NEW MEXICO RACING COMMISSION TESTING STATISTICS-2023

POST-RACE TESTING; CALENDAR YEAR COMPARISON

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
BLOOD TESTED	1,050	3,818	5,646	2,659	3,115	4014	3223
URINE TESTED	3,657	4,557	4,919	2,290	2,713	3435	2826
POSITIVES IN BLOOD	58	84	60	25	50	38	31
AS % OF SAMPLES	5.5%	2.2%	1.1%	0.94%	1.61%	0.95%	0.96%
POSITIVES IN URINE	55	49	43	19	10	4	7
AS % OF SAMPLES	1.5%	1.1%	0.87%	0.83%	0.37%	0.12%	0.25%
BETA AGONISTS							
CLENBUTEROL	43	43	25	8	6	4	5
ZILPATEROL	2	2	2	0	0	0	1
RACTOPAMINE	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
ALBUTEROL	0	5	9	7	2	0	2
FORMOTEROL	0	0	4	2	0	0	0
TOTALS BY YEAR	46	50	40	17	8	5(4)	8(4)
A% OF URINE SAMPLES	1.3%	1.1%	0.81%	0.74%	0.29%	0.12%	0.14%
CORTICOSTEROIDS							
DEXAMETHASONE	22	36	17	3	13	5	3
METHYLPREDNISOLONE	3	8	3	0	0	0	3
BETAMETHASONE	0	10	1	0	0	0	0
TRIAMCINOLONE	1	1	2	2	4	4	1
ISOFLUPREDONE	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
TOTALS BY YEAR	26	55	23	5	18	9	7
A% OF BLOOD SAMPLES	2.5%	1.4%	0.41%	0.22%	0.58%	0.22%	0.22%
NSAIDS							
PBZ OVERAGE	9	10	11	4	13	6	3
FLUNIXIN OVERAGE	4	2	1	0	6	3	2
KETOPROFEN OVERAGE	0	1	3	1	0	0	0
STACKING VIOLATION	3	2	2	1	0	0	0
DICLOFENAC	0	0	3	0	8	1	1
FIROCOXIB	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
IBUPROFEN	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
NAPROXEN	0	0	0	0	2	1	1
TOTALS BY YEAR	16	16	20	6	31	12	7
% OF BLOOD SAMPLES	1.5%	0.42%	0.35%	0.23%	1.00%	0.30%	0.22%
ANABOLIC STEROIDS							

STANOZOLOL	1	2	0	0	4	0	0
TESTOSTERONE	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
NANDROLONE	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
BOLDENONE	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS							
CARBAZOCHROME	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAFFEINE	10	0	0	1	0	0	2
METHOCARBAMOL	1	4	2	2	6	1	2
XYLAZINE	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
TRAMADOL	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
DIPYRONE	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
GABAPENTIN	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
RITALINIC ACID	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
METHAMPHETAMINE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIDOCAINE	0	5	2	1	0	1	2
MEPIVACAINE	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
MODAFINIL	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
FUROSEMIDE OVG	0	2	1	1	0	4	1
DOXAPRAM	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
THEOPHYLLINE	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
CARDARINE	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
OSTARINE	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
COBALT OVERAGE	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
LEVAMISOLE	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
ACEPROMAZINE	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
GUANABENZ	1	0	0	0	0	8	0
IPRATROPIUM	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
OMEPRAZOLE	0	0	0	7	2	1	0
MEDROXYPROGESTERONE	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
CANNABIDIOL	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
OXYMORPHONE	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
ISOXSUPRINE	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
NIKETHAMIDE	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
METHYLPHENIDATE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

OUT OF COMPETITION TESTING; CALENDAR YEAR COMPARISON

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
BLOOD TESTED	108	105	283	82	51	114	106
URINE TESTED	20	21	0	0	0	42	31
HAIR TESTED	201	382	536	672	810	785	810
POSITIVES IN	8	3	6	0	0	0	9
BLOOD							
AS % OF	7.4%	2.9%	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.5%
SAMPLES							
POSITIVES IN	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
URINE							
AS % OF	5%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
SAMPLES							
POSITIVES IN	18	17	39	49	59	32	95
HAIR							
AS A % OF	9.0%	4.5%	7.3%	7.3%	7.3%	4.1%	11.7%
SAMPLES							

2023 OUT OF COMPETITION POSITIVE TESTS BY DRUG

CLENBUTEROL—21 POSITIVES IN HAIR

ALBUTEROL—65 POSITIVES IN HAIR

ZILPATEROL—6 POSITIVES IN HAIR

FENOTEROL--2 POSITIVES IN HAIR

NIKETHAMIDE- 1 POSITIVE IN HAIR

FLUNIXIN- 3 POSITIVES IN BLOOD

PHENYLBUTAZONE- 3 POSITIVES IN BLOOD

DEXAMETHASONE-2 POSITIVES IN BLOOD

CANNABIDIOL- 1 POSITIVE IN BLOOD

NOTES:

NMRC testing included both Thoroughbreds and Quarter Horses until 5/22/23, at which time testing of Thoroughbreds was taken over by HIWU (Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit). After that point, the NMRC only tested Quarter Horses, as well as any Thoroughbreds competing in a mixed breed race.

Starting in 2023, out of competition testing also included horses being tested for removal from the Veterinarian's List.

Three of the eight post-race clenbuterol positives were in blood, and one was in hair. None were included in the % of urine samples calculation for beta agonists.

205 TC02 tests were performed on TBs at Sunland Park, with no violations reported.