

# Tizanidine

## General:

Tizanidine is a drug that is used as a muscle relaxant. It is a centrally acting  $\alpha$ -2 adrenergic agonist. It is used to treat spasms, cramping, and tightness of muscles caused by medical problems such as multiple sclerosis, spastic diplegia, back pain, or certain other injuries to the spine or central nervous system. It is also prescribed off-label for migraine headaches, as a sleep aid, as an anticonvulsant and for some symptoms of fibromyalgia.

Material: 1 ml serum

TAT: 7-10 days\*

Method: LCMS

Units:  $\mu\text{g/l}$

Ref.- range: 4.0 - 16.0

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