

UK HARM REDUCTION HUB

What does the UK Harm Reduction Hub Do?

The University of Kentucky Harm Reduction Hub provides early insights into Kentucky's street drug supply by analyzing the residue in used syringes.



**SUBSTANCE FOUND
IN SAMPLE**



What Is Syringe Residue Checking?

Syringe residue checking analyzes trace amounts of drugs left in used syringes to detect new and emerging adulterants— such as xylazine, BTMPS, or medetomidine.

Why It Matters

- **Near Real Time Information:** Get early alerts about adulterants in the supply.
- **Better Clinical Decisions:** Knowledge about the drug supply helps inform overdose management, treatment, and withdrawal care.

Join a growing network of harm reductionists, scientists, and care providers using syringe residue testing to stay ahead of shifting drug trends.

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