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Dear Criminal Justice Agencies,

Due to the current COVID-19 outbreak, the DPS Crime Laboratory Service will alter the evidence receiving process. Effective March 23, 2020, the DPS Regional Crime Laboratories will be closed for in-person evidence submission. Evidence can be submitted via the U.S. mail, commercial courier, or by delivering the evidence to our dropbox locations. Please note that not all of the DPS laboratory locations have the dropbox option.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact your local laboratory manager or email DPSLabServices@dps.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

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