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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES	Relationship Analysis	
Swabs (Buccal cells) Nail Toothbrushes	Short Tandem Repeat (STR) DNA profiling for relationship testing for: - 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: - Promega SwabSolution - Prep-N-Go - QIAmp DNA Investigator (nail only)
		Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC521, PRC 545] using manual/automated amplification and the following chemistry: - Fusion STR Multiplex - Verifiler Express - HDPlex - Yfiler Plus - SureID® 23 Comp Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC540, PRC569, PRC570] using electrophoresis: - Applied Biosystems 3500xl Genetic Analyser ©

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Relationship Analysis (cont'd) Related Opinions and Interpretation 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
Hair	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit) Benzoylecgonine (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)	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC585] using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
Hair	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs: Benzoylecgonine (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
	Quantitative analysis of ethyl glucuronide	Documented in-house method [SOP ref: PRC 801,804 and 806] using LC-MS/MS

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Unpreserved Urine		
	Adulteration testing:	
	- Creatinine	Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC573] using DRI Immunoassay and CEDIA Sample Check
	- Specific Gravity	Documented in-house methods [SOP ref: PRC573] using Indiko Plus Chemistry Analyser
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
	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)	

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)	
	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
Unpreserved Urine	Cathinone Group: Mephdrone (200ng/ml)	
	Cocaine Metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (100ng/ml) Ecgonine Methyl Ester (100ng/ml) Cocaethylene (100ng/ml)	
	Other drugs: Carboxy-THC (15ng/ml) Phencyclidine (25ng/ml) Propoxyphene (300ng/ml) Ketamine (300ng/ml) Norketamine (300ng/ml) Methaqualone (300ng/ml)	
	Barbiturates Group: Phenobarbital (150ng/ml) Primidone (150ng/ml) Amobarbital (150ng/ml) Secobarbital (150ng/ml) Pentobarbital (150ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC819 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
	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)	

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Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	Documented in-house methods PRC017 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
	Morphine-3-Glucuronide (50 - 3200ng/ml)	
	Morphine-6-Glucuronide (50 - 3200ng/ml) Methadone (50 - 3200ng/ml) EDDP (25 - 1600ng/ml) Oxycodone (20 - 1600ng/ml) Codeine (50 - 3200ng/ml) Codeine Glucuronide (50 - 3200ng/ml) Dihydrocodeine (50 - 3200ng/ml)	
	Benzodiazepine Group: Nordiazepam (20 - 1600ng/ml) Oxazepam (20 - 1600ng/ml) Temazepam (20 - 1600ng/ml) Bromazepam (20 - 1600ng/ml)	
	Cathinone Group: Mephedrone (37.5 – 2400ng/ml)	
	Cocaine Metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (25 - 1600ng/ml) Cocaethylene (25 - 1600ng/ml) Ecgonine Methyl Ester (25 - 1600ng/ml)	
	Other Drugs: Carboxy-THC (2.5 – 160ng/ml) Phencyclidine (5.0 – 400ng/ml) Propoxyphene (50 - 3200ng/ml) Ketamine (50 - 3200ng/ml) Norketamine (50 - 3200ng/ml) Methaqualone (50 - 3200ng/ml)	

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Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	
	Barbiturate Group:	Documented in-house methods PRC819 using methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS
	Phenobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Primidone (50 - 3200ng/ml) Amobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Secobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml) Pentobarbital (50 - 3200ng/ml)	using methanor extraction and EO-MO/MO
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095
	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) Bromezepam (100ng/ml)	
	Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (200ng/ml) Methamphetamine (200ng/ml) MDA (200ng/ml) MDMA (200ng/ml)	

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)	
Unpreserved Urine	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095
	Cathinone Group: Mephedrone (200ng/ml)	
	Cocaine metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (100ng/ml) Cocaethylene (100ng/ml)	
	Other drugs: Carboxy-THC (15ng/ml) Propoxyphene (300ng/ml) Ketamine (300ng/ml) Norketamine (300ng/ml) Methaqualone (300ng/ml)	
Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095
	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)	LO IVIO/IVIO I TROUGG
	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)	

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)	
Unpreserved Urine	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	Documented in-house methods PRC093 using hydrolysis, methanol extraction and LC-MS/MS PRC095
	Benzodiazepines Group: Nordiazepam (20 - 1600ng/ml) Oxazepam (20 - 1600 ng/ml) Temazepam (20 - 1600 ng/ml) Bromezepam (20 - 1600 ng/ml)	EC-IVIS/IVIS FIXCU93
	Cathinone Group: Mephedrone (37.5 – 2400 ng/ml)	
	Cocaine metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (25 – 1600 ng/ml) Cocaethylene (25 – 1600 ng/ml)	
	Other drugs: Carboxy-THC (2.5 – 160 ng/ml) Propoxyphene (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Ketamine (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Norketamine (50 – 3200 ng/ml) Methaqualone (50 – 3200 ng/ml)	
Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS
	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)	

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)	
Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Presumptive screening for the presence of the following drugs (cut-off limit)	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS
	Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (15ng/ml) Methamphetamine (15ng/ml) MDA (15ng/ml) MDMA (15ng/ml)	
	Benzodiazepines Group: Diazepam (3ng/ml) Nordazepam (3ng/ml) Temazepam (3ng/ml) Oxazepam (3ng/ml) Alprazolam (3ng/ml) Nitrazepam (3ng/ml)	
	Canabinoids Group: d9-tetrahydrcannabinol (THC) (2ng/ml) Cannabinol (CBN) (2ng/ml) Cannabdiol (CBD) (2ng/ml)	
	Other drugs: Ketamine (15ng/ml) Tramadol (5ng/ml)	
Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs:	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS
	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)	

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BODY FLUIDS/TISSUES (cont'd)	Work Place Drugs Analysis/Medical and Legal Analysis (cont'd)	
Oral Fluids (Quantisal Collection Device)	Quantitative analysis of the following drugs: Cocaine and Metabolites: Benzoylecgonine (2.5 – 20ng/ml) Cocaine (2.5 – 20ng/ml) Cocaethylene (2.5 – 20ng/ml) Norcocaine (2.5 – 20ng/ml) Amphetamines Group: Amphetamine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) Methampetamine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) MDA (5.0 – 40ng/ml) MDA (5.0 – 40ng/ml) Benzodiazepines Group: Diazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Nordazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Temazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Oxazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Nitrazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Nitrazepam (1.0 – 8ng/ml) Canabinoids Group: d9-tetrahydrcannabinol (THC) (0.7 – 5.6ng/ml) Cannabinol (CBN) (0.7 – 5.6ng/ml) Cannabdiol (CBD) (0.7 – 5.6ng/ml) Other drugs: Ketamine (5.0 – 40ng/ml) Tramadol (1.5 – 12ng/ml)	Documented in-house methods PRC826, using SLE and LC-MS/MS
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