

# Your Laboratory Partner

## Information for Pain Management



Chronic pain is a leading cause of disability, seriously impacting quality of life and the ability to work. Clinicians offering treatment for chronic pain are faced with balancing patient needs against the potential risks of misuse, abuse, addiction, or diversion. Utilizing Urine Drug Testing (UDT) helps minimize those risks by providing an objective measure of treatment efficacy, as well as information related to treatment adherence and possible drug use problems. As such, UDT is a key component of treatment plans for patients being treated for chronic pain.

Our SAMHSA-certified Toxicology Department has long been recognized for their superior workplace and compliance toxicology testing services. Building on that expertise, we recently implemented specialized pain management testing – **PM Monitor**. Through leading technology, specialized testing options, and professional consultation, **PM Monitor** provides clinicians with the support needed to overcome the challenges associated with treatment for chronic pain.

### ***PM Monitor offers:***

#### **▶ *Leading Technology***

- GC/MS & LC/MS-MS methodology
- Reliable & accurate objective data
- Detect low levels of prescription and illicit drugs
- Quantitative analysis
- Validity testing on all samples

#### **▶ *Specialized Testing Options***

- Four carefully constructed panels
- Confirmation on positive screens
- Individual compliance tests

#### **▶ *Professional Consultation***

- Professionally interpreted results
- Correlation of results to patient medications
- Comprehensive, easy-to-read reports
- Patient specific consultation

#### **▶ *Other Services***

- 24-hour client services
- Patient-friendly prices
- 24 to 48 hour turnaround time
- Multiple reporting options - web accessed, faxed, interfaced

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