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Testing performed by the Organisation at the locations specified below

Locations covered by the organisation and their relevant activities

Site activities performed away from the locations listed above:

Location details	Activity	Location code
14 Webster Court Carina Park Warrington WA5 8WD Contact: David Thomas Tel: +44 (0) 333 600 1300 +44 (0)1925 255450 E-Mail: info@alphabiolabs.co.uk	Relationship Analysis Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis	A
1 Webster Court Carina Park Warrington WA5 8WD Contact: David Thomas Tel: +44 (0) 333 600 1300 +44 (0)1925 255450 E-Mail: info@alphabiolabs.co.uk	SARS-CoV-2 RNA (COVID 19) testing	B



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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES Swabs (Buccal cells) Nail Toothbrushes	<u>Relationship Analysis</u> Short Tandem Repeat (STR) DNA profiling for relationship testing for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paternity - Maternity - Sibling (pairs of individuals only) - Y-chromosome Analysis - Extended relationships (Aunt/Uncle, Niece/Nephew, Grandparent, Grandchild, Cousin) 	Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC565, PRC 812] using manual/automated extraction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Promega SwabSolution - Prep-N-Go - QIAmp DNA Investigator (nail only) 	A
		Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC521, PRC 545] using manual/automated amplification and the following chemistry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fusion STR Multiplex - Verifiler Express - HDPLEX - Yfiler Plus - SureID® 23 Comp 	A
		Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC540, PRC569, PRC570] using electrophoresis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applied Biosystems 3500xl Genetic Analyser © 	A
	<u>Related Opinions and Interpretation</u> Comparison, interpretation and statistical analysis of DNA profiles against compatible DNA Profile Information from within submitted cases	Documented In-House Methods Genetic Characterisation using Familias software	A



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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES	<u>Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis</u>		
Hair	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Benzoyllecgonine (0.05ng/mg) Cocaethylene (0.05ng/mg) Cocaine (0.5ng/mg) Diazepam (0.05ng/mg) Methadone (0.2ng/mg) Methamphetamine (0.2ng/mg) Morphine (0.2ng/mg) MDMA (0.2ng/mg) 6-Acetylmorphine (0.2ng/mg) Codeine (0.2ng/mg) Dihydrocodeine (0.2ng/mg) Norcocaine (0.05ng/mg) AEME (0.1ng/mg) Alprazolam (0.05ng/mg) Temazepam (0.05ng/mg) Nitrazepam (0.05ng/mg) Chlordiazepoxide (0.05ng/mg) THC (0.05ng/mg) Ketamine (0.1ng/mg)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC585] using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	A
Hair	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs (range): Benzoyllecgonine (0.002-1.0ng/mg) Cocaethylene (0.002-1.0ng/mg) Cocaine (0.02-10.0ng/mg) Diazepam (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Methadone (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Methamphetamine (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Morphine (0.01-5.0ng/mg)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC585] using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	A



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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES	<u>Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis cont'd</u>		
Hair	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs (range) cont'd: MDMA (0.01-5.0ng/mg) 6-Acetylmorphine (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Codeine (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Dihydrocodeine (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Norcocaine (0.002-1.0ng/mg) AEME (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Alprazolam (0.01-5ng/mg) Temazepam (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Nitrazepam (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Chlordiazepoxide (0.01-5.0ng/mg) THC (0.01-5.0ng/mg) Ketamine (0.25-5.0ng/mg)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC585] using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	
Hair	Presumptive screening for the presence of Ethyl Glucuronide (cut-off limit 30 pg/mg)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC 801,804 and 806] using LC-MS/MS	A
	Quantitative analysis of Ethyl Glucuronide (range 2 – 700 pg/mg)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC 801,804 and 806] using LC-MS/MS	A
Unpreserved Urine	Adulteration testing: - Creatinine	Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC573] using DRI Immunoassay and CEDIA Sample Check	A
	- Specific Gravity	Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC573] using Indiko Plus Chemistry Analyser	A
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Ethanol (107mg/dL)	Documented in-house method PRC 132 using DRI Immunoassay and Indiko Plus Chemistry Analyser	A



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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd) Unpreserved Urine	<u>Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)</u> Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Opiates: 6-Acetylmorphine (10ng/ml) Morphine-3-glucuronide (300ng/ml) Morphine-6-glucuronide (300ng/ml) Morphine (300ng/ml) Codeine-6-glucuronide (300ng/ml) Codeine-6-glucuronide (300ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (300ng/ml) Oxycodone (50ng/ml) Methadone (250ng/ml) EDDP (75ng/ml) Benzodiazepines Group: Nordiazepam (100ng/ml) Oxazepam (100ng/ml) Temazepam (100ng/ml) Bromazepam (100ng/ml) Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (200ng/ml) Methamphetamine (200ng/ml) MDA (200ng/ml) MDMA (200ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	A
	Cathinone Group: Mephdrone (200ng/ml) Cocaine Metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (100ng/ml) Ecgonine Methyl Ester (100ng/ml) Cocaethylene (100ng/ml)		



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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	<u>Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)</u>		
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Other drugs: Carboxy-THC (15ng/ml) Phencyclidine (25ng/ml) Propoxyphene (300ng/ml) Ketamine (300ng/ml) Norketamine (300ng/ml) Methaqualone (300ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	
	Barbiturates Group: Phenobarbital (150ng/ml) Primidone (150ng/ml) Amobarbital (150ng/ml) Secobarbital (150ng/ml) Pentobarbital (150ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC817 using SLE and LC-MS/MS	A
Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs: Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (37.5 – 2400ng/ml) Methamphetamine (37.5 – 2400ng/ml) MDA (37.5 – 2400ng/ml) MDMA (37.5 – 2400ng/ml) Opiate Group: Morphine (50 - 3200ng/ml) 6-MonoAcetylMorphine (2.0-160ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS	A



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Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs: Barbiturate Group: Phenobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Primidone (50 - 3200ng/ml) Amobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Secobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Pentobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC817 using SLE and LC-MS/MS	A
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Opiates Group: 6-MonoAcetyl Morphine (10ng/ml) Morphine-3-Glucuronide (300ng/ml) Morphine-6-Glucuronide (300ng/ml) Morphine (300ng/ml) Codeine-6-Glucuronide (300ng/ml) Codeine (300ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (300ng/ml) Oxycodone (50ng/ml) Methadone (250ng/ml) EDDP (75ng/ml) Benzodiazepines Group: Nordiazepam (100ng/ml) Oxazepam (100ng/ml) Temazepam (100ng/ml) Bromazepam (100ng/ml) Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (200ng/ml) Methamphetamine (200ng/ml) MDA (200ng/ml) MDMA (200ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095	A



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Unpreserved Urine	<p>Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)</p> <p>Cathinone Group: Mephedrone (200ng/ml)</p> <p>Cocaine metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (100ng/ml) Cocaethylene (100ng/ml)</p> <p>Other drugs: Carboxy-THC (15ng/ml) Propoxyphene (300ng/ml) Ketamine (300ng/ml) Norketamine (300ng/ml) Methaqualone (300ng/ml)</p>	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095	A
Unpreserved Urine	<p>Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:</p> <p>Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (37.5 – 2400 ng/ml) Methamphetamine (37.5 – 2400 ng/ml) MDA (37.5 – 2400 ng/ml) MDMA (37.5 – 2400 ng/ml)</p> <p>Opiates Group: Morphine (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Morphine-3-Glucuronide (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Morphine-6-Glucuronide (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Methadone (50 -3200 ng/ml) EDDP (25 – 1600 ng/ml) Oxycodone (50 – 1600 ng/ml) Codeine (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Codeine-6-Glucuronide (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (50 – 3200 ng/ml)</p>	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095	A



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Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Opiates Group: Morphine (15ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (15ng/ml) Codeine-6-glucuronide (15ng/ml) 6-monoacetylmorphine (2ng/ml) Methadone (20ng/ml) EDDP (20ng/ml) Cocaine and Metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (8ng/ml) Cocaine (8ng/ml) Cocaethylene (8ng/ml) Norcocaine (8ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS	A



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Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs: Opiates Group: Morphine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) Codeine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) 6-monoacetylmorphine (6-MAM) (0.80 - 6.4ng/ml) Methadone (7.0 – 56ng/ml) EDDP (7.0 – 56ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS	A



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	Molecular examination activities for the purpose of clinical diagnosis	Documented in-house methods including DHSC requirements for private providers of Covid-19 testing to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General Population Testing, - Test to Release Testing, - Day 2 & 8 International Arrival Testing (detection of SARS-CoV-2 virus RNA) 	B
Nasopharyngeal, throat, nasal and combined nose/throat swabs in Inactivating Transport Media (ITM)	Detection of SARS-CoV-2 virus RNA (COVID-19) specifically ORF1ab, N and S gene	Documented in-house method (PRC 127) for the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Extraction of RNA using MagMAX Viral/Pathogen Kits using KingFisher Flex instruments 	B
		Documented in-house method (PRC 128) for the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RT-PCR using the TaqPath COVID-19 Kit using QuantStudio5 instruments 	B
	Detection of SARS-CoV-2 virus RNA (COVID-19) specifically N and E gene	Documented in-house method (PRC 209) for the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RT-PCR using the Nonacus VirPath Kit using QuantStudio5 instruments 	B
Nasopharyngeal, throat, nasal and combined nose/throat swabs in Inactivating Transport Media (ITM)	Genome sequencing of SARS-CoV-2 (COVID 19)	Documented in-house methods (PRC 231-235) for the use of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - AmpliSeq panels - IonChef - Ion Torrent Sequencer - Ion GeneStudio S5 Prime 	B
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