

Pipe Fitting Council of Greater Chicago

Labor Management Cooperation Committee

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REMINDER

TO: LU 597 Signatory Contractors

RE: Substance Abuse Testing and Treatment Policy

As a reminder, all LU 597 signatory contractors are subject to the MCA of Chicago / Pipefitters LU 597 Substance Abuse Testing and Treatment Policy. The Substance Abuse Testing and Treatment Program is part of our Collective Bargaining Agreement and participation is mandatory.

Contractors may be charged a fine of \$1,500 for each pipefitter who is called and does not test.

Contractors can avoid fines if they show:

1. The pipefitter did not work for the company when selected for a random test (Log into cdsonsite.com, select Random/Periodic Selection List from the main menu, mark employee as No Longer Working for Us or Temporarily Laid Off)
2. The pipefitter was working outside of the Pipefitters LU 597 jurisdiction when selected for a random test (Log into cdsonsite.com, select Random/Periodic Selection List from the main menu, mark employee as Out of Jurisdiction)
3. The pipefitter was notified properly (Submit [Acknowledgement Form](#))
4. The pipefitter was tested under another program within the last 180 days and should be grandfathered (Follow [Grandfathering Process](#))

Copies of the Substance Abuse Testing and Treatment Policy, Exhibits, Grandfather Process, Contractor Procedures Manual and CDS Frequently Asked Questions are available on the MCA of Chicago website: mca.org/labor/substance-abuse/ and on the CDS website: cdsonsite.com.

Please contact Daniel Day at dday@mca.org or 312-384-1220 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Daniel C. Day

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Administrator