

Fast, accurate and impartial clinical testing services.

With increased public interest and medical research related to potential EDCs such as BPA, both investigators and physicians need access to specialized bioanalytical testing services. NMS Labs has the answer.

NMS Labs is the only clinical laboratory that offers the fast, accurate and objective BPA and phthalate metabolites testing capabilities researchers need now. For reference labs, and the environmental physicians they support, these unique testing services can provide new insights that can help to address the growing concern fueled by rising awareness of EDCs and their possible impacts.

EDC tests offered by NMS Labs include:

- Bisphenol-A (BPA)
- Mono-n-butyl phthalate (MNBP)
- Mono-ethylhexyl phthalate (MEHP)
- Mono-(2-ethyl-5-hydroxyhexyl) phthalate (MEHHP)
- Mono-(2-ethyl-5-oxohexyl) phthalate (MEOHP)
- Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)
- DDT, DDD, DDE and other Organochlorine Pesticides
- Chlorophenols
- Cresols
- Nitrophenols
- Diethylstilbestrol (DES)
- Atrazine

NMS Labs offers more than 40 endocrinology tests including:

- Estrogens
- Testosterone and other endocrine steroids
- Thyroid hormones (T3 & T4) and other thyroid hormones
- Tetrahydrocortisol/Tetrahydrocortisone



BISPHENOL-A (BPA) TESTING

BPA, PHTHALATE METABOLITES AND
OTHER SUSPECTED ENDOCRINE
DISRUPTING CHEMICALS (EDCs)

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*"The National Toxicology Program (NTP) has some concern for effects on the brain, behavior and prostate gland in fetuses, infants and children at current human exposures to bisphenol-A."*¹

*"...a review of the EDC literature, focused on the effects of low-dose exposure to EDCs on endocrine systems... clearly elaborates a strong basis for concern about EDC health risks."*²





SUPPORTING RESEARCHERS, REFERENCE LABS & PHYSICIANS WITH SPECIALIZED TESTING

The stakes are high. Demand the precision of NMS Labs.

Accuracy you can count on.

- BPA testing via Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry
- Clinical test environment is BPA-free
- Reference ranges established by the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES)

The answers you need - fast.

NMS Labs provides rapid turnaround time and secure web access to results so you can obtain the information you need quickly and easily.

Sophisticated expertise.

Our experience in bio-analytical toxicology is second to none thanks to a team of more than 200 highly trained professionals, including 20 doctoral-level scientists and board-certified toxicologists.

A trusted research partner.

NMS Labs has long been an industry leader in the development of advanced clinical tests to meet emerging scientific needs. Our elite team of toxicologists can custom design test parameters, panels and results reports to meet specific requirements. We serve some of the most prominent university research centers, reference laboratories, contract research organizations, and pharmaceutical and medical device companies in the world with testing results backed by prestigious accreditations.

A critical asset to reference labs.

Seamlessly and transparently, our exclusive capabilities will make your lab indispensable to an environmental medicine community in need of sound diagnostic tools for a rapidly growing family of suspected EDCs.

Helping find answers about BPA

Concerns over the possible effects of BPA on human health and development have been raised by both the NTP¹ and the Endocrine Society³. With precise, efficient testing, NMS Labs is helping the medical community get the facts.



Contact your NMS Labs Representative to arrange an appointment with an expert toxicologist and learn more about these unique clinical testing services.

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¹ <http://www.niehs.nih.gov/news/media/questions/sya-bpa.cfm>

² Endocrine Society Position Statement: ENDOCRINE-DISRUPTING CHEMICALS, JUNE 2009

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