

**Table 1: Drugs Detected in Specimens from University of Maryland Bowie Health Center (BHC)  
Emergency Department (ED) Patients, By Quarter**  
(N=4,320 specimens collected from July 2013 through September 2020)

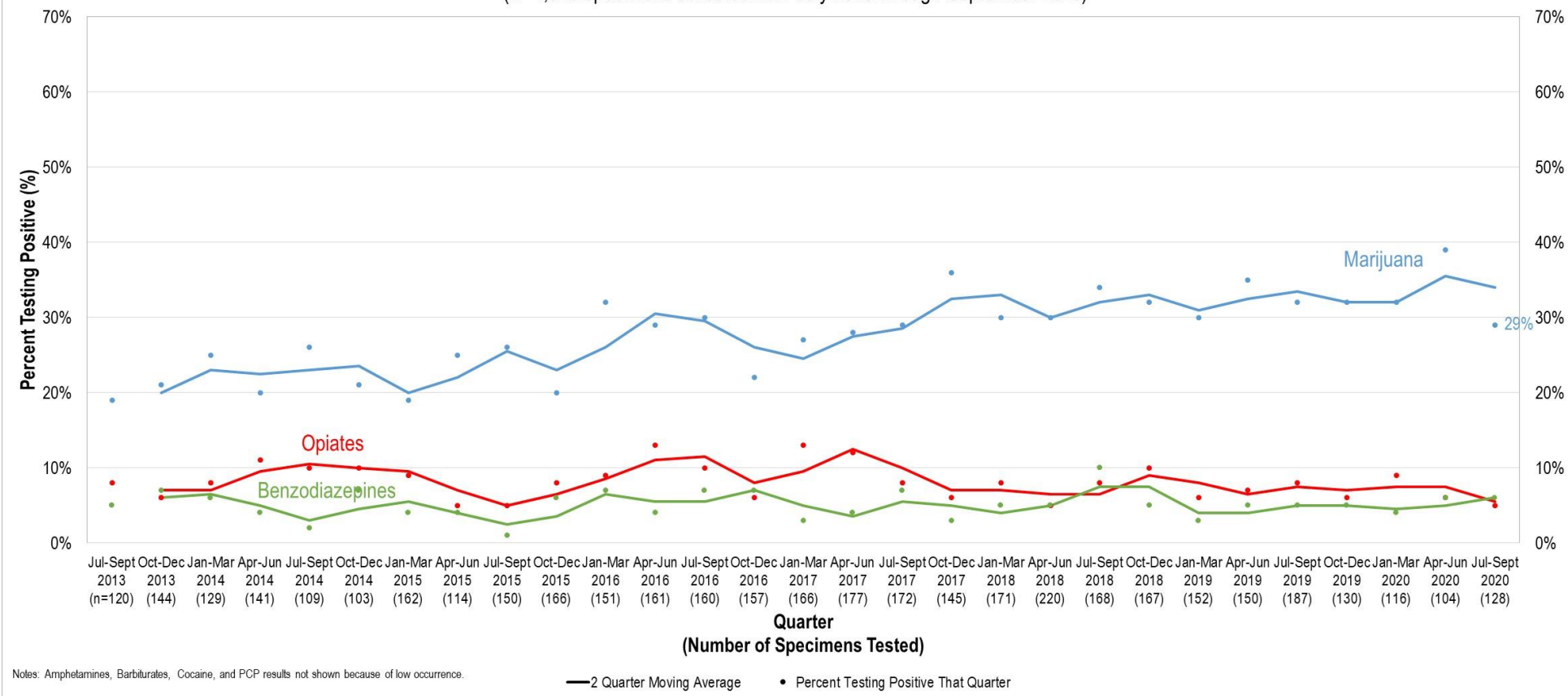
Quarter (N of specimens tested)	Marijuana %	Opiates %	PCP %	Cocaine %	Benzodiazepines %	Amphetamines %	Barbiturates <sup>a</sup> %
July-September 2013 (120)	19	8	<1	<1 L	5	4	2
October-December 2013 (144)	21	6	4	4	7	2	3
January-March 2014 (129)	25	8	2	4	6	5	<1
April-June 2014 (141)	20	11	1	4	4	1	1
July-September 2014 (109)	26	10	4	3	2	2	0
October-December 2014 (103)	21	10	3	2	7	5	3
January-March 2015 (162)	19 L	9	0 L	1	4	3	1
April-June 2015 (114)	25	5	<1	3	4	3	3
July-September 2015 (150)	26	5	3	5	1 L	2	1
October-December 2015 (166)	20	8	2	1	6	7	2
January-March 2016 (151)	32	9	1	5	7	2	<1
April-June 2016 (161)	29	13	4	2	4	2	2
July-September 2016 (160)	30	10	4	4	7	3	<1
October-December 2016 (157)	22	6	1	5	7	5	1
January-March 2017 (166)	27	13 H	3	2	3	2	1
April-June 2017 (177)	28	12	2	6	4	2	2
July-September 2017 (172)	29	8	5	7	7	2	0
October-December 2017 (145)	36	6	5	6	3	6	1
January-March 2018 (171)	30	8	2	6	5	3	0
April-June 2018 (220)	30	5	2	3	5	5	0
July-September 2018 (168)	34	8	7 H	4	10 H	2	3 H
October-December 2018 (167)	32	10	4	3	5	<1 L	<1
January-March 2019 (152)	30	6	5	7	3	7 H	<1
April-June 2019 (150)	35	7	5	8	5	4	<1
July-September 2019 (187)	32	8	4	8	5	4	1
October-December 2019 (130)	32	6	3	9 H	5	4	<1
January-March 2020 (116)	32	9	4	5	4	3	<1
April-June 2020 (104)	39 H	6	6	4	6	4	0
July-September 2020 (128)	29	5 L	4	6	6	4	0 L

Notes: H: Highest %. L: Lowest %.

<sup>a</sup>N's vary slightly because not all specimens were tested for all drugs each period.

**The percentage of specimens testing positive for opiates was at their series low (5%) in the most recent quarter (July-September 2020).**

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**Marijuana (29%) continues to be almost five times as prevalent as any other drug.**