemist at 2632-2685 / 2632-2331, or page through PWH Operator at 2632-2211.

You are most welcome to use our new service.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Sincerely yours,

Prof YM Dennis LO