



Community News

CanTEST staff provided **140** health and AOD brief interventions to people who attended and **16** samples were discarded.

Heroin tested shows a wide range of purity - exercise caution when using especially from different sources.

Ketamine testing showed highly variable results with K found in less than half the samples.

Previous months' data can be found on our social media and on our website.



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Ketamine

was expected in **14** samples and detected in **6**

Purities ranged from **65 - 75%**

1 sample contained **procaine**.

When Ketamine wasn't found, **4** samples contained the new psychoactive substance

2'-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE (2F-NENDCK) an emerging research chemical with unstudied and unknown effects. Users of K are highly encouraged to test their supply and exercise high caution.



MDMA

was expected in **34** samples and detected in **30**

Samples tested & their purity ranges consisted of:

5/6 capsules contained **36 - 78%**

10/12 powders contained **5 - 82%**

9/9 pills contained **<5 - 23%**

6/7 crystalline contained **20 - 81%**

2 pills also contained **caffeine**, **1** pill contained both **caffeine** & **methamphetamine**, **1** powder also contained **dimethylpentylone**.

1 sample expected to be **MDA** instead contained **MDMA (58%)**.



Cocaine

was expected in **14** samples and detected in **13**

Purity ranged from **<5 - 71%**

One sample which contained no cocaine, was found to contain **methamphetamine**.



Heroin

was expected in **3** samples and detected in all **3**

Purities ranged from **27 - 71%**

To date, no **fentanyl**s have been identified in any samples tested.



Methamphetamine

was expected in **3** samples and detected in all **3**

Purities ranged from **60 - 69%**



Other Findings

A range of other expected drugs were detected, including the psychedelic **2C-B (2)**, **4-acetoxymethyltryptamine** and **morphine**.

2 found/unknown samples were presented, of which **1** was identified as **methamphetamine**.

25 samples were tested for the presence of fentanyl and all returned a negative result.



Community Notices

CanTEST released **2 Community Notices** in its second month.

The new ketamine derivative **2'-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE (2F-NENDCK)** was identified in **4** samples that were expected to be **ketamine**.

The cathinone stimulant **dimethylpentylone** was identified as a major component in **1** sample that was expected to be **MDMA**.

Thursday 10am - 1pm
Friday 6pm - 9pm

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