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SUBJECT: **June 2019 Drug Testing Statistics**

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The rate of positive results from drug testing of adult arrestees for June 2019 decreased by 1% when compared to the previous month, with an overall positive test rate of 28%. Multi-drug positives, cocaine, amphetamines and heroin each remained consistent. Opiates, PCP and synthetic cannabinoids revealed a 1% decrease, respectively.

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

The breakdown of June 2019 adult test results is as follows:

No. Tests/No. Positive	May 2019		June 2019	
	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positives	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positives
Multi-Drug Positive	98 (6%)	98 (22%)	83 (6%)	83 (22%)
Cocaine Positive	238 (15%)	238 (52%)	207 (15%)	207 (55%)
Opiates Positive	81 (5%)	81 (18%)	57 (4%)	57 (15%)
Amphetamines Positive	28 (2%)	28 (6%)	21 (2%)	21 (6%)
PCP Positive	152 (10%)	152 (33%)	122 (9%)	122 (32%)
Heroin Positive	5 (0%)	5 (1%)	5 (0%)	5 (1%)
Synthetic Cannabinoid Positive	15 (1%)	15 (3%)	5 (0%)	5 (1%)

June 2019 Tests		
All Negative	986	72%
Any Positive	376	28%
Total	1362	100%

June 2019 Juvenile Drug Testing Statistics

The positive rate for juvenile drug testing for June 2019 increased by 25% when compared to the previous month.

	May 2019		June 2019	
Number Tested/ Number Positive	55/34	(62%)	46/40	(87%)
Multi-Drug Positive	1	(2%)	0	(0%)
Cocaine Positive	0	(0%)	0	(0%)
Marijuana Positive	34	(62%)	40	(87%)
PCP Positive	1	(2%)	0	(0%)

The Juvenile Drug Testing Unit tested 46 respondents prior to their appearance in June 2019. Of the 46 lockup cases, 40 (87%) tested positive for marijuana. No community cases were tested for the month of June.

	Community		Lockup		Combined	
All Negative	0	(0%)	6	(13%)	6	(13%)
Any Positive	0	(0%)	40	(87%)	40	(87%)
Total	0	(0%)	46	(100%)	46	(100%)

	Of the 0 Community Cases		Of the 46 Lockup Cases		Of the 46 Combined Cases		Of the 40 Positive Cases	
Multi-Drug Positive	0	(0%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)
Cocaine Positive	0	(0%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)	0	(0%)
Marijuana Positive	0	(0%)	40	(87%)	40	(87%)	40	(100%)
PCP Positive	0	(0%)	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.

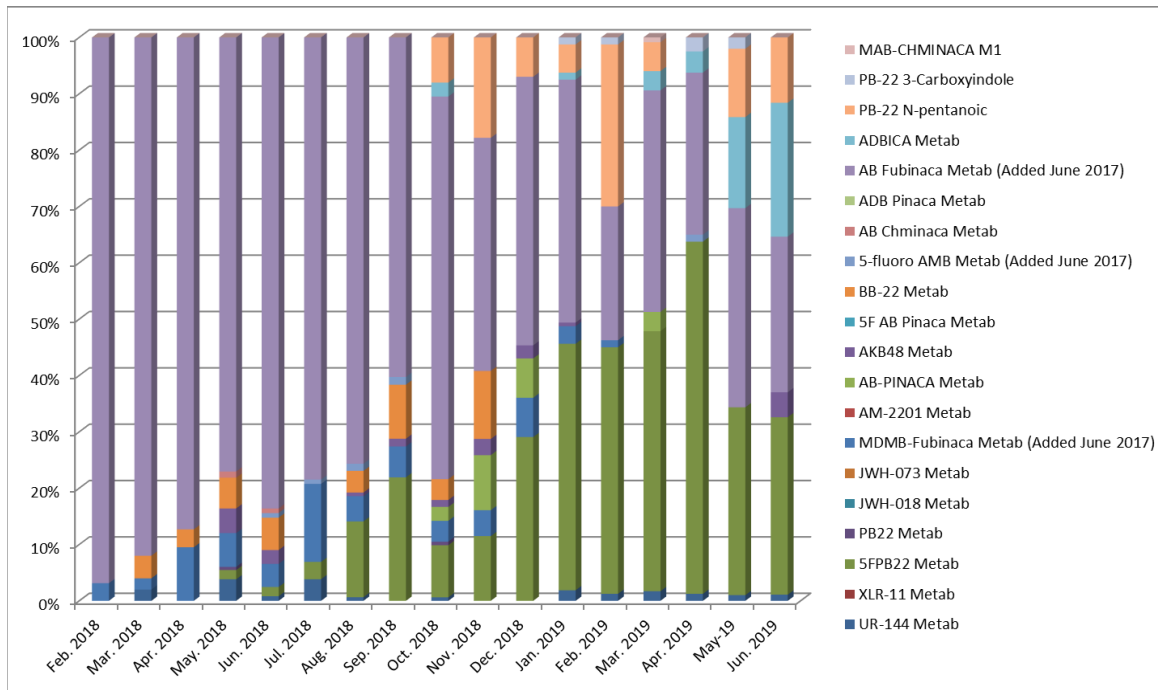
Age	Number of Arrestees Tested	Number Positive for Any Drug	Percent Positive for Any Drug
14	7	6	86%
15	8	7	88%
16	14	12	86%
17	17	15	88%
Totals	46	40	87%

Synthetic Cannabinoid Testing Results for June 2019*

June 2019		
Positives	98	86.73%
Negatives	15	13.27%
Total	113	100%

	Number of Positive Analogues	Percentage of Positive Analogues
5-fluoro PB-22 3-Carboxyindole	57	31.49%
*AB-FUBINACA Metabolites	50	27.62%
ADBICA N-pentanoic acid	43	23.76%
PB-22 N-pentanoic acid	21	11.60%
AKB48 N-pentanoic acid	8	4.42%
UR-144 pentanoic acid	2	1.10%
Total	181	100%

***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 July 2018 - June 2019

