

DRUG TESTING PROGRAM (DTP) PREMISE CODES

Member's Consent (VO)

Members suspected of having unlawfully used drugs may be requested to consent to urinalysis testing.

Probable Cause Tests (PO)

Urinalysis tests may be ordered per M.R.E. 312(d) and 315 whenever there is probable cause to believe that a member has committed a drug offense and that a urinalysis test will produce evidence of such an offense.

Consultation with a Judge Advocate on the issue of probable cause is strongly encouraged.

Random selection (IR)

This test premise is used for the random testing of Unit members. (DTP program randomly selects names) Testing should be conducted on a routine basis to act as a deterrent.

Unit Sweep (IU)

A unit inspection is used when an entire unit, sub-unit or identified segment of a command, random or otherwise, is tested.

Accession Testing (NO)

Testing of all personnel seeking accession into the Marine Corps.

Command-directed (CO)

Ordered by the Commander whenever a specific member's behavior or conduct gives rise to a reasonable suspicion of drug abuse or whenever drug use is suspected within a unit. A command-directed examination may be ordered to determine competency for duty and the need for counseling, rehabilitation, or other medical treatment.

Physician-directed (MO)

A military physician may order urinalysis tests in connection with a competence for duty examination under M.R.E. 312 and in connection with any other valid medical examination based on a command referral for suspected drug abuse.

Official Safety, Mishap, Accident Testing (AO)

A commander may order urinalysis tests in connection with any formally convened mishap or safety investigation for the purpose of accident analysis and the development of counter measures.

Rehabilitation/Treatment (RO)

This testing is conducted in conjunction with participation in a substance abuse counseling or rehabilitation program for alcohol/drugs (as opposed to a medical detoxification or medical treatment program).

Service-Directed and Other Service-Directed Testing (OO).

Service-directed testing are inspections as directed by the SECNAV or the CMC. It is used for SACC personnel, individuals involved in the collection and shipment of urine samples, security personnel, reenlistments, PCS/TAD/leave check-ins, and parolees. Testing dates will be randomly selected. Samples collected from Marines involved with the collection and shipment of urine cannot be shipped in the same batches that they were responsible for collecting. Their samples must be collected and shipped separately by other qualified individuals.