

Blind QC Samples for Forensic Urine Testing Programs



RTI International is a qualified supplier of blind quality control (QC) urine samples for federal workplace drug testing, as approved by the Division of Workplace Programs within the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services. RTI can custom-make reliable blind QC samples to meet your needs.

The Center for Forensic Sciences at RTI offers custom-made blind QC samples and services. We have a long-standing corporate commitment to forensic drug testing that began in 1987 with our pioneering work for the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

To date, RTI has manufactured and shipped more than 500,000 proficiency testing or blind QC samples for forensic drug testing programs. Our staff has extensive knowledge and expertise in preparing human biological matrices with drugs and specimen validity analytes at concentrations relevant to the specified analytes and appropriate for the analytical testing technologies currently used in forensic testing laboratories.

Client Benefits

Our approach to providing blind samples and our relevant experience, dedication, and capabilities provide our clients with several important benefits:

- Ongoing access to the evolving analytical technologies, regulatory developments, and best practice operating procedures through RTI's management of and research in support of the National Laboratory Certification Program under contract with SAMHSA.

- Proven procedures for the production of drug and specimen validity blind QC samples.
- A contractor with a long-standing, proven commitment to forensic drug testing.

Sample Production and Related Services

We offer efficient, cost-effective sample production and a range of services that can be customized to meet individual client needs.

Options include the following:

- Blind QC samples delivered as bulk liquids for your staff to prepare for your workplace or fitness-for-duty testing program.
- Blind QC samples pre-bottled and ready for your staff to seal the bottles and complete the custody and control forms for delivery to the laboratory for testing.
- Blind QC samples pre-bottled and sealed, with custody and control forms completed—all packaged in the testing laboratory sample pouch. We can ship the blind QC samples directly to the testing laboratory or to your collection agency for delivery to the laboratory.



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- In addition, we provide blind QC samples containing commonly prescribed or over-the-counter medications and samples designed to monitor specimen validity testing procedures.

The toxicology experts at RTI are ready to assist you to develop blind QC samples that satisfy regulatory requirements and customer needs for your forensic urine testing program.

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