

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: October 13, 2005

RE: Juvenile Drug Testing Statistics for August 2005

Drug testing of juvenile arrestees for August 2005 revealed a significant increase in the level of substance abuse detected for marijuana, which was up 14% from July, to 60%. The level of substance abuse detected for PCP was down 1% from the previous month at 3%, while cocaine remained the same at 4%.

The Juvenile Drug Testing Unit tested 179 respondents prior to their initial hearing in August. Sixty-three percent (63%) of the 163 Lockup cases tested positive. Thirty-eight percent (38%) of the 16 Community cases tested positive. The combined positive rate was 61%, up 11% from July.

	<b>COMMUNITY</b>	<b>LOCKUP</b>	<b>COMBINED</b>
<b>ALL NEGATIVE</b>	<b>10 (62%)</b>	<b>60 (37%)</b>	<b>70 (39%)</b>
<b>ANY POSITIVE</b>	<b><u>6 (38%)</u></b>	<b><u>103 (63%)</u></b>	<b><u>109 (61%)</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>179</b>

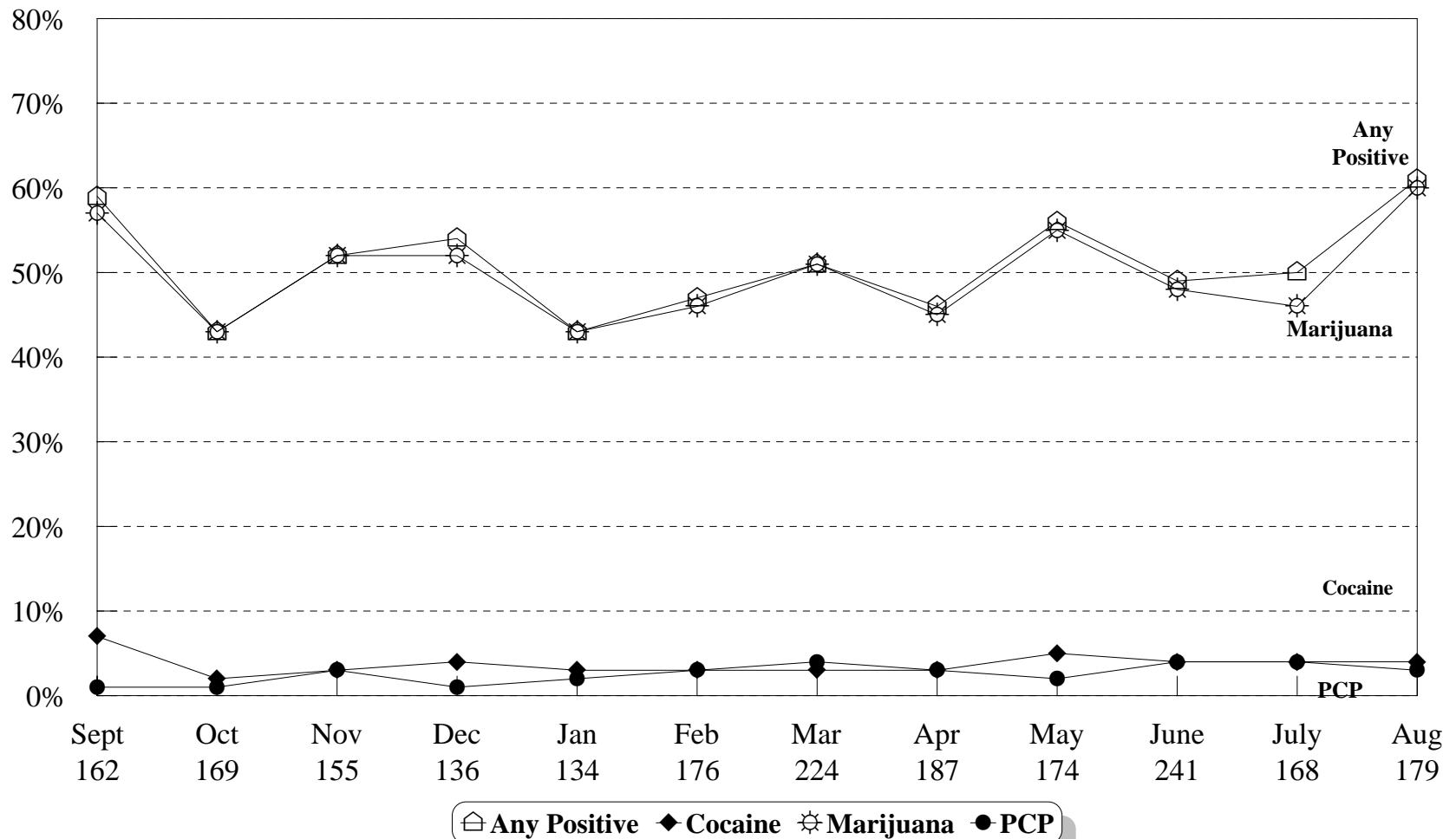
	<b>Of the 16 Community Cases</b>	<b>Of the 163 Lockup Cases</b>	<b>Of the 179 Combined Cases</b>	<b>Of the 109 Positive Cases</b>
<b>Multi Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10 (6%)</b>	<b>10 (6%)</b>	<b>10 (9%)</b>
<b>Cocaine Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7 (4%)</b>	<b>7 (4%)</b>	<b>7 (6%)</b>
<b>Marijuana Positive</b>	<b>6 (38%)</b>	<b>101 (62%)</b>	<b>107 (60%)</b>	<b>107 (98%)</b>
<b>PCP Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6 (4%)</b>	<b>6 (3%)</b>	<b>6 (6%)</b>

The following breakdown of age groups for both Community and Lockup cases was obtained through the Superior Court's records system and correlated with the respondent's test result information.

<b>Age</b>	<b>No. of Arrestees Tested</b>	<b>No. Positive for Any Drug</b>	<b>% Positive for Any Drug</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>69%</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>55%</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>59%</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>71%</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>65%</b>
<b>18-19</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>83%</b>
<b>Over 19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>

# Drug Testing of Juvenile Respondents

September 2004 - August 2005



This data reflects results of the drug test conducted prior to the juvenile's initial court hearing.