RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA (LCB REQUIREMENTS)

Testing under WAC 314-55 is required for ALL marijuana products at each of these three stages of processing.

**Harvest**

- No testing requirements at harvest under WAC 314-55

**Testing #1: Cannabis Plants**

- Marijuana Flower Lots
- and other Cannabis Plant Material Lots

Each LOT must be tested for:
1. Moisture
2. Potency
3. Foreign matter inspection
4. Microbiological screening
5. Mycotoxin screening

Additional sampling protocols for flower lots:
- Must collect a minimum of 4 separate samples (of at least 1 gram ea.) from each marijuana flower lot up to 5 lbs. The 4 separate samples must be taken from different quadrants of the flower lot. WAC 314-55-101(3)

**Testing #2: Intermediate Products**

- All marijuana, marijuana-infused products, marijuana concentrates, marijuana mix packaged, and marijuana mix infused sold from a processor to a retailer.

Each BATCH must be tested for:
- All tests outlined in WAC 314-55-102(2)(c). Different types of intermediate products require different types of tests.

**Testing #3: End Products**

- All marijuana, marijuana-infused products, marijuana concentrates, marijuana mix packaged, and marijuana mix infused sold from a processor to a retailer.

Each PRODUCT must be tested for:
- Potency, as outlined in WAC 314-55-102(2)(d).
- Products consisting of only one intermediate product that has not been changed in any way are not subject to potency analysis. WAC 314-55-102(2)(e)

GENERAL USE COMPLIANT “MEDICAL” (DOH REQUIREMENTS)

Products meeting WAC 246-70 General Use standards must receive additional testing at ONE of these three points

**Option 1: Testing at HARVEST**

- 3 grams for every 3 lbs. of single HARVEST must be tested for pesticides and heavy metals as outlined in WAC 246-70-050. Harvest does not have to be separated into lots.

EX: For a single harvest of 90 pounds, 90 grams of product must be tested, from any part of the harvest.

OR SKIP AND GO TO OPTION 2

**Option 2: Testing at LOT**

- 3 grams of every LOT tested for pesticides and heavy metals as outlined in WAC 246-70-050.

OR SKIP AND GO TO OPTION 3

**Option 3: Testing a finished concentrate or intermediate product**

- 2 grams for every BATCH, tested for pesticides and heavy metals as outlined in WAC 246-70-050(1)(iii).

MANDATORY: Must screen imported cannabinoids for pesticides and heavy metals prior to adding to any marijuana product—1% of product, no less than 2 grams. WAC 246-70-050(1)(b)(iii) and (c)(iv)

Definitions:
- **HARVEST**: marijuana plant material derived from plants of the same strain that were cultivated at the same licensed location and gathered at the same time. WAC 314-55-010(13).
- **LOT**: (a) The flowers from one or more marijuana plants of the same strain. A single lot of flowers cannot weigh more than five pounds; or (b) The trim, leaves, or other plant matter from one or more marijuana plants. A single lot of trim, leaves, or other plant matter cannot weigh more than fifteen pounds. WAC 314-55-010(19).
- **BATCH**: a quantity of marijuana-infused product containing material from one or more lots of marijuana. WAC 314-55-010(2). For the purposes of quality assurance testing section in WAC 314-55-102, a batch is defined as a single run through the extraction or infusion process.

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