

Hair Drug Test Cut-off Levels & Hair Dose Response

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Drug Class	Screening Cut-off Level	Confirmation Cut-off Level
Amphetamines Amphetamine, Methamphetamine & Ecstasy	500 pg/mg hair	500 pg/mg hair
Cocaine Cocaine & Benzoylecgonine	500 pg/mg hair	500 pg/mg hair
Opiates Codeine, Morphine & 6-MAM (Heroin metabolite)	300 pg/mg hair	300 pg/mg hair
Phencyclidine PCP	300 pg/mg hair	300 pg/mg hair
Marijuana <i>Carboxy-THC</i>	1 pg/mg hair	0.3 pg/mg hair

^{*} pg/mg = picogram per milligram of hair

Hair Dose Response

Drug Class	Confirmation Cut-off Level	Low use (occasional)	Medium use (weekdays/ weekends)	High use (constant)
Amphetamines	500 pg/mg hair	500-2500 pg	2500-7500 pg	7500+ pg
Cocaine	500 pg/mg hair	500-2000 pg	2000-10000 pg	10000+ pg
Opiates	300 pg/mg hair	300-1000 pg	2000-8000 pg	9000+ pg
Phencyclidine	300 pg/mg hair	300-500 pg	500-1000 pg	2000+ pg
Marijuana	0.3 pg/mg hair	Qualitative - amount does not correlate to usage		

This data was acquired from various academic studies with admitted drug users and are thus subject to numerous sources of variability (e.g., purity, inadequate self-report, etc.). Please use these graphs as a guide only and not as exact numerical interpretation. This information may be useful to help establish an appropriate type of rehabilitation program or to compare two separate time periods.

^{*}The HairConfirm™ test does not screen for any prescription medications with the exception of Codeine & Morphine