Appendix 2

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Differentiating codeine only deaths from morphine and codeine deaths

Was morphine detected in blood or urine together with codeine?

YES

Was codeine found in higher concentration than morphine in blood or urine?

YES

Was codeine consumption recorded in the findings or police reports and NO mention of morphine consumption?

YES

CODEINE-ONLY DEATHS

NO

MORPHINE AND CODEINE- DEATHS

NO

Was morphine reported as a metabolite of codeine?

YES

NO

Was codeine found in higher concentration than morphine in blood or urine?

NO

Was codeine consumption recorded in the findings or police reports and NO mention of morphine consumption?

NO