Road Traffic Acts Analysts

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- This booklet should be handed to any person who is likely to have a sample of blood or urine analysed for alcohol.
- Do not put this booklet in the envelope with the blood or urine sample.
- The Royal Society of Chemistry is unable to advise on blood or urine tests. All enquiries should be directed to analysts listed in this booklet.

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Introduction

Individuals who choose or are required by the police (under the Road Traffic Act 1988, the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1995, Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988, Transport and Works Act 1992 or Armed Forces Act 2006) to give a specimen of blood or urine will, at the same time, be offered a part of the specimen for their own retention.

This booklet contains a list of Analytical Chemists who are able to either analyse blood and urine specimens to determine the alcohol content and/or undertake back-calculations of breath and blood alcohol levels at relevant times based on a disclosed drinking pattern for use in court.

Please note that if an entry only offers back-calculations then this is for court use only.

Although this list was accurate when published, analytical laboratories and their capabilities change from time to time. For an up-to-date list consult the Royal Society of Chemistry website, **rsc.li/rta**

The booklet is published by the Royal Society of Chemistry as a public service. All the analysts on this list are Royal Society of Chemistry members.

The individual named under each practice address is a contact name. It should not be inferred that this is the person who will carry out the analysis or who will attend court should an expert witness be required. These matters will be decided within the practice.

The analyst will prepare a report and send it to the client. In this report the analyst will note the circumstances and condition in which the specimen was received.

Procedure for obtaining a private analysis of blood and urine specimens

1. Choose an analyst listed in this booklet.
2. BEFORE sending your specimen YOU MUST telephone your chosen analyst to find out:
   a. If they are able to do the test;
   b. How much time is required for the test;
   c. How much you will have to pay.

- The fees charged for analysing blood or urine specimens can vary.
- If your chosen analyst is not able to do the test, please contact another analyst from the list.

3. **Deliver the specimen to the analyst as soon as possible**, preferably upon receipt, either in person or by first class recorded or special delivery in a strong protective package.
4. Include your name, address and telephone number with the specimen on an attached slip of paper.

NOTES

- The blood or urine specimen should be kept cool, preferably in a refrigerator, but NOT in the freezing compartment, before being sent.
- It is essential that the envelope provided by the police containing the specimen be unopened.
- DO NOT send the sample to the Royal Society of Chemistry.
  If you do the sample will be returned to you untested.
- This booklet is updated annually.
  For the latest version and further information see **rsc.li/rta**

Practices are listed according to the region in which they are situated. There are five regions being used for this purpose:

Nationwide (covers more than one region)

England North
Midlands
South

Northern Ireland

Scotland

Wales

Within each region practices are listed according to the alphabetical order of the towns in which they operate.

Nationwide (covers more than one region)

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Back Calculations / Analysis for Alcohol and/or Drugs in Blood or Urine, including the full panel of drugs under the Section 5A offence of the Road Traffic Act 1988

England North

See also CNC Forensic Toxicology Services in the Nationwide section on page 6

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Analysis of Alcohol in Blood or Urine / Back-Calculations

England Midlands

See also Birmingham City Laboratories and Key Forensic Services Ltd in the Nationwide section on page 6

Forensic Toxicology Service
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