

# SUBSTANCE WEEKLY REPORT



May 11<sup>th</sup> - May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026 (164 Samples)

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 52.4% (86/164) of samples checked this week were as expected, with no cuts or adulterants detected
- 16.7% (6/36) of down samples contained a benzo this week

## DOWN/OPIOIDS, 36 SAMPLES

- 24 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of 8%
- 19 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 6%
- 4 samples contained **medetomidine** at a median concentration of 2%
- 2 samples contained **heroin** at concentrations of 1% and greater than 50%
- 1 sample contained **ortho-methyl fentanyl** at a concentration of 0.8%
- 6/36 down samples contained a **benzo**
  - 3 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at concentrations of 0.9%, 2% and 3%
  - 2 samples contained **bromazolam** at concentrations of 4% and 16%
  - 1 sample contained **desalkylgidazepam** at a concentration of 1%
  - 1 sample contained **ethylflualprazolam**
  - 1 sample contained an **unknown benzo**

### Over the Past Four Weeks...

- 192 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of 2%
- 125 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 8%
- 42 samples contained **medetomidine** at a median concentration of 1%
- 37 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at a median concentration of 1%
- 4 samples contained **phenazolam** at a median concentration of 2%

## BENZOS, 5 SAMPLES

- 1 **alprazolam (Xanax)** sample did not have any actives detected
- 1 **clonazepam (Klonopin)** sample did not have any actives detected
- 1 **diazepam (Valium)** was **hydromorphone (Dilaudid)** instead
- 1 **ethylbromazolam** sample was **phenazolam** instead
- 1 unspecified benzo was **flualprazolam**





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## STIMULANTS, 59 SAMPLES

- 22/23 samples were **cocaine** (hard and soft)
  - 1 **cocaine** (soft) sample did not have any actives detected
- 2/2 samples were **MDA**
- 1 **amphetamine** and **MDMA** sample was **methamphetamine** and **MDMA** instead
- 17/21 samples were **MDMA**
  - 3 samples did not have any actives detected
  - 1 sample was **MDA** instead
- 4/4 samples were **methamphetamine**
- 1 sample was **2-FMA**
- 1/2 samples were **3-MMC**
  - 1 sample also contained an unknown cathinone
- 1 sample was **4-FMA**
- 1 sample was **4-MMC**
- 1/4 samples were **amphetamine**
  - 1 sample was **methamphetamine** instead
  - 1 sample also contained an unknown
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected

## UNKNOWN, 12 SAMPLES

- **12 samples were brought in as "unknown"**
  - 5 sample had actives detected, 7 did not

## DISSOCIATIVES & PSYCHEDELICS, 42 SAMPLES

- 16/20 samples were **ketamine**
  - 4 samples did not have any actives detected
- 1/2 samples were **3-MeO-PCE**
  - 1 sample was an unknown instead
- 1 sample was **fluorodeschloroketamine**
- 1 sample was **2-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE**
- 1 sample was **3-HO-PCP**
- 1 sample was **isophenidine (NPDPA)**
- 1 sample was **MXiPr (Methoxisopropamine)**
- 1 **3-Me-PCPy** sample was **3-Me-PCP** instead
- 1 **2C-B** sample also contained **acetaminophen (Tylenol)**
- 1 sample was **2C-E**
- 1 sample was **2C-I**
- 1 sample was **4-HO-MiPT (Miprocin)**
- 1/2 samples was **5-MeO-DMT**
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected
- 1/2 samples was **DMT**
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected
- 3/4 samples were **LSD (acid)**
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected
- 0/2 samples were **Psilocybin (mushrooms)**
  - 1 sample also contained **THCV**
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected

## OTHER, 10 SAMPLES

- 1 sample was **pregabalin**
- 2/3 samples were **hydromorphone (Dilaudid)**
  - 1 sample did not have any actives detected
- 1 **opium** sample did not have any actives detected
- 1 **THC** sample did not have any actives detected
- 3 expected steroid samples did not have any actives detected
- 1 sample was **testosterone enanthate**

## 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.