



**Patuxent Institution
Directive**

Randall S. Nero, Ph.D.

**Approved By:
Randall S. Nero, Ph.D.
Director**

Title: Inmate Urinalysis Testing	Directive Number: PATX.110.0015.1
Related MD Statute/Regulations COMAR 12.02.27	Supersedes:
Related ACA Standards: 4-4207; 4-4437; 4-ALDF 5A-04	Authorized By: Director of Patuxent Institution
Related MCCS Standards: .01H	Effective Date: November 14, 2014 Number of Pages: 2

.01 Purpose.

This directive updates urinalysis testing policy and procedures used to screen for substance abuse by an inmate to enhance safety and security at Patuxent Institution.

.02 Scope.

Applicable to Patuxent Institution.

.03 Policy.

It is the policy of Patuxent Institution to direct staff to adhere to OPS.110.0015, *Inmate Urinalysis Testing*.

.04 Responsibility.

A. In lieu of the requirements outlined in OPS.110.0015, .05D(3):

(1) After the inmate selected to provide a urine sample is at the collection location, the designated staff shall:

(a) Identify the inmate by photograph identification and documents related to collecting the urine specimen; and

(b) Strip search the inmate to determine if the inmate possesses contraband, a device, or a substance that may be used to:

(i) Adulterate or dilute the urine specimen; or

(ii) Otherwise circumvent the urine specimen collection process established under this directive.

.06 History.

None

.07 Appendix

None.

.08 Distribution

A

L

S – Custody Staff