

# SUBSTANCE WEEKLY REPORT



August 10<sup>th</sup> - August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026 (139 Samples)

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 61.2% (85/139) of samples checked this week were as expected, with no cuts or adulterants detected
- 16.1% (5/31) of down samples contained a benzo this week

## DOWN/OPIOIDS, 31 SAMPLES

- 7 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of less than 1%
- 13 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 6%
- 2 samples contained **heroin** at concentrations of 4% and 48%
- 3 samples contained **medetomidine** at concentrations of less than 1%, 3%, and 3%
- 5/31 down samples contained a **benzo**
  - 3 samples contained **ethylflualprazolam** at concentrations of 1%, 1%, and 36%
  - 1 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at a concentration of 40%
  - 1 sample contained **desalkylgidazepam** at a concentration of less than 1%
  - 1 sample contained an **unknown benzo**

### Over the Past Four Weeks...

- 48 samples contained **fluorofentanyl** at a median concentration of 6%
- 63 samples contained **fentanyl** at a median concentration of 2%
- 13 samples contained **medetomidine** at a median concentration of 1%
- 15 samples contained **ethylflualprazolam** at a median concentration of 1%
- 6 samples contained **ethylbromazolam** at a median concentration of 2%

## BENZOS, 4 SAMPLES

- 2/2 samples were **clonazepam** (Klonopin)
- 1 **alprazolam** (Xanax) sample was **ethylbromazolam** instead
- 1 sample was **diazepam** (Valium)

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## UNKNOWN, 12 SAMPLES

- 12 samples were brought in as "unknown"
  - 10 samples had actives detected, 2 did not

## DISSOCIATIVES & PSYCHEDELICS, 35 SAMPLES

- 25/27 samples were **ketamine**
  - 1 sample was **cocaine** (soft) instead
  - 1 sample was **cocaine** (hard) and **phenacetin** instead
- 1 sample was **2C-B**
- 1 **5-MeO-DMT** sample also contained an **unknown tryptamine**
- 1 **cebil** sample contained **unknown carbohydrates** and an **unknown oil**
- 4/4 samples were **LSD**
- 1 **mescaline** sample did not have a sufficient amount for testing



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## STIMULANTS, 48 SAMPLES

- 19/20 samples were **cocaine** (hard and soft)
  - 1 **cocaine** (soft) sample also contained **ketamine**
- 1 sample was **MDMA** and **MDA**
- 16/20 samples were **MDMA**
  - 1 sample was **MDA** instead
  - 1 sample also contained an **unknown**
  - 1 sample also contained **MDA**
  - 1 sample also contained **ephedrine**
- 4/5 samples were **methamphetamine**
  - 1 sample was **fentanyl** instead
- 1 sample was **3-MMC**
- 1 sample was **4-MMC**

## OTHER, 9 SAMPLES

- 1 sample was **GHB**
- 1 sample was **zopiclone**
- 1 **hydromorphone (Dilaudid)** sample was an **unknown nitazene** instead
- 1/2 samples were **oxycodone (Oxycontin)**
  - 1 sample was an **unknown** instead
- 1 sample was **trazadone**
- 1 sample was **oxandrolone**
- 1 sample was **testosterone cypionate**
- 1 sample was **trenbolone 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.