

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: November 2, 2005

RE: Juvenile Drug Testing Statistics for September 2005

Drug testing of juvenile arrestees for September 2005 revealed a significant decrease in the level of substance abuse detected for marijuana, which was down 13% from August, to 47%. The level of substance abuse detected for PCP was up 2% from the previous month at 5%, while cocaine remained the same at 4%.

The Juvenile Drug Testing Unit tested 220 respondents prior to their initial hearing in September. Fifty-one percent (51%) of the 195 Lockup cases tested positive. Twenty-eight percent (28%) of the 25 Community cases tested positive. The combined positive rate was 48%, down 13% from August.

	<b>COMMUNITY</b>	<b>LOCKUP</b>	<b>COMBINED</b>
<b>ALL NEGATIVE</b>	<b>18 (72%)</b>	<b>96 (49%)</b>	<b>114 (52%)</b>
<b>ANY POSITIVE</b>	<b><u>7</u> (28%)</b>	<b><u>99</u> (51%)</b>	<b><u>106</u> (48%)</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>220</b>

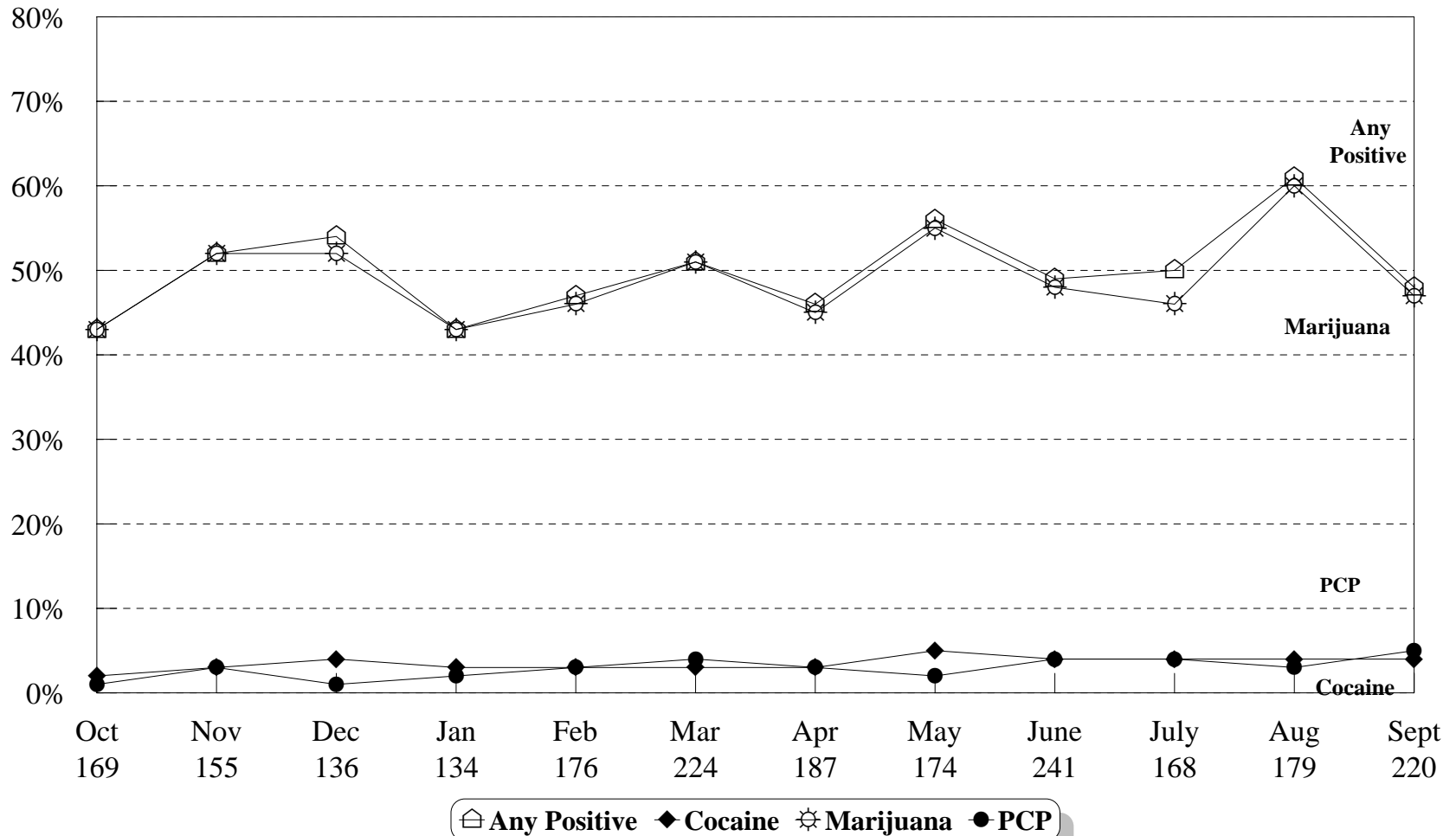
	<b>Of the 25 Community Cases</b>	<b>Of the 195 Lockup Cases</b>	<b>Of the 220 Combined Cases</b>	<b>Of the 106 Positive Cases</b>
<b>Multi Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12 (6%)</b>	<b>12 (5%)</b>	<b>12 (11%)</b>
<b>Cocaine Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8 (4%)</b>	<b>8 (4%)</b>	<b>8 (8%)</b>
<b>Marijuana Positive</b>	<b>6 (24%)</b>	<b>97 (50%)</b>	<b>103 (47%)</b>	<b>103 (97%)</b>
<b>PCP Positive</b>	<b>1 (4%)</b>	<b>9 (5%)</b>	<b>10 (5%)</b>	<b>10 (9%)</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>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>23%</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>51%</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>46%</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>52%</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>56%</b>
<b>18-19</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>75%</b>
<b>Unknown</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>

# Drug Testing of Juvenile Respondents

October 2004 - September 2005



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