

# SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO: ISO/IEC 17025:2017

Accreditation Requirements for Forensic Testing and Calibration (2023) FBI Quality Assurance Standards for Forensic DNA Testing Laboratories: 2020

#### Sacramento County District Attorney Laboratory of Forensic Services

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#### FORENSIC TESTING

Expiry Date: 31 October 2027 Certificate Number: FT-0207

Discipline: Biology		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
DNA Profile Determination	Short Tandem Repeat (STR) Y-Short Tandem Repeat (Y-STR)	Capillary Electrophoresis
Individual Characteristic Database	DNA Profile	National DNA Index System (NDIS)
Physical Comparison	DNA Profile	Software Program
Qualitative Determination	Body Fluid	Chemical General Microscopy Immunoassay

Discipline: Bloodstain Pattern Analysis		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Area of Convergence/Origin Determination	Stain	Imaging
Bloodstain Pattern Classification	Stain	Visual

Discipline: Fire Debris and Explosives		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Qualitative Determination	Fire Debris	Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry

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Discipline: Firearms and Toolmarks		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Distance Determination	Firearm Physical Item	Chemical General Microscopy Measuring Equipment
Function Evaluation	Firearm	Dead Weight Measuring Equipment Visual
Physical Comparison	Ammunition Tool/Toolmark	General Microscopy Visual
Qualitative Determination	Ammunition Firearm Nitrate Tool	Chemical General Microscopy Reference Collection

Discipline: Impressions		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Enhancement	Footwear Physical Item Tire	Chemical Physical Software Program
Physical Comparison	Footwear Physical Item Tire	Software Program Visual

Discipline: Materials (Trace)		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Chemical/Physical Comparison	Coating Fiber/Textile General Unknown Glass Hair Tape	Gas Chromatography General Microscopy Infrared Spectroscopy Mass Spectrometry Microspectrophotometry Raman Spectroscopy Scanning Electron Microscopy Visual
Qualitative Determination	Coating Fiber/Textile General Unknown Glass Gunshot Residue Hair Tape	Energy Dispersive Spectroscopy Gas Chromatography General Microscopy Infrared Spectroscopy Mass Spectrometry Microspectrophotometry Raman Spectroscopy Scanning Electron Microscopy Visual

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Discipline: Scene Investigation		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Field Sampling	Physical Item	Not Applicable
Enhancement	Physical Item	Chemical Physical Software Program
Qualitative Determination	Body Fluid Metal	Chemical
Trajectory Determination	Inspection/Test Result Physical Item	Imaging

Discipline: Seized Drugs		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Qualitative Determination	Botanical Liquid Solid	Chemical Gas Chromatography General Microscopy Infrared Spectroscopy Mass Spectrometry Visual
Weight Measurement	Botanical Solid	Balance

Discipline: Toxicology		
Component/Parameter	Item	Key Equipment/Technology
Qualitative Determination	Ante-Mortem Biological Item Post-Mortem Biological Item	Gas Chromatography Liquid Chromatography Mass Spectrometry
Qualitative Determination (Volatiles)	Ante-Mortem Biological Item Post-Mortem Biological Item	Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry
Quantitative Measurement	Ante-Mortem Biological Item Post-Mortem Biological Item	Liquid Chromatography Mass Spectrometry
Quantitative Measurement (Volatiles)	Ante-Mortem Biological Item Post-Mortem Biological Item	Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry



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