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**The Australian Sports Drug Testing Laboratory requirements for the urinary anabolic steroid testing of non-sport related sample/s.**

The Australian Sports Drug Testing Laboratory (ASDTL) is a World Anti-Doping Agency accredited laboratory. We are required to comply with a code of ethics designed to ensure that sports competitors do not evade detection by having their urine samples screened prior to competition.

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The Australian Sports Drug Testing Laboratory will not:

1. Accept samples from the general public.
2. Analyse any sample/s received unless the details set out below are provided with the sample/s.

<b>Workplace testing samples</b>	The client must supply documentation to support their request for analysis, and also include the statement "the donor of the urine is not involved in a competitive sport".
<b>Coroner sample</b>	Coroners must supply documentation to support their request for analysis and confirm that the individual from whom the urine has been taken is deceased.
<b>Hospital &amp; Pathology samples</b>	Hospitals must supply documentation to support their reason for requesting the analysis. The request must come from a registered doctor and must include the statement "the donor of the urine is not involved in a competitive sport".
<b>Solicitors</b>	Solicitors must supply a copy of the court order requesting the analysis, and also include the statement "the donor of the urine is not involved in a competitive sport". The request must be signed by a partner from the solicitor's firm.

**Cost:** \$202 per sample. An additional \$876 will be charged for confirmation of substance/s identified during screening analysis.

**Reporting and Invoicing details:**

**Results of analysis and invoices will only be sent to person/s specified on the client's Chain of Custody Form. Please provide the following details:**

1. Company Name, address and ABN
2. Contact person authorised to receive results
3. Phone number and E-mail address

<b>Goods and Services Tax</b>	Quoted prices are EXCLUSIVE of Goods and Services Tax (GST). The current GST rate is 10%. At the completion of the work NMI will issue valid tax invoices and if required adjustment notes as per the requirements of the GST legislation.
<b>Sample volume and storage Requirements</b>	A minimum of 40mL of sample is required and should be kept chilled during storage and transport to the Laboratory. Samples will be stored for a maximum time of 3 months from the date on the Report of Analysis unless otherwise specified by the client.
<b>Agreed Turnaround Time</b>	Standard 10 working days from receipt at the laboratory depending on batch sizes. Premiums apply for shorter turnaround times which must be requested, and agreed to by NMI in advance of sample despatch. Confirmation analysis will require additional time to complete depending on the analyte.

**Samples are to be marked to the attention of:**

ASDTL Sample Manager  
 National Measurement Institute  
 Department of Industry  
 Riverside Corporate Park  
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