

# Tilidine

## General:

Tilidine itself is only a weak opioid, but is rapidly metabolized in the liver and gut to its active metabolites nortilidine and bisnortilidine. Considered a low- to medium-potency opioid, it has the oral potency of about 0.2, i.e. a dose of 100 mg p.o. is equianalgesic to approximately 20 mg morphine sulfate orally. In addition to its use as an analgesic, tilidine is also used in the treatment of restless legs syndrome.

Material: 1 ml serum

TAT: 5-7 days\*

Method: LCMS

Units: µg/l

Ref.- range: 50 - 100

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