

# SUBSTANCE WEEKLY REPORT



April 13<sup>th</sup> - April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026 (156 Samples)

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 65.4% (102/156) of samples checked this week were as expected, with no cuts or adulterants detected
- 22.5% (9/40) of down samples contained a benzo this week

## DOWN/OPIOIDS, 40 SAMPLES

- 32 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of 6%
- 19 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 2%
- 10 samples contained **heroin** at a median concentration of 0.8%
- 3 samples contained **ortho-methyl fentanyl** at a concentrations of 0.6%, 0.6%, and 1%
- 1 sample contained **medetomidine**, at a concentration of less than 1%
- 1 sample contained **carfentanil** at a concentration of 0.1%
- 9/40 down samples contained a **benzo**
  - 4 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at a median concentration of 4%
  - 3 samples contained **bromazolam** at a concentrations of 0.4%, 0.4% and 2%
  - 1 sample contained **desalkylgidazepam** at a concentration of 0.9%
  - 1 sample contained **phenazolam** at a concentration of 2%
  - 1 sample contained **ethylflualprazolam**

### Over the Past Four Weeks...

- 134 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of 4%
- 101 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 3%
- 17 samples contained **medetomidine** at a median concentration of less than 1%
- 13 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at a median concentration of 4%
- 8 samples contained **phenazolam** at a median concentration of 1%

## DISSOCIATIVES & PSYCHEDELICS, 28 SAMPLES

- 13/13 samples were **ketamine**
- 2 samples were **deschloroketamine**
- 1 sample was **diphenidine**
- 1 **3-Me-PCP** sample also contained **fentanyl or an analogue**
- 1 **PCP** sample also contained **fentanyl or an analogue**
- 7/9 samples were **2C-B**
  - 1 sample also contained **acetaminophen (Tylenol)**
  - 1 sample also contained **ketamine, MDMA, and procaine**
- 1 sample was **LSD**



## BENZOS, 11 SAMPLES

- 0/4 samples were **alprazolam (Xanax)**
  - 2 samples were **bromazolam** instead
  - 1 sample was **bromazolam** and **ethylbromazolam** instead
  - 1 sample was **flualprazolam** instead
- 0/3 samples were **bromazepam**
  - 2 samples were **desalkylgidazepam** instead
  - 1 sample was **ethylbromazolam** instead
- 1 **bromazolam** sample was **phenazolam** instead
- 1 sample was **clonazepam**
- 1 sample was **diazepam (Valium)**
- 1 sample was **lorazepam (Ativan)**

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## STIMULANTS, 43 SAMPLES

- 22/24 samples were **cocaine** (hard and soft)
  - 2 **cocaine** (soft) samples also contained **levamisole**
- 12/12 samples were **MDMA**
- 1 sample was **MDMA, MDA**, and **methamphetamine**
- 1 sample was **MDMA** and **methamphetamine**
- 3/3 samples were **methamphetamine**
- 1 sample was **3-MMC (Metaphedrone)**
- 1 sample was **4-MMC (Mephedrone)**

## OTHER, 25 SAMPLES

- 2/2 samples were **GHB**
- 1 **codeine and promethazine (Lean)** sample did not have any actives detected
- 7/7 samples were **hydromorphone (Dilaudid)**
- 4/4 samples were **oxycodone (Oxycontin)**
- 1 sample was **Percocet**
- 1 sample was **Tramadol**
- 1 sample was **promethazine**
- 4/6 samples were **sildenafil (Viagra)**
  - 2 sample also contain **tadalafil (Cialis)**
- 2/2 samples were **tadalafil (Cialis)**

## UNKNOWN, 9 SAMPLES

- 9 samples were brought in as "unknown"
  - 7 samples had actives detected, 2 did not

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## REPORT GLOSSARY

- **Median:** Like an average, but accounts for outlying results so the final number isn't skewed.
- **Percentages:** Represents the amount per 100 mg. Example: a concentration of 12% fentanyl is 12 mg of fentanyl per 100 mg (a point) of the total sample (including other components like cuts).
- **Unknown benzo:** A benzo that is likely outside of our PSMS target list.
- **Fentanyl or analogue:** Results based on a positive strip test and unconfirmed by PSMS.