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I think testing is necessary for all MEDICAL dispensaries because no one would go to Walgreens and get a prescription if it wasn't tested and so why can MEDICAL Cannabis be sold without testing but recreational that has no medical tag needs to be tested and verified? The illegal Chinese grows are able to infiltrate the MEDICAL side of the industry because there is no tracking or testing!!! Anything under the label of MEDICAL should be under MORE scrutiny than anything without the label of MEDICAL. Recent events with Marijuanaville having a bunch of their customers end up in the hospital due to having all those pesticides in it would never have happened if they were forced to test and trace their cannabis. Maine is the only state out of the 40 states that allow MEDICAL cannabis we are the only ones that allow MEDICAL dispensaries lobby for no rules and have no testing or rules for MEDICAL and that is backwards!! It's EXTREMELY unsafe and RECKLESS to have anything being sold under the guise of MEDICAL and have NO rules or regulations!! MEDICAL should ALWAYS be held to a HIGHER standard than recreational not the other way around!! I'm not advocating for no testing for recreational either I think testing is EXTREMELY important for ALL cannabis being sold!!