

# THC Rapid Urine Test Strips User Instructions For Self-testing

A rapid test for the qualitative detection of THC in human urine. For self-testing in vitro diagnostic use only

#### INTENDED USE

The One Step THC Rapid Urine Test Strips offers a variety of solutions for fast, accurate and reliable drug testing in the privacy of your home.

This One Step THC Rapid Urine Test Strips can detect the possible use of THC.

The One Step THC Rapid Urine Test Strips provides only preliminary results and is the first step in a two-step process for identifying drugs in urine.

The second step is confirming the results with GC/MS or LS-MS/MS at our certified laboratory.

To confirm preliminary positive results obtained by the THC Rapid Urine Test, please follow steps outlined in these instructions.

#### WARNING

Read the entire information prior to performing the test.

The THC Rapid Urine Test Strips provides only preliminary results and any urine with preliminary positive result was recommended to send to Phamatech's Laboratories and Diagnostics for confirmation.

Have a watch, clock or timer available.

#### Do not use the test after expiration date printed on the package.

Do not use the test if its foil pouch is torn or damaged.

The test is for one time use only, do not reuse the test.

Certain foods or medications may cause the test to give false results.

Contaminated or tainted urine samples may give false results.

Keep out of reach of children.

#### MATERIALS PROVIDED

- · Drug Test Strip (sealed in foil pouch with a desiccant)
- Single use Urine Sample Cup
- · User Instructions

#### MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

· Watch, clock or timer

#### STORAGE AND STABILITY

Store as packaged in the sealed pouch at 35.6-86°F (2-30°C) up to the date of expiration. Keep away from direct sunlight, moisture, and heat. DO NOT FREEZE.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Allow the test to reach room temperature before testing. Wash your hands thoroughly.

# Step 1: Collect Urine Sample

• Collect urine in a clean and dry container.

#### Step 2: Testing

- Open the foil pouch, remove the test strip, discard the desiccant.
- With arrows pointing toward the urine specimen, immerse the test strip vertically in the urine for at least 10-15 seconds.

**Note:** Do not pass the maximum line (MAX) on the Test Strip when immersing the strip into the sample.

- Place the test strip on a non-absorbent flat surface.
- Start a timer.

#### Step 3: Read Results

• Read the test results at 5 minutes, do not read results after 10 minutes.

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# **READ RESULTS**

C T	<b>NEGATIVE:</b> Two colored lines appear on the test strip. One line appears next to the letter 'C' and the other line appears next to the letter 'T', meaning a NEGATIVE RESULT for THC.
СТ	POSITIVE: Only one colored line appears next to the letter 'C'. No colored line appears next to the letter 'T', meaning a Preliminary Positive Result for THC.  Note: Any urine with preliminary positive result was recommended to send to a laboratory for confirmation.
СТ	<b>INVALID:</b> If after 10 minutes no line appears next to the letter 'C', discard test and repeat with a new test.

Note: Any urine with preliminary positive result was recommended to send to Phamatech's Laboratories and Diagnostics for confirmation.

Detection Items, Levels and Approximate Detection Times				
Drug Name (Abbreviation)	Detectable Level (ng/mL)	Minimum Detection Time *	Maximum Detection Time *	
Marijuana (THC)	50	2 hours	Up to 30 days	

<sup>\*</sup> NOTE: The times are only estimates.

## Q&A

## 1. How do I know if the Test worked well?

When the control line(C) appears, it means the test unit is performing well.

#### 2. What does it mean of a Preliminary Result?

The THC Rapid Urine Test Strips is considered a "screening test". We recommend all preliminary Positive Results be sent to Phamatech's Laboratories and Diagnostics for confirmatory testing. GC/MS and LC-MS/MS are considered the gold standard in laboratory testing for most drugs.

#### 3. How soon can I read my results?

You can read your results after 5 minutes as long as a red line or pink colored line has appeared next to the Control region(C), do not read result after 10 minutes.

## 4. When is the best time to run the test?

You can run the test at any time of the day.

# 5. Can the result be wrong? Are there any factors that can affect the test result?

The results will only give accurate results as far as the fresh human urine is used and

followed the instructions carefully. Nevertheless, the result can be incorrect.

Certain food and OTC medications or prescription drugs may cause a preliminary Positive Result.

## 6. How to read the test if the color and the intensity of the lines are different?

The color and intensity of the lines have no importance for result interpretation. The test should be considered as negative whatever the color intensity of the test line (T) is.

#### CAUTIONS

- 1. The Test is for use with human urine only.
- 2. The Test provides only a preliminary result.
- 3. It is possible some substances in certain food and drug that may affect test results.
- 4. A preliminary result does not mean the frequency or time of drug use, nor does it distinguish between drugs and certain foods and/or medications.
- If you feel that the sample may have been tampered with, a new urine should be collected.

#### RESOURCES

You may contact the following organizations or your health care provider for additional information and counseling regarding substance abuse prevention and treatment:

- Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT) 1-877-SAMHSA-7 / www.samhsa.gov
- The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence (NCADD) 1-800-NCA-CALL / www.ncadd.org
- The Treatment Center 1-866-295-6003 / www.thetreatmentcenter.org/

#### SEND YOUR URINE

#### For confirmation:

Preliminary urine should be sent out for confirmatory testing.

GC/MS is considered the gold standard in laboratory testing for the most drugs.

Please contact with Phamatech's Laboratories and Diagnostics Customer Service Department at 1-877-466-3837 or visit www.phamatech.com

Prepare the following materials that may be used to send urine sample to the laboratory for confirmation testing.

- Mailing box
- Plastic Bag

Step 1: Make sure the cap is twisted tightly and place a check mark for the drug(s) that give a preliminary result.

Step 2: Place test in a Plastic Bag.

Step 3: Place Test in a Mailing Box and send it to Phamatech's Laboratories and Diagnostics.

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