



Contracted Services Policy

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Purpose: To establish guidelines on what services our office will contract with accredited agencies to provide.


Justification: Services that our office isn't qualified to complete or have the resources available to provide, need to be contracted to agencies that have the appropriate accreditation and resources available.

Policy:

1. This office currently contracts with Montgomery County Coroner's Office, a NAME certified agency to provide the following:
 - a. Forensic Autopsies
 - b. Forensic Toxicology
 - c. Long Term Body Storage
 - d. Forensic Odontology
 - e. Forensic Serology
 - f. Forensic Anthropology
 - g. Radiology
 - h. Histology
 - i. Other forensic specialties as needed including but not limited to: botany, neuropathology, entomology.
2. This office also contracts with AXIS Forensic Toxicology for forensic toxicology.
3. With all requests for the above services, we require a written and complete report in a timely manner that meets or exceeds requirements set forth by their respective accreditation agency.
4. We require photography documentation when appropriate.

5. Our office maintains jurisdiction on all cases when the above contracted services are requested.

This policy has been approved and is effect until further notice:



John A. Gabis, M.D., Coroner

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Date

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