Handlers must be evaluated with their assigned duty canine. Performance testing will be divided into two sections: Narcotics and Team Effort.

Testing Sections

The aids will be set in each phase not less than 30 minutes prior to the phase being evaluated. Each aid the dog specifically pinpoints, and the handler verbally indicates to the evaluator, will be recorded as a find.

1. Narcotics Section

- The mandatory controlled substance training aids will consist of two of each, representing the four different odors: Heroin, Cocaine, Fentanyl, and Methamphetamines. The weights of the substances used should be consistent with the mission of the teams being tested, with a minimum of two grams of each substance. Seven of the eight aids must be located.
 - Fentanyl training aids are delivery devices specifically designed for the purpose of training, certifying, and imprinting narcotic canines. This training aid must be a WSCJTC evaluator approved device.
 - An elective odor of Marijuana can be added to the certification by adding two additional aids and a separate search area. If this elective is chosen, nine of the ten aids must be located.

2. Team Effort Section

- A team is allowed only one miss and cannot have more than 20 points in deductions in the team scoring portion. Each error observed that has an indicated deduction will result in the loss of the appropriate number of points.
 - Canine deductions: working to source, final response, walk, and false response.
 - Handler deductions: search pattern, presentation, manipulation of objects, control of environment, recognition of change of behavior, control, and negative cueing.

Phase Testing

Phase testing will be divided into three phases:

- 1. Building
- 2. Vehicle search
- 3. Exterior search

Deductions regarding phase testing:

- Minor errors will result in a one-point deduction.
- Major errors will result in a three-point deduction, based on the evaluator's evaluation of the severity of the error and the team's performance in other aspects of the same exercise.
- False responses will result in a 10-point deduction for the first occurrence. A second false response will be an automatic failure.

Safety Protocols

Narcotic handlers will be trained to recognize opioid toxicity, evaluate vital signs, and to administer treatments for exposure in the field regardless of route of administration (intranasal and intramuscular).

- Drug Exposure Kits should be available for both the handler and the canine and should contain current opioid exposure treatments.
- Personal protective equipment should be worn to minimize exposure.
- If there is exposure, both the handler and canine should seek medical attention.
 - Handlers must adhere to agency safety protocols as well as maintaining annual training for best practices regarding narcotic exposure.

Building phase - The building search will consist of an area designated by the Evaluator, and may vary in size, location, or environment, but will consist of three rooms. The canine will start at a point determined by the handler.

	Handler: Canine: Phase: BUILDING Date:				
		<u>N</u>	arcotics Section		
	<u>Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Loc	cation	Found
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
				Total	
Team Effort Section					
	Canine 1 pt. 3 pt.		Search Pattern	Handler 1 pt. 3 pt.	
		Ī	Presentation Manipulation of Objects		
			Control Of Environment		
		Recognition of CB Control			
		Negative Cueing			
		Working to Source Final Response Walk			
		False	Response	1 st time = 10 pts 2 nd time	e = Fail
		Total	:		
Evaluator Initials:		Handler Initials:			

Vehicle search phase - The vehicle search will consist of three vehicles, which may vary in size, location, and environment. The search may consist of both the interior and exterior of the vehicles. The canine will start at a point determined by the handler.

На	indler: Canine:				
Ph	hase: VEHICLE Date:				
		<u>N</u>	arcotics Section		
	<u>Type</u>	Amount	Loc	cation	<u>Found</u>
1					
2					
3					
4					
5				Total	
				Total	
<u>Team Effort Section</u>					
	Canine 1 pt. 3 pt.		0 1 5 "	Handler 1 pt. 3 pt.	
			Search Pattern Presentation		
		1	Manipulation of Objects		
			Control Of Environment		
		Recognition of CB			
		Negative Cueing Working to Source			
		Final Response			
		Walk _			
		False	Response	1 st time = 10 pts 2 nd time	e = Fail
		Total	:		
Evaluator Initials: Handler Initials:					

Exterior search phase - The exterior search phase will consist of an area (minimum of 30 ft. by 30 ft.) in open air that may vary in location and environment and may include buried Narcotics. The canine will start at a point determined by the handler.

Handler: Canir			Canine:			
Phase: EXTERIOR SEARCH Date:						
Narcotics Section						
	<u>Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Location		<u>Found</u>	
1						
2						
3						
4						
5				Takal		
				Total		
	Canine 1 pt. 3 pt.		Search Pattern Presentation Manipulation of Objects Control Of Environment Recognition of CB	Handler 1 pt. 3 pt.		
	Control					
		147	Negative Cueing			
		Fina Walk	king to Source I Response K e Response	1 st time = 10 pts 2 nd time	e = Fail	
		Tota	l:			
Evaluator Initials: Handler Initials:						

Elective Odor: Teams may certify to **Marijuana**. Two aids will be added to the certification. A separate search area will be provided for the Marijuana. The aids will be set in each phase not less than 30 minutes prior to the phase being evaluated. Each aid the dog specifically pinpoints, and the handler verbally indicates to the evaluator, will be recorded as a find.

Handler:	Canine:		
Phase: ELE	CTIVE ODOR - Marijuana Date:		
	Search Area		
	(Choose 1 Location)		
<u>Amount</u>	<u>Location</u>		<u>Found</u>
	Exterior search phase - The exterior search ph		
		m of 30 ft. by 30 ft.) in open air that may vary in location	
		nent and may include buried Narcotics. The canine will	
	start at a point determined by the handler. Building phase - The building search will consi	et of an area	
	designated by the Evaluator, and may vary in si		
	environment, but will consist of three rooms. The canine will start at		
	point determined by the handler.		
Vehicle search phase - The vehicle search will consist of three			
	vehicles, which may vary in size, location and environment. The search may consist of both the interior and exterior of the vehicles. The canine		
	will start at a point determined by the handler.	le veriicles. The carille	
	Team Effort Section		
•			
Canine	nt	Handler	
1 pt. 3	pt. Search Pattern	1 pt. 3 pt.	
	Presentation		
	Manipulation of Objects		
	Control Of Environment		
	Recognition of CB		
	Control		
	Negative Cueing		
	Working to Source		
	Final Response		
	Walk		
	False Response	1 st time = 10 pts 2 nd	time = Fail
	Total:		
Evaluator Initial	s: Handler Initials:		

Overall Record Sheet

Location:	Date:			
Handler:	Yrs. K9 Experience:	Yrs. K9 Experience:		
Agency:				
Canine Name:	Yrs. Narcotic Experience:			
Type of Alert:	Cross Trained: Y	es 🗌 No		
Reward:	Breed:			
	Evaluation			
<u>Phase</u>	<u>Narcotics</u>	Team Effort		
1 Building 2 Vehicles				
3 Exterior	<u> </u>			
	TOTAL			
Narcotics Section	_	_		
Mandatory Odors	□PASS	□FAIL		
Elective Odors – Marijuana	□PASS	□FAIL		
Team Effort Section	_	_		
Team Effort	□PASS	□FAIL		
	Evoluator			
Print Name:	<u>Evaluato</u>			
Signature:				
Agency:				
Contact Phone:				
Contact Email:				

Handler's Copy