

Drug of Abuse Screen (Urine) (DOA)-Outwork (DOAU-OUT)

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TEST OVERVIEW

Test Name	Drug of Abuse Screen (Urine) (DOA)-Outwork
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Category	Urine Drug Screen
TAT	Main Lab: 12 Hour(s) Family Site: <12hrs
Specimen(s)	1 x Urine - 20 mL Sterile Urine container - Red - Urine Random No Preservative

SPECIMEN(S)

Urine Random No Preservative

Specimen Type	Urine Random No Preservative
Specimen Format	Sterile Urine container
Specimen Colour	Red
Specimen Volume	20 mL
Sampling Order	0
Origin	Urine
Collection time after baseline	-
Transport Temperature	15-25°C
Accepted Other Specimens	-
TAT	Main Lab: 12 Hour(s)

Test Stability

Family Site: <12hrs

Room Temp: 24 Hour(s)
2–8°C: 2 Day(s)**CLINICAL INFORMATION****Drug of Abuse Screen (Urine) (DOA)-Outwork**

Methodology	-
Specimen Type	Urine Random No Preservative
Delay before pre-treatment	-
Transport Temperature	15-25°C
Transport Stability at room temp	24 Hours
Transport Stability at 2–8°C	2 Day
Haemolysis interference	No

Clinical Interest

Monitoring drug intake in urine for therapeutic purposes is important to ensure compliance with prescribed treatments, particularly in detoxification programmes, as well as to check that there is no diversion of the drug for illicit purposes. As drugs have different half-lives, detection windows vary from one substance to another.

PATIENT INFORMATION

Clinical Information Required	-
Patient Collection Notes	-

COMMENTS & NOTES

LOINC Code	-
Outwork	Yes