

**Australian Workplace Drug Testing Services Pty Ltd**  
**'Registered Training Organisation'**  
**National Provider No: 32202**

**NATIONALLY-ACCREDITED TRAINING IN COLLECTION AND  
TESTING FOR ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS OF ABUSE TO  
AUSTRALIAN STANDARDS**

**Includes up to three awards:**

HLTPAT005 *Collect specimens for drugs of abuse testing*

**This training is registered with the Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA) under the National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act. AWDTS registration and authority to deliver training may be viewed on the Australian Government website at <https://training.gov.au/Organisation/Details/32202>**

The course is offered as one complete course comprising both on-site collection/testing for alcohol and drugs of abuse including breath, urine, oral fluids, hair and nails collection/testing or as an individual training course for on-site testing of alcohol (only), or for urine and/or oral fluids (only), or for breath, urine and oral fluids (only). The course includes one (1) nationally-recognised unit of competency, while students completing the hair and nails collection for testing component will also receive a *Psychemedics Corporation* Certificate of Completion and an *AWDTS* licence to conduct hair drug testing.

This course qualifies those students who successfully complete the oral fluids and/or urine collection/testing component(s) to become a Collector iaw the requirements of AS4760:2006 *Procedures for specimen collection and the detection and quantitation of drugs in oral fluid* S1.3.13 and/or AS/NZS4308:2008 *Procedures for specimen collection and the detection and quantitation of drugs in urine* S1.3.14. A Statement of Attainment will be issued to successful students.

## Course Coverage

### Session 1

(Completed externally)

1. Health and Safety for Collectors and Donors
  - a. People Skills
  - b. The Testing Area
  - c. First Aid and Medical Considerations
  - d. Personal Protection Equipment
2. Legal Defensibility
  - a. Legislation
  - b. Australian Standards
  - c. Policy and Procedures
  - d. Case Studies
3. Observed Indicia
  - a. An overview
  - b. Use in the Testing Situation
  - c. Recognition of Symptoms of Use: Common Drug Classes

### Session 2

1. Breath Testing Equipment
2. Legislation and AS3547:1997 Compliance
3. Set-up
4. Testing Sequence
5. Testing Practice
6. Trouble-shooting

### Session 3

1. Drug Testing Equipment
  - a. Urine
  - b. Oral Fluids
  - c. Hair and Fingernails
2. Legislation, AS4760:2006 and AS/NZS4308:2008 Compliance
3. Set-up
4. Testing Sequence
  - a. Collection
  - b. Testing
  - c. Preparing for the Laboratory
  - d. Chain of Custody
  - e. Laboratory Liaison
5. Testing Practice
6. Trouble-shooting

### Course Duration

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Approximately 8 hours (plus mandatory pre-course reading approx 8 hours)

Accommodation, travelling expenses and training venue are exclusive of quoted course costs.

### Course Costs

Price on application



- Drug & Alcohol Testing for Workplace & Court • Consultancy Services
- Policy & Procedures • Alcohol & Drug Testing Equipment and Servicing
- Accredited Training in Alcohol & Drug Testing • Management/Staff Education
- Forensic Assessment & Reports • Expert Witnesses/Written Opinions • Psych Services

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