Test method and reporting changes

Methadone in oral fluids to be confirmed by liquid chromatography-tandem mass spectrometry (LC-MS/MS).

Beginning March 7th 2016, Redwood Toxicology Laboratory will update the confirmation test method for methadone in oral fluid tests to utilize LC-MS/MS. The cutoff level will remain unchanged at 10 ng/mL.

No action is required for customers that have been testing for this drug. Confirmation of presumptive positive specimens will now use the updated methodology without any interruption in service.

As your dedicated laboratory partner, our goal is to provide tools that help optimize outcomes through state-of-the-art drug detection and scientifically credible data interpretation. By continuing to update methodologies to reflect current industry standards and efficient practices, we allow clients to receive tests faster and with increased performance.

Excellent service is always our top priority. If there is anything that we can do to improve your service experience, please do not hesitate to contact a Toxicology Support Representative at 800.255.2159, press option 5.

METHOD CHANGE
Test Name: Methadone
Specimen Type: Oral Fluid
Test Method: LC-MS/MS
Common Drug Names: Dolophine®, Methadose®