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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Interested Parties

**FROM:** Leslie C. Cooper *Leslie C. Cooper*

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**SUBJECT: July 2017 Drug Testing Statistics**

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Drug testing of adult arrestees for July 2017 increased by 1% when compared to last month. There was a 1% increase in multi-drug positives. Cocaine levels revealed a 1% percent decrease. Opiates, amphetamines, PCP, and heroin levels remained consistent with last month.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact us at [contact@psa.gov](mailto:contact@psa.gov). Historical reports dating to 1996 can be accessed at [www.psa.gov](http://www.psa.gov) in the *Reading Room*, which can be accessed under the *Resources* tab.

The breakdown of July 2017 adult test results is as follows:

No. Tests/No. Positive	June 2017		July 2017	
	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positives	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positives
Multi-Drug Positive	1531 (6%)	432 (21%)	1539 (7%)	444 (23%)
Cocaine Positive	259 (17%)	259 (60%)	241 (16%)	241 (54%)
Opiates Positive	102 (7%)	102 (24%)	111 (7%)	111 (25%)
Amphetamines Positive	20 (1%)	20 (5%)	12 (1%)	12 (3%)
PCP Positive	128 (8%)	128 (30%)	121 (8%)	121 (27%)
Heroin Positive	13 (1%)	13 (3%)	16 (1%)	16 (4%)
Synthetic Cannabinoid Positive	1 (0%)	1 (0%)	48 (3%)	48 (11%)

	July 2017 Tests	
All Negative	1095	71%
Any Positive	444	29%
Total	1539	100%

**July 2017 Juvenile Drug Testing Statistics**

The positive rate for juvenile drug testing for July 2017 increased by 13% when compared to last month.

	<b>June 2017</b>		<b>July 2017</b>	
Number Tested/ Number Positive	78/37	(47%)	65/39	(60%)
Multi-Drug Positive	0	(0%)	2	(3%)
Cocaine Positive	0	(0%)	1	(2%)
Marijuana Positive	37	(47%)	39	(60%)
PCP Positive	0	(0%)	0	(0%)

The Juvenile Drug Testing Unit tested 65 respondents prior to their appearance in July 2017. Of the 65 lockup cases, 39 (60%) tested positive for marijuana. No community cases were tested for the month of July.

	<b>Community</b>		<b>Lockup</b>		<b>Combined</b>	
All Negative	0	(0%)	26	(40%)	26	(40%)
Any Positive	0	(0%)	39	(60%)	39	(60%)
Total	0	(0%)	65	(100%)	65	(100%)

	<b>Of the 0 Community Cases</b>		<b>Of the 65 Lockup Cases</b>		<b>Of the 65 Combined Cases</b>		<b>Of the 39 Positive Cases</b>	
Multi-Drug Positive	-	(-%)	2	(3%)	2	(3%)	2	(5%)
Cocaine Positive	-	(-%)	1	(2%)	1	(2%)	1	(3%)
Marijuana Positive	-	(-%)	39	(60%)	39	(60%)	39	(100%)
PCP Positive	-	(-%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)

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>Number of Arrestees Tested</b>	<b>Number Positive for Any Drug</b>	<b>Percent Positive for Any Drug</b>
10	1	0	0%
11	1	0	0%
12	2	0	0%
13	3	1	33%
14	8	4	50%
15	13	4	31%
16	16	11	69%
17	21	19	90%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>60%</b>

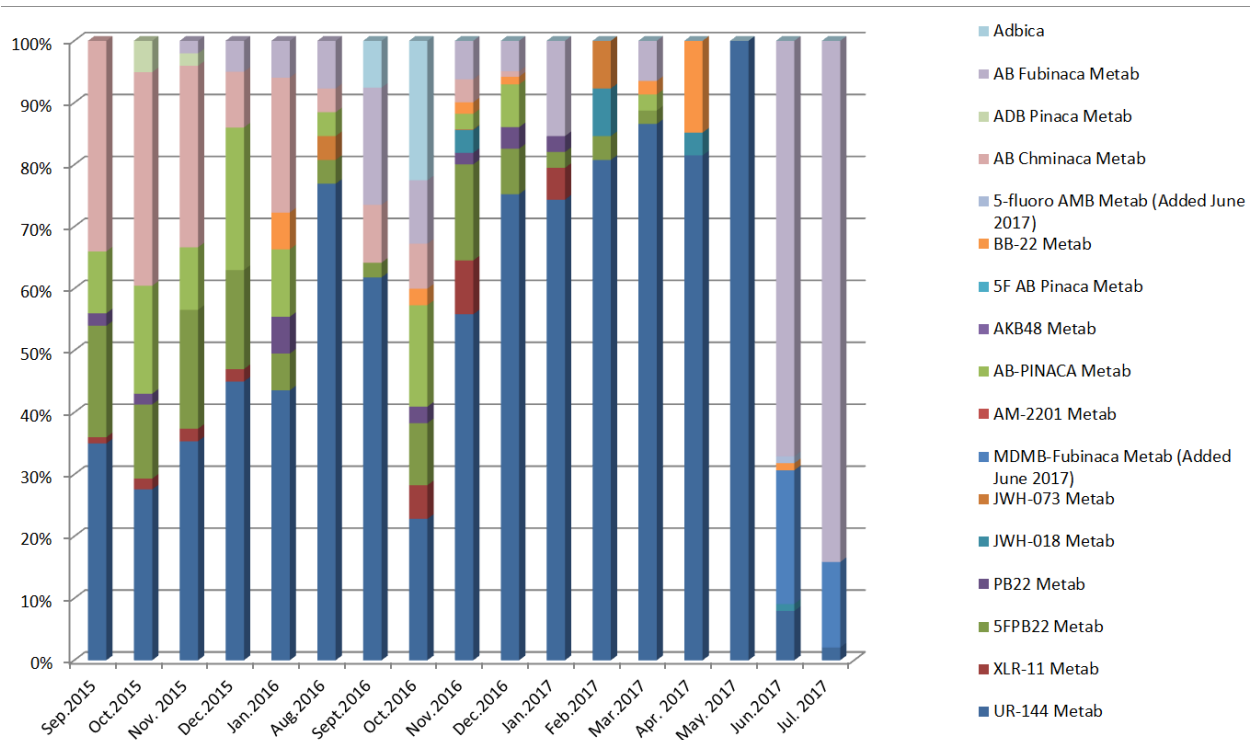
## Synthetic Cannabinoid Testing Results for July 2017\*

July 2017		
Positives	108	96.43%
Negatives	4	3.56%
Total	112	100%

	Number of Positives	Percentage of Total Samples	Percentage of Positive Samples
UR-144 Metabolites	3	2.07%	2.78%
*AB-FUBINACA Metabolites	122	84.14%	112.96%
**MDMB-FUBINACA Metabolite	20	13.79%	18.25%
Total	145	100%	133.99%

\*\*\*Starting in July 2017, data is expressed as a percentage of total positive analogues instead of percentage of total samples. Data prior to July 2017 is expressed as a percentage of total samples.

Test Performed by LCMSMS \*Includes Metabolites 3 and 4 as of June 2017 \*\*Added June 2017



\*These samples were obtained from the pretrial, parole/probation, and juvenile populations. The samples have been preselected by staff or the court for testing due to suspected use by the contributor.

### Drug Testing of Adult Arrestees August 2016 - July 2017

