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Memo To:

All Agencies

From:

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Date:

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Subject:

State Crime Laboratory No Longer Testing Personal Samples

The State Crime Laboratory may only conduct toxicological and chemical testing analysis of blood, urine or biological samples for law enforcement agencies, the medical examiner and county coroners for investigative purposes; therefore, the Toxicology Laboratory will not accept personal blood or urine samples for analysis. In addition, Toxicology Laboratory sample collection kits may only be used for law enforcement or investigative purposes and may not be used by hospitals or clinics to submit personal blood samples.