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# Memorandum

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 Diversion Program Administrator

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Subject: Collection System Status Report for April - June 2007

Attached are the charts reporting the collective test results for Urine Drug Screen (UDS) samples taken during the 4th Quarter, April - June of FY 2006/2007.

The majority of positive results continue to be a result of approved prescriptions for Naltrexone taken by some participants, or medications prescribed for surgery. One participant still shows positive results on occasion as a result of sugar imbalances from his diabetes.

Seven participants with positive UDS samples were determined to have relapsed. One participant is deceased and four participants were ordered into inpatient treatment, as indicated on the quarterly report.

During this reporting period the "Turn Around Time" as reported by Quest lab:

	<i>Collection to lab receipt</i>	<i>Lab receipt to results reported</i>	<i>Total Time</i>
Averages:	3.9 days	2 days	5.9 days

Attachments

## UDS Test Results – 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter April – June 2007

<b>POSITIVE TEST RESULTS</b>				
<i>Month 2007</i>	<i>Total # of Tests</i>	<i>Total Positive Results</i>	<i>Number of Positives</i>	<i>Comments</i>
April	848	69	1 2 1 5 57 1 1 1	Participant relapsed; sent to treatment. (Amphetamine) Two participants relapsed; sent to treatment. (Alcohol) Participant relapsed; deceased. (Fentanyl) Approved prescriptions other than Naltrexone by case manager. Approved prescriptions by case manager for Naltrexone. Positives resulting from alcohol-producing microorganisms associated with participant's diabetes. Positive for alcohol; EtG negative. Not considered a relapse. (Alcohol)
May	801	69	1 1 3 5 55 3 1	Participant relapsed; sent to treatment. (Alcohol) Participant relapsed; new, self-referral participant. (Propoxyphene) Participant positive for alcohol. Ineligible to participant in Program per DEC 6/6/07. Approved prescriptions other than Naltrexone by case manager. Approved prescriptions by case manager for Naltrexone. Positives resulting from alcohol-producing microorganisms associated with participant's diabetes. Positive for alcohol; EtG negative.
June	808	62	1 9 50 1 1	Participant relapsed. (Oxazepam/Temazepam) Approved prescriptions other than Naltrexone by case manager. Approved prescriptions by case manager for Naltrexone. Positive for alcohol; EtG negative. Pending DEC consideration. (Morphine)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2457</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>200</b>	

<b>NEGATIVE-DILUTE TEST RESULTS</b>				
<i>Month 2007</i>	<i>Total # of Tests</i>	<i>Total Negative- Dilute Results</i>	<i>Number of Negative-Dilute Results</i>	<i>Comments</i>
April	848	2	2	Case Managers notified and retesting ordered.
May	801	4	4	Case Managers notified; 3 retested and 1 in treatment.
June	808	6	6	Case Managers notified; 5 retested and 1 in treatment.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2457</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	

## Action taken on Positive (UDS Test) Results – 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter April – June 2007

<b>JUNE POSITIVE TEST RESULTS (other than Naltrexone)</b>					
	<i>Collection Date</i>	<i>Lab Received Date</i>	<i>Lab Reported Date</i>	<i>Substance</i>	<i>Action Taken/Comments</i>
1	6/1/07	6/4/07	6/7/07	Clonazepam Metabolite	@ RX; prior DEC approval to work.
2	6/4/07	6/6/07	6/8/07	Clonazepam Metabolite	@ RX; prior DEC approval to work.
3	6/9/07	6/13/07	6/19/07	Meperidine/Metablotie	@ RX; Dr. notified CM on 6/9 of ER visit and medication administered.
4	6/9/07	6/12/07	6/15/07	Buprenorphine	@ RX; not working.
5	6/10/07	6/14/07	6/19/07	Meperidine Metabolite	@ RX; Dr. notified CM on 6/9 of ER visit and medication administered.
6	6/11/07	6/12/07	6/15/07	Clonazepam Metabolite	@ RX; prior DEC approval to work; removed from work 6/22.
7	6/11/07	6/18/07	6/20/07	Morphine	Removed from work 6/21. Participant says positive due to poppy seed.
8	6/16/07	6/20/07	6/24/07	Buprenorphine	@ RX; participant on vacation; notified 6/25 may not return to work.
9	6/19/07	6/22/07	6/29/07	Buprenorphine	@ RX; continued no work (removed 6/25).
10	6/25/07	6/29/07	7/3/07	Oxazepam/Tamazepam	Relapse. Participant on vacation; notified 7/5 may not return to work.
11	6/26/07	6/29/07	7/7/07	Buprenorphine	@ RX; not working.
12	06/28/07	7/2/07	7/5/07	Alcohol, Ethyl	Removed from work 7/6. EtG test negative.

<b>JUNE NEGATIVE-DILUE TEST RESULTS</b>					
	<i>Collection Date</i>	<i>Lab Received Date</i>	<i>Lab Reported Date</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Action Taken/Comments</i>
1	6/3/207	6/6/07	6/7/07	Negative-Dilute	Negative tests: 6/6; 6/7; 6/11; 6/16, 6/21, and 6/26/07.
2	6/7/07	6/11/07	6/13/07	Negative-Dilute	6/15: Discussed with participant; negative tests: 6/12 and 6/30/07.
3	6/18/07	6/25/07	6/26/07	Negative-Dilute	6/27: Written explanation provided; negative tests: 6/25 and 6/28/07.
4	6/23/07	6/27/07	6/28/07	Negative-Dilute	6/27: Participant entered treatment.
5	6/26/07	6/29/07	7/3/07	Negative-Dilute	Negative tests: 6/29 and 7/2/07.
6	6/28/07	7/2/07	7/5/07	Negative-Dilute	Negative tests: 7/5 and 7/8/07.

## Action taken on Positive (UDS Test) Results – 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter April – June 2007

<b>JULY POSITIVE TEST RESULTS (other than Naltrexone)</b>					
	<i>Collection Date</i>	<i>Lab Received Date</i>	<i>Lab Reported Date</i>	<i>Substance</i>	<i>Action Taken/Comments</i>
1	7/1/07	7/6/07	7/10/07	Alcohol	Relapse: Removed from work on 7/11; participant admitted drinking.
2	7/2/07	7/9/07	7/11/07	Alcohol	New, self-referral participant quit Program on 7/6.
3	7/3/07	7/9/07	7/12/07	Alcohol	Relapse: not working; ordered into treatment 7/12.
4	7/8/07	7/11/07	7/13/07	Alcohol	No action: EtG negative; glucose 4+; due to participant's diabetes.
5	7/9/07	7/11/07	7/13/07	Alcohol	EtG negative.

<b>JULY NEGATIVE-DILUTE TEST RESULTS</b>					
	<i>Collection Date</i>	<i>Lab Received Date</i>	<i>Lab Reported Date</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Action Taken/Comments</i>
1	7/4/07	7/9/07	7/10/07	Negative-Dilute	Participant on vacation through 7/17/07; retest scheduled.
2	7/9/07	7/12/07	7/14/07	Negative-Dilute	DEC 7/18; retest pending DEC outcome.