

## **Drug and Alcohol Testing Program Cost Worksheet A Cost Comparison of IDATP vs. Other Program Providers**

To assist you in obtaining drug and alcohol testing at the best price and service, please use the following worksheet to compare IDATP with other testing programs. *For example, an IDATP participant utilizing the Drug and Alcohol testing services indicated below for ten (10) drivers would pay an all inclusive participation fee of \$400 per calendar year (fee = \$40/driver x 10 drivers).* The number of random collections shown is based on a federally mandated testing rate of 50% of the driver pool for drugs and 10% for alcohol.

**[Note: An IDATP participant opting to have on-site collections performed by their own, IDATP trained, school nurse or other staff member (they don't need to be personnel with medical expertise) would be reimbursed \$15/collection. In the example below, the participation cost could be reduced by \$150 if the district performed its own collections (10 collections x \$15 = \$150 paid back to participating school). Thus the final cost to the district for drug and alcohol testing for this 10-driver example would be reduced to \$250.]**

The figures in the first two numeric columns below illustrate the number of tests and cost of testing based upon statewide average testing costs, including collection fees, laboratory (or breath test) analysis fees and medical review officer fees. Use the column to the far right to compare your own testing service fees to those of the IDATP program.

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