DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Current List of HHS-Certified Laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities Which Meet Minimum Standards To Engage in Urine Drug Testing for Federal Agencies

AGENCY: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) notifies federal agencies of the laboratories and Instrumented Initial Testing Facilities (IITF) currently certified to meet the standards of the Mandatory Guidelines for Federal Workplace Drug Testing Programs (Mandatory Guidelines). The Mandatory Guidelines were first published in the Federal Register on April 11, 1988 (53 FR 11970), and subsequently revised in the Federal Register on June 9, 1994 (59 FR 29908); September 30, 1997 (62 FR 51118); April 13, 2004 (69 FR 19644); November 25, 2008 (73 FR 71858); December 10, 2008 (73 FR 75122); April 30, 2010 (75 FR 22809); and on January 23, 2017 (82 FR 7920).

The Mandatory Guidelines were initially developed in accordance with Executive Order 12564 and section 503 of Public Law 100-71. The “Mandatory Guidelines for Federal Workplace Drug Testing Programs,” as amended in the revisions listed above, requires strict standards that laboratories and IITFs must meet in order to conduct drug and specimen validity tests on urine specimens for federal agencies.

To become certified, an applicant laboratory or IITF must undergo three rounds of performance testing plus an on-site inspection. To maintain certification, a laboratory or IITF must participate in a quarterly performance testing program plus undergo periodic, on-site inspections.

Laboratories and IITFs in the applicant stage of certification are not to be considered as meeting the minimum requirements described in the HHS Mandatory Guidelines. A notice listing all currently HHS-certified laboratories and IITFs is published in the Federal Register during the first week of each month. If any laboratory or IITF certification is suspended or revoked, the laboratory or IITF will be omitted from subsequent lists until such time as it is restored to full certification under the Mandatory Guidelines.

If any laboratory or IITF has withdrawn from the HHS National Laboratory Certification Program (NLCP) during the past month, it will be listed at the end and will be omitted from the monthly listing thereafter.

This notice is also available on the internet at http://www.samhsa.gov/workplace.
Laboratory Corporation of America
ElSohly Laboratories, Inc., 5 Industrial
Dynacare,* 245 Pall Mall Street,
Baptist Medical Center-Toxicology
Alere Toxicology Services, 1111 Newton
ACM Medical Laboratory, Inc., 160
Testing Facilities
HHS-Certified Instrumented Initial
and specimen validity tests on urine
minimum standards to conduct drug
and specimen validity tests on urine
Guidelines dated January 23, 2017 (82
(Formerly: HHS/NIDA), which attests
(8530 Federal Register
that it has met minimum standards.
Wish Laboratories wishing to be considered for the NLCP
laboratory inspection processes. Other Canadian
have an active role in the performance testing and
periodic on-site inspections of those LAPSA-
continue under DOT authority. The responsibility
of those accredited Canadian laboratories will
required by U.S. Department of Transportation
accredited to conduct forensic urine drug testing as
Laboratories certified through that program were
Substance Abuse (LAPSA) effective May 12, 1998.
Laboratories, Inc.)
Kroll Scientific Testing Laboratories,
Scientific Testing Laboratories, Inc.;
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.)
Alere Toxicology Services, 450
Southlake Blvd., Richmond, VA
23236, 804–378–9130, (Formerly: Kroll
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.,
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.)
Alere Toxicology Services, 1111 Newton
St., Gretna, LA 70053, 504–361–8989/
800–433–3823, (Formerly: Kroll
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.,
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.)
Baptist Medical Center-Toxidology
Laboratory, 11401 I–30, Little Rock,
AR 72209–7056, 501–202–2783,
(Formerly: Forensic Toxicology
Laboratory Baptist Medical Center)
Clinical Reference Laboratory, Inc., 8433
Quivira Road, Lenexa, KS 66215–
2802, 800–445–6917
DrugScan, Inc., 200 Precision Road,
Suite 200, Horsham, PA 19044, 800–
235–4890
Dynacare,* 245 Pall Mall Street,
London, ONT, Canada N6A 1P4, 519–
679–1630, (Formerly: Gamma-
Dynacare Medical Laboratories)
ACM Medical Laboratory, Inc., 160
Elmgrove Park, Rochester, NY 14624,
844–486–9226
Alere Toxicology Services, 1111 Newton
St., Gretna, LA 70053, 504–361–8989/
800–433–3823, (Formerly: Kroll
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.,
Laboratory Specialists, Inc.)
Dynacare, 6628 50th Street NW
Edmonton, AB Canada T6B 2N7, 780–
784–1190, (Formerly: Gamma-
Dynacare Medical Laboratories)
HHS-Certified Laboratories
HHS-Certified Laboratories
Quest Diagnostics Incorporated, 1777
Montreal Circle, Tucker, GA 30084,
800–729–6432, (Formerly: SmithKline
Beecham Clinical Laboratories;
SmithKline Bio-Science Laboratories)
Quest Diagnostics Incorporated, 400
Egypt Road, Norristown, PA 19403,
610–631–4600/877–642–2216,
(Formerly: SmithKline Beecham
Clinical Laboratories; SmithKline Bio-
Science Laboratories)
Quest Diagnostics Incorporated, 8401
Fullbrook Ave., West Hills, CA 91304,
818–737–6370, (Formerly: SmithKline
Beecham Clinical Laboratories)
Redwood Toxicology Laboratory, 3700
Westwind Blvd., Santa Rosa, CA
95403, 800–255–2159
STERLING Reference Laboratories, 2617
East L Street, Tacoma, Washington
98421, 800–442–0438
US Army Forensic Toxicology Drug
Testing Laboratory, 2490 Wilson St.,
Fort George G. Meade, MD 20755–
5235, 301–677–7085, Testing for
Department of Defense (DoD)
Employees Only
Upon finding a Canadian laboratory to
be qualified, HHS will recommend that
DOT certify the laboratory (Federal
Register, July 16, 1996) as meeting the
minimum standards of the Mandatory
Guidelines published in the Federal
Register on January 23, 2017 (82 FR
7920). After receiving DOT certification,
the laboratory will be included in the
monthly list of HHS-certified laboratores
and participate in the NLCP
certification maintenance program.
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Chemist.
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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

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Area Maritime Security Committee;
Charleston, SC Committee Vacancies

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Solicitation for membership.

SUMMARY: This notice requests
individuals interested in serving on the Area Maritime Security Committee (AMSC), Charleston, SC, submit their
resume to the Federal Maritime Security Coordinator (FMSC), Charleston, SC. The Committee assists the FMSC, Charleston, SC, in developing,
reviewing, and updating the Area Maritime Security Plan for their area of responsibility.

DATES: Requests for membership should reach the FMSC, Charleston, SC, by April 5, 2018.

* The Standards Council of Canada (SCC) voted
to end its Laboratory Accreditation Program for
Substance Abuse (LAPSA) effective May 12, 1998. Laboratories certified through that program were
accredited to conduct forensic urine drug testing as
required by U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) regulations. As of that date, the certification of
those accredited Canadian laboratories will
continue under DOT authority. The responsibility
for conducting quarterly performance testing plus
periodic on-site inspections of those LAPSA-
accredited laboratories was transferred to the U.S.
HHS, with the HHS' NLCP contractor continuing to have an active role in the performance testing and
laboratory inspection processes. Other Canadian
laboratories wishing to be considered for the NLCP
may apply directly to the NLCP contractor just as
U.S. laboratories do.