



### **Helpful Hints**

Call the TASC lab with any questions at (602)-257-7588

#### **OPIATES:**

##### Looking For

Vicodin/Hydrocodone/Codeine/Morphine  
Oxycodone/Oxycontin/Percocet  
Heroin  
Methadone  
Suboxone/Buprenorphine

##### Test For

Opiates  
Oxycodone  
Heroin (in conjunction with the opiate test)  
Methadone  
Buprenorphine

- The opiate test is best used for detecting Hydrocodone, Morphine and Codeine
- Individuals taking Methadone or Suboxone for Opiate cessation will NOT test positive for Opiates

#### **AMPHETAMINES:**

- Individuals taking asthma inhalers such as ProAir, Albuterol, Advair, Serevent, or Primatine will NOT test positive for Amphetamines
- Ritalin will NOT test positive for Amphetamines
- Other ADD/ADHD medications such as Adderall, Vyvance, Dextrostat, and Dexedrine may cause an amphetamine positive
- Over the counter medications (e.g. Sudafed) may cause a screening positive, GCMS confirmation is recommended

#### **MARIJUANA:**

- Ibuprofen, hemp products, spice or synthetic cannabinoids will NOT test positive for Marijuana (THC)
- It is NOT possible to screen positive for THC by second-hand exposure only

#### **EtG**

- Over the counter liquid medication containing alcohol may cause a positive EtG
- Mouthwash, hand sanitizers (if used as directed), and foods cooked with alcohol will not cause a positive for EtG
- Detection times are dependent on alcohol usage

#### **MISC:**

- It is very improbable to test positive due to sexual activity with a drug user
- Dilution is based on liquid intake. Medications, diabetes, pregnancy may have an effect on client being diluted
- Avoid interpretation drug levels, contact the laboratory with any questions
- The internet is NOT a reliable resource for drug information

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