

VENDOR LABS

1. What have been the biggest challenges in working with federal grants?

- Timeliness of awards
- Flexibility to change purpose
- Grant audit and reporting requirements
- Inability to use grants for non-violent cases
- Communications with federal agency offices
- Other

2. Please provide numbers of the following types of cases submitted to the crime laboratory.

	NO SUSPECT MURDER	KNOWN SUSPECT MURDER	NO SUSPECT SEX ASSAULT	KNOWN SUSPECT SEX ASSAULT	PROPERTY CRIME	OTHER VIOLENT	OTHER NON VIOLENT
2003							
2004							
2005							
2006							

3. Please provide number of offender samples analyzed each year, and if known, the percentage for each year attributable to federal money vs. state money.

	NUMBER	% THROUGH FEDERAL FUNDS	%THROUGH STATE FUNDS
2003			
2004			
2005			

4. From the time a standard rape kit request arrives at your laboratory, how long does it take for the sample to be analyzed and returned to the client laboratory? (Assume vaginal swab with one perpetrator, one victim)

Days: _____

5. From the time an offender DNA sample arrives at your laboratory, how long does it take for the sample to be analyzed and returned to the client laboratory?

Days: _____

6. Please provide a per sample estimate of the following costs for processing offender samples.

- Collection kit _____
- Equipment _____
- Reagents _____
- Salaries _____
- Storage _____
- Other overhead costs _____

Other _____
TOTAL _____

7. Please provide a per sample estimate of the following costs for processing a no-suspect rape kit sample. (Assume vaginal swab with one perpetrator, one victim)

Collection kit _____
Equipment _____
Reagents _____
Salaries _____
Storage _____
Other overhead costs _____
Other _____
TOTAL _____

8. Of the forensic casework received by your laboratory, please provide percentages on amounts submitted by federal laboratories, state laboratories, local laboratories, law enforcement agencies (without local crime laboratories) and prosecutors (without local crime laboratories).

___ % Federal Laboratory ___ % Local Laboratory ___ % Prosecutor (no local lab)
___ % State Laboratory ___ % Law Enforcement (no local lab)