

Selected confirmatory testing results from drug checking in British Columbia: October 2021							
Point-of-Care Results							Confirmatory Results
Date Checked	City	Expected Drug [Category]	Appearance	FTIR Results	Strip Results		
					Fentanyl	Benzo	
Oct 4 2021	Vancouver	Crack cocaine [Stimulant]	White chunk	Cocaine base Etizolam	Negative	Negative	Cocaine base 52.8% Etizolam 39.3%
Oct 4 2021	Vancouver	Fentanyl [Opioid]	Light green powder	Fentanyl or analogue Uncertain match	Positive	Negative	Fentanyl 19.6% 4APP HCl 51.5% (fentanyl-related chemical)
Oct 6 2021	Vancouver	Down (unknown opioid) [Opioid]	Yellow pebble	Erythritol Fentanyl or analogue Caffeine	Positive	Positive	Fentanyl 2.6% Caffeine 1.3% Etizolam <1% Clonazepam <1%
Oct 11 2021	Vancouver	Fentanyl [Opioid]	White powder	No library match	Negative	Negative	Isotonitazene 100%
Oct 15 2021	Vancouver	Fentanyl [Opioid]	White powder	Fentanyl Xylazine Diphenhydramine Uncertain match	Positive	Negative	Fentanyl 48% Xylazine 29.5% Etizolam <1% Diphenhydramine (no quant)
Oct 15 2021	Vancouver	Heroin [Opioid]	White chunk	Caffeine Erythritol Uncertain match	Positive	Positive	Fentanyl 5.0% Xylazine 2.3%, Flualprazolam 1.5% Etizolam <1%

**Notes**

- Confirmatory testing results are provided by Health Canada’s Drug Analysis Service.
- Confirmatory testing results may exclude inert cutting agents such as sugar alcohols.
- Samples selected to be sent for confirmatory testing are not selected at random and therefore these results do not necessarily represent the full unregulated drug supply.
- Point-of-care drug checking results are available on [drugcheckingbc.ca](http://drugcheckingbc.ca). Questions? Email [drugchecking@bccsu.ubc.ca](mailto:drugchecking@bccsu.ubc.ca).