

# 182

samples tested from  
**21 September to  
20 October 2025**

CanTEST have tested a total  
of **5543** samples to  
20 October 2025.

This month we provided  
**192** health & AOD brief  
interventions and  
**7/182** samples were voluntarily  
discarded by people after they  
received their results.

**1** unknown sample  
was found to contain  
**5-hydroxytryptophan (5-HTP)**  
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**1** expected **unknown opioid**  
sample was found to contain  
**rilmazafone**  
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**Benzos** were expected in **13** samples  
and detected in **8**.

**Alprazolam (or Xanax/Mylan\*)**  
was expected in **6** samples and detected in **2**.  
Where **alprazolam** wasn't detected,  
**1** sample contained **clobromazolam** instead.

**Diazepam (or Valium\*)**  
was expected in **4** samples and detected in **3**.  
Where **diazepam** wasn't detected,  
**1** sample contained **bromonordiazepam** instead.

In **3** unknown benzo samples,  
**1** contained **clobromazolam**,  
**1** contained **N-isopropylbutylone** and  
**1** contained **isotocyanozene**.

**MDMA** was expected in  
**59** samples and detected  
in **58**.

Samples tested and their  
purity ranges included:

**19/19** capsules (**19 - 78%**)

**28/29** crystals (**29 - 84%**)

**5/5** pills (**22 - 37%**)

**6/6** powders (**65 - 73%**)

**1** sample also contained  
**paracetamol** and

**1** sample also contained  
**caffeine**.

**1,4-Butanediol**  
expected and  
detected in **1** sample  
(**95%** purity).

**Codeine** expected and  
detected in **1** sample.  
It also contained  
**paracetamol**.

**FXE** expected in **1** sample,  
**2F-NENDCK** detected.

**DMXE** expected and  
detected in **1** sample.

**Cocaine** was expected in  
**33** samples and detected in **32**.  
Purities ranged from **15 - 89%**  
In addition to **cocaine**,  
**2** samples also contained  
**benzoylecgonine** and **1** sample  
also contained **paracetamol**.

**Heroin** was expected  
and detected in **2** samples.  
One sample had a purity of **74%** and  
also contained **6-MAM** and  
**acetylcodeine**.

**LSD** expected and detected in  
**1** sample.

**Methamphetamine** was expected  
and detected in **6** samples.  
Purities ranged from **64 - 80%**

**Ketamine** was expected in  
**39** samples, and detected in **36**.  
Purities ranged from **32 - 87%**  
**1** sample also contained **MDMA**.  
Where **ketamine** was not  
detected,  
**1** sample contained **cocaine** and  
**1** sample contained **MDMA**.

**N-isopropyl benzylamine** was  
expected in **1** sample,  
**meth** was detected instead.

**Amphetamine** expected and  
detected in **1** sample (**<5%** purity).

**2C-B** was expected in **4** samples and  
detected in **2**.

Purities ranged from **6 - 55%**.  
**1** sample also contained **MDMA**.  
Where **2C-B** wasn't detected,  
**2** samples contained **meth** and  
**cocaine** instead.

**Tapentadol** expected in **2** samples  
and detected in **1**.

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\*In some cases where service users provided an expected pharmaceutical brand name instead of an expected active drug.