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Re: Prescription Management Testing available

To improve our services, we will be offering 2 Prescription Management Panels below. We will be lowering the cut-off values for the in-house Order code 3763 to help you better manage your patient's prescriptions.

This panel will have new cut-off values to match the Prescription Management Profiles performed by the reference lab. Any confirmations needed will be performed by Quest Diagnostics.

Please review the profiles offered and order accordingly.

Profiles Offered

Drug	Medical/Prescription Drug Screen 3763	Prescription Profile 8
Barbiturates	YES	N/A
Benzodiazepines	YES	YES
Phencyclidine	YES	N/A
Opiates	YES	YES
Methadone	YES	N/A
Propoxyphene	N/A	N/A
Methaqualone	N/A	N/A
Marijuana	YES	YES
Cocaine	YES	YES
Amphetamines	YES	YES
Oxycodone	YES	YES
Alcohol	YES	YES
Buprenorphine	N/A	YES
Heroin	N/A	YES
MDMA/MDA	N/A	YES

To order the appropriate test, write one of the panels below on a Path Lab Requisition.

- Medical/Prescription Drug Screen 3763 panel (this test will be performed at The Path Lab)
- Prescription Profile 8 (this test will be sent out)

Please complete the below confirmation testing guidance document. Return the document by courier or fax to 337.312.1316, attention Penni.

CONFIRMATIONS TESTING WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY ORDERED AND PERFORMED unless specified below. It is standard protocol to confirm all positive assays. If confirmation is performed, THIS IS AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE TO THE PATIENT'S INSURANCE. If you are interested in a Med Match report, please send the prescription with the add on order.

Confirmation testing includes metabolites for the drug tested.

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WANT AUTOMATIC CONFIRMATION TESTING.

Mark one:

- No, I do not want confirmation testing.**
- Yes, I do want confirmation testing on all positive assays, for prescribed medications.**
- Yes, I do want confirmation testing on all negative assays in which a prescribed medication is being taken. (This may be an add on within 1 week)**

Print Client Name

Date

If you have any questions, please contact Penni Trahan at 337.312.1284 or pcupit@thepathlab.com.