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Department of Health Requests Laboratory Letters of Intent to Test Medical Marijuana

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) - Division of Medical Marijuana requests that any laboratory interested in testing medical marijuana in North Dakota submit a Letter of Intent.

In accordance with North Dakota Century Code (NDCC) 19-24.1, an NDDoH-approved laboratory will collect and test representative samples from a registered medical marijuana manufacturing facility immediately prior to manufacturing or natural processing of any medical marijuana product. Each batch from a registered manufacturing facility must be tested for microbiological contaminants, mycotoxins, pesticide active ingredients, residual solvent, heavy metals and active ingredient concentrations (Tetrahydrocannabinol and Cannabidiol).

The Letter of Intent serves to notify the NDDoH of a laboratory's interest to become an accredited laboratory capable of conducting the above-mentioned tests. Accreditation must be obtained from a third-party accreditation body of the laboratory's choice. Guidelines for the Letter of Intent can be found here: <https://www.ndhealth.gov/mm/>.

The Letter of Intent can be submitted via email at medmarijuana@nd.gov or standard mail to:
North Dakota Department of Health - Division of Medical Marijuana
600 East Boulevard Ave, Dept 301
Bismarck, ND 58505-0200

The Letter of Intent can also be hand-delivered to the Division of Medical Marijuana on the second floor (room 202) of the Judicial Wing at the State Capitol. For more information, call 701.328.1311 or email medmarijuana@nd.gov.

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