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NIMH Psychoactive Drug Screening Program

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Resource Information

URL: <http://pdsp.med.unc.edu/>

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Description: This service provides screening of novel psychoactive compounds for pharmacological and functional activity at cloned human or rodent CNS receptors, channels, and transporters. Bryan Roth MD, PhD (University of North Carolina Chapel Hill) will perform pharmacological and functional screening of novel compounds as a contractor to NIMH. Screening of compounds is provided to qualified academic investigators at no cost. * Assays using for a large number of cloned human or rodent cDNAs for CNS receptors, channels and transporters. For a list of current receptors/transporters go to:clones.html * Ki determinations * Functional assays to determine effects on second messenger systems, channel activity and transporter function * Cloned receptors are also available at no cost to qualified investigators. * Assays are now available for bioavailability predictions (CaCo2, MDR-1) and cardiovascular toxicity predictions (HERG, 5-HT2B) Who is eligible * Academic investigators involved in basic or clinical research relevant to mental health. * Projects from research and development areas in small businesses relevant to mental and behavioral science. * Areas of interest to NIMH include the design and development of new chemical entities and small molecules as research tools, probes, targeted drug delivery systems, and PET ligands for brain imaging. * Research areas of interest are described in the Division of Basic and Clinical Neuroscience Research webpage, <http://www.nimh.nih.gov/about/organization/dnbbs/index.shtml>.

Abbreviations: PDSD, NIMH PDSP

Synonyms: National Institute of Mental Health Psychoactive Drug Screening Program

Resource Type: analysis service resource, material analysis service, production service resource, service resource

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for NIMH Psychoactive Drug Screening Program.

No alerts have been found for NIMH Psychoactive Drug Screening Program.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 77 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [Kravitz](#) .

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