



# Keep your business thriving



## A comprehensive testing solution built for evolving drug use

Workplace drug use is a threat to your organization’s safety, employee productivity, and business reputation. It’s a challenge that isn’t going away, and in fact keeps changing as drug misuse increases, state drug laws evolve, and pressures to deliver competitive work experiences mount.

Now is not the time to compromise on workforce drug testing. You need a collaborative partner who can design a comprehensive program that reduces workplace risk, keeps pace with the speed of hiring, and optimizes job candidate experiences—all while seamlessly scaling to meet the demands of your business and industry.



**9.1%**

of working adults in the US have a substance use disorder<sup>1</sup>



**24.6 days**

missed annually by workers with a substance use disorder<sup>1</sup>



**26% rise**

in drug test positivity rates after workplace accidents<sup>2</sup> (2017 to 2021)

## Count on Quest Diagnostics for drug testing backed by:

### Trusted experience

For 40+ years, Quest has delivered reliable drug testing quality to help employers hire, retain, and grow high-achieving workforces. Our nationwide network of more than 7,000 collection sites—plus 24/7 emergency and scheduled on-site collections—all use standardized chain of custody procedures. **All to promote workplace safety, secure your operations, and protect your company’s valuable reputation.**

### The highest standards

Quest has earned full accreditation from leading healthcare institutions and government agencies. Our labs are regularly inspected by the National Laboratory Certification Program and certified by the College of American Pathologists (CAP), Forensic Drug Testing program, and Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). **All to provide the highest levels of certainty and confidence.**

### Unmatched expertise

Quest’s deep and diverse expertise can help guide your company’s critical testing decisions. Our annual [Drug Testing Index® \(DTI\)](#) examines positivity rates and workforce drug use trends drawn from 11 million tests across 1,000+ industries, from construction and manufacturing to transportation and healthcare. **All of which helps our dedicated team solve real-world challenges in demanding fields like yours.**

# Reliable drug testing solutions for real-world drug use

According to the [2022 DTI](#), America's workforce drug use has risen sharply over the past 5 years, mirrored by an upswing in post-accident positivity.<sup>2</sup> These trends confirm the connection between drug use and workplace safety, suggesting that pre-employment testing may not provide enough certainty for your business—especially in safety-sensitive industries. That's why Quest offers the broadest range of potential testing scenarios.



## Quest: The drug testing partner you can rely on

Now more than ever, your business requires a collaborative drug testing partner, not just a lab provider. One expert delivering a comprehensive program and a full range of testing types and panels—including customizable panels, specimen validity testing, and alcohol, steroid, and synthetic drug testing. One team supporting you from the start and strengthening your reputation over the long haul.

As an industry leader, Quest is ready to tailor a drug testing solution that fits your business and help you successfully navigate today's evolving environment.

## For more information

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