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	Urine study sample (n=205)	Full sample (n=528)
Frequency of ADHD-related behavioral problems (n, (%))^a		
Significant ADHD-associated behavior problem on at least one scale ^b	82 (40)	218 (41)
Possible significant ADHD-associated behavior problem on at least one scale ^b	134 (65)	346 (65)
Child Characteristics (n (%))		
Gender		
Male	93 (45)	255 (48)
Female	112 (55)	273 (52)
Missing	0 (0)	0 (0)
Race		
Non-Hispanic White	124 (60)	364 (69)
Non White	81 (40)	164 (31)
Missing	0 (0)	0 (0)
Age at in-person testing		
14-15	164 (80)	328 (62)
16-17	41 (20)	200 (38)
Missing		
Diagnosis of a behavioral disorder other than ADHD^c		
No	131 (64)	346 (66)
Yes	74 (36)	182 (34)
Missing	0 (0)	0 (0)
Use of medication for a behavioral disorder^d		
No	183 (89)	480 (91)
Yes	22 (11)	48 (9)
Missing	0 (0)	0 (0)
Maternal Characteristics at time of Child's Birth (n (%))		
Age (years)		
<20	21 (10)	67 (13)
20-29	127 (62)	307 (58)
≥30	57 (28)	154 (29)
Missing	0 (0)	0 (0)
Household income (\$/year)		
<20,000	66 (32)	166 (31)
20-<40,000	70 (34)	179 (34)
40-<75,000	53 (26)	152 (29)
≥75,000	10 (5)	18 (3)
Missing	6 (3)	13 (2)
Marital status		

Married	106 (52)	296 (56)
Unmarried	87 (42)	206 (39)
Missing	12 (6)	26 (5)
Education		
<High School	30 (15)	76 (14)
High School or more	169 (82)	440 (83)
Missing	6 (3)	12 (2)
Smoking during pregnancy		
Yes	56 (27)	125 (24)
No	134 (65)	362 (69)
Missing	15 (7)	41 (8)
Alcohol consumption during pregnancy		
Yes	38 (19)	92 (17)
No	141 (69)	358 (68)
Missing	26 (13)	78 (15)

^aADHD-related behavior measures include: CADS parent/teacher-report of inattention, hyperactivity, and ADHD; BASC parent/teacher/self-report of hyperactivity and inattention; and BASC parent/teacher-report of executive function.

^bSignificant behavior problem: scale t-score dichotomized at the 98th percentile; Possible significant problem: scale t-score dichotomized at the 85th percentile

^cPediatric medical record or parental reported diagnosis of a behavioral disorder

^dParental reported child use of medication for a behavioral disorder

eTable 2. Adjusted^a Relative Risk (95% Confidence Intervals) of ADHD-Related Behavior Problems^b Associated With a 2-Fold (log2) Increase in Urinary Biomarker Concentrations in New Bedford Cohort Adolescents (N=164-190)

Chemical Biomarker	Significant behavior problem ^b			Possible significant behavior problem ^b		
	Combined	Males	Females	Combined	Males	Females
ΣAntiandrogenic phthalates ^c	1.34 (1.00, 1.79)	1.63 (1.14, 2.34)	1.16 (0.84, 1.60)	1.21 (1.00, 1.47)	1.19 (0.87, 1.63)	1.23 (0.99, 1.52)
ΣDEHP ^d	1.29 (1.07, 1.55)	1.62 (1.38, 1.91)*	1.06 (0.85, 1.33)*	1.20 (1.05, 1.37)	1.28 (1.06, 1.55)	1.14 (0.98, 1.32)
ΣPersonal care products ^e	1.16 (0.98, 1.37)	1.20 (0.97, 1.50)	1.12 (0.90, 1.40)	1.11 (0.99, 1.25)	1.08 (0.90, 1.30)	1.14 (0.98, 1.32)
ΣParabens ^f	1.06 (0.96, 1.18)	1.05 (0.94, 1.16)	1.09 (0.91, 1.30)	1.04 (0.97, 1.11)	1.01 (0.93, 1.09)	1.08 (0.96, 1.21)
ΣBisphenols ^g	1.09 (0.91, 1.31)	1.11 (0.76, 1.64)	1.08 (0.88, 1.32)	1.01 (0.88, 1.17)	0.92 (0.70, 1.22)	1.06 (0.89, 1.26)
ΣDichlorophenols ^h	1.15 (1.01, 1.32)	1.18 (0.99, 1.40)	1.12 (0.90, 1.39)	1.09 (0.99, 1.20)	1.07 (0.94, 1.21)	1.13 (0.97, 1.33)

^aAdjusted for: Child: sex, race, mean test age (across teacher/parent/self-report BASC and CADS measures), urine specific gravity, race; Maternal characteristics at delivery: age, income, marital status, smoking, education; test indicator

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^csum of: MBP, MiBP, MBzP, MEHP, MEHHP, MEOHP, MECPP, MCOP, MHIBP, MHBP, MNP

^dsum of: MECPP, MEHHP, MEOHP, MEHP

^esum of: MBP, MHBP, MEP, MiBP, MHIBP

^fsum of: butyl, ethyl, methyl, and propyl parabens

^gsum of: BPA, BPF, BPS

^hsum of: 2,4-dichlorophenol, 2,5-dichlorophenol

*Interaction p-value <0.05

eTable 3. Adjusted^a Relative Risk (95% Confidence Interval) of Significant ADHD-Related Behavior Problems^b in New Bedford Cohort Adolescents Associated With a 2-Fold (log₂) Increase in Urinary Biomarker Concentrations (N=164-190) for Individual, Rather Than Summed, Chemical Measures

ΣAntiandrogenic phthalates		ΣDEHP		ΣPersonal care products		ΣParabens		ΣBisphenols		ΣDichlorophenols		Individual measures not included in a sum	
MECPP	1.27 (1.05, 1.54)	MECPP	1.27 (1.05, 1.54)	MBP	1.45 (1.15, 1.84)	Butyl	0.98 (0.95, 1.02)	BPA	1.02 (0.93, 1.12)	2,4-DCP	1.11 (1.00, 1.24)	TCC	1.03 (1.00, 1.07)
MEHHP	1.26 (1.06, 1.49)	MEHHP	1.26 (1.06, 1.49)	MIBP	1.32 (1.07, 1.64)	Ethyl	1.07 (0.98, 1.17)	BPF	1.01 (0.97, 1.05)	2,5-DCP	1.08 (0.94, 1.25)	TCS	0.99 (0.89, 1.09)
MEHP	1.05 (0.98, 1.12)	MEHP	1.05 (0.98, 1.12)	MHIBP	1.16 (0.96, 1.41)	Methyl	1.05 (0.94, 1.16)	BPS	1.02 (0.94, 1.10)			BP-3	0.97 (0.9, 1.04)
MEOHP	1.28 (1.07, 1.53)	MEOHP	1.28 (1.07, 1.53)	MHBP	1.25 (1.03, 1.51)	Propyl	1.00 (0.92, 1.09)					MHINCH	0.99 (0.94, 1.05)
MBP	1.45 (1.15, 1.84)			MEP	1.07 (0.93, 1.23)							MCNP	1.19 (0.95, 1.49)
MIBP	1.32 (1.07, 1.64)											M CPP	1.12 (1.02, 1.23)
MHIBP	1.16 (0.96, 1.41)												
MHBP	1.25 (1.03, 1.51)												
MBZP	1.22 (1.05, 1.42)												
MNP	1.03 (0.97, 1.10)												
MCOP	1.05 (0.91, 1.23)												

^aAdjusted for: Child: sex, race, mean test age (across teacher/parent/self-report BASC and CADS measures), urine specific gravity; Maternal characteristics at delivery: age, income, marital status, smoking, education; test indicator

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eTable 4. Sensitivity Analyses for the Adjusted^a Relative Risk (95% Confidence Interval) of Significant ADHD-Related Behavior Problems^b Associated With a 2-Fold (log₂) Increase in Urinary Biomarker Concentrations in New Bedford Cohort Adolescents

Chemical Biomarker	Main adjusted model ^a N=164-190	Unadjusted model ^c N=178-205	Multiple imputation ^d N=205	Exclude BASC measures with indices indicating a potential threat to validity ^e N=164-190	Exclude participants taking medications for behavioral disorder ^f N=149-171	Exclude participants with ADHD diagnosis ^g N=135-156	Adjusted for behavioral diagnosis other than ADHD ^g N=164-190	Adjusted for family history of mental illness ^h N=164-190	Exclude siblings N=153-177
ΣAntiandrogenic phthalates ⁱ	1.34 (1.00, 1.79)	1.27 (1.03, 1.56)	1.37 (1.21, 1.55)	1.34 (1.01, 1.78)	1.26 (0.90, 1.78)	1.76 (1.33, 2.32)	1.34 (1.01, 1.78)	1.40 (1.03, 1.89)	1.33 (0.99, 1.79)
ΣDEHP ^j	1.29 (1.07, 1.55)	1.19 (1.02, 1.39)	1.25 (1.14, 1.38)	1.28 (1.06, 1.54)	1.32 (1.07, 1.62)	1.46 (1.19, 1.80)	1.30 (1.09, 1.56)	1.30 (1.08, 1.58)	1.29 (1.07, 1.55)
ΣPersonal care products ^k	1.16 (0.98, 1.37)	1.20 (1.03, 1.39)	1.15 (1.05, 1.25)	1.16 (0.98, 1.37)	1.11 (0.90, 1.37)	1.31 (1.09, 1.57)	1.15 (0.97, 1.36)	1.18 (1.00, 1.40)	1.18 (0.99, 1.41)
ΣParabens ^l	1.06 (0.96, 1.18)	1.06 (0.96, 1.17)	1.03 (0.98, 1.08)	1.05 (0.95, 1.17)	1.07 (0.95, 1.20)	1.09 (0.99, 1.20)	1.06 (0.96, 1.17)	1.09 (0.98, 1.21)	1.07 (0.96, 1.18)
ΣBisphenols ^m	1.09 (0.91, 1.31)	1.09 (0.91, 1.31)	1.10 (0.99, 1.23)	1.06 (0.87, 1.27)	1.12 (0.92, 1.36)	1.13 (0.88, 1.45)	1.10 (0.91, 1.33)	1.12 (0.94, 1.33)	1.08 (0.91, 1.29)
ΣDichlorophenols ⁿ	1.15 (1.01, 1.32)	1.09 (0.94, 1.26)	1.11 (1.03, 1.20)	1.15 (1.01, 1.31)	1.12 (0.96, 1.32)	1.15 (1.00, 1.33)	1.17 (1.02, 1.34)	1.15 (1.00, 1.33)	1.18 (1.02, 1.35)

^aAdjusted for: Child: sex, race, mean test age (across teacher/parent/self-report BASC and CADS measures), urine specific gravity; Maternal characteristics at delivery: age, income, marital status, smoking, education; test indicator

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^cAdjusted for specific gravity to account for urine dilution and test indicator

^dimputation for covariates and chemicals, but not ADHD-related measures

^eInternal BASC indices indicating potential threats to validity from several factors (overly negative, lack of internal consistency, etc).

^fBased on medical record review

^gBased on medical record review and parent report

^hBased on parent report

ⁱsum of: MBP, MiBP, MBzP, MEHP, MEHHP, MEOHP, MECPP, MCOP, MHBP, MHBP, MNP

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Chemical Biomarker	Main adjusted model N=164-190	Adjusted for adolescent BMI z-score N=164-190	Adjusted for max childhood blood lead N=147-189	Adjusted for cord serum PCBs and DDE N=163-189	Adjusted for adolescent substance use ^c N=164-190	Adjusted for caffeine consumption ^d N=164-190	Adjusted for personal care product use ^d N=163-189	Adjusted for canned food and fast food consumption ^d N=163-189
ΣAntiandrogenic phthalates ^f	1.34 (1.00, 1.79)	1.33 (0.99, 1.78)	1.30 (0.97, 1.76)	1.36 (1.01, 1.83)	1.27 (0.96, 1.68)	1.34 (1.01, 1.78)	1.37 (1.02, 1.85)	1.36 (1.00, 1.85)
ΣDEHP ^g	1.29 (1.07, 1.55)	1.29 (1.07, 1.55)	1.26 (1.05, 1.52)	1.29 (1.06, 1.57)	1.25 (1.03, 1.51)	1.30 (1.09, 1.56)	1.29 (1.08, 1.55)	1.31 (1.08, 1.59)
ΣPersonal care products ^h	1.16 (0.98, 1.37)	1.16 (0.97, 1.38)	1.14 (0.94, 1.38)	1.16 (0.98, 1.38)	1.15 (0.95, 1.38)	1.15 (0.97, 1.36)	1.16 (0.98, 1.38)	1.17 (0.98, 1.39)
ΣParabens ⁱ	1.06 (0.96, 1.18)	1.07 (0.96, 1.18)	1.07 (0.96, 1.19)	1.04 (0.94, 1.15)	1.04 (0.94, 1.14)	1.06 (0.96, 1.17)	1.07 (0.97, 1.18)	1.07 (0.96, 1.18)
ΣBisphenols ^j	1.09 (0.91, 1.31)	1.09 (0.90, 1.30)	1.05 (0.87, 1.27)	1.08 (0.90, 1.29)	1.09 (0.90, 1.33)	1.10 (0.91, 1.33)	1.08 (0.90, 1.31)	1.07 (0.88, 1.31)
ΣDichlorophenols ^k	1.15 (1.01, 1.32)	1.15 (1.01, 1.32)	1.19 (1.01, 1.40)	1.17 (1.02, 1.34)	1.13 (0.98, 1.31)	1.17 (1.02, 1.34)	1.16 (1.01, 1.33)	1.16 (1.01, 1.33)

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^cAdolescent report of having smoked a cigarette in the past 30 days or ever having tried marijuana or alcohol

^dAverage from two 24-hour diary reports (or one 24-hour diary report if only one urine sample provided) regarding personal care product use, canned/fast food consumption, and consumption of caffeinated beverage

^fsum of: MBP, MiBP, MBzP, MEHP, MEHHP, MEOHP, MECPP, MCOP, MHBP, MHBP, MNP

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