FILE DEFINITION TEST CHANGE

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Drug Abuse Survey with Confirmation, Panel 5, Random, Urine

Test ID: CDAU5

Explanation: The methodology for potential reflex test THCU / Carboxy-Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) Confirmation, Random, Urine will be changing from GC-MS to LC-MS/MS which enables us to identify and quantify both delta-8 and delta-9 carboxy-tetrahydrocannabinol (THC). This method change will result in updated reference values and result codes.

Current THCU Method

Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (GC-MS) Confirmation with Quantitation

New THCU Method

Liquid Chromatography Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC-MS/MS)

Current THCU Reference Values

Negative

Cutoff concentration:

Carboxy-THC- by GC/MS < 3.0 ng/mL

New THCU Reference Values

Not Detected

Cutoff concentration:

DELTA-8 CARBOXY-TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL

(THC) by LC-MS/MS: < 5.0 ng/mL

DELTA-9 CARBOXY-TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL

(THC) by LC-MS/MS: < 5.0 ng/mL

| Current THCU Result Codes | | |
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| Result ID | Reporting Name | |
| 2497 | Carboxy-THC- by GC/MS | |
| 21186 | Carboxy-THC Interpretation | |
| 21187 | Chain of Custody | |

| New THCU Result Codes | |
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| Result ID | Reporting Name |
| 618770 | Delta-8 Carboxy-Tetrahydrocannabinol by LC-MS/MS |
| 2497 | Delta-9 Carboxy-Tetrahydrocannabinol by LC-MS/MS |
| 21186 | Carboxy-THC Interpretation |

Questions

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