



TENNESSEE BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Forensic Services Division

Evidence Unit Standard Operating Procedures Manual

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1. Laboratory Unit descriptions for marking evidence:

<u>Lab Unit</u>	<u>Description</u>
Forensic Chemistry	Drugs
Forensic Biology	FB
Latent Prints	LP
Firearms	FA
Microanalysis	Micro
Toxicology	Tox
Multi-section	MS

2. Cases involving blood evidence for Toxicology and evidence for only one other unit of the laboratory will be marked as a single section case. The toxicology evidence will be processed according to Blood Alcohol/Toxicology procedure. The evidence that is to be worked by another unit will be marked with a **single section description**, because that evidence will likely be returned to the submitting agency.
3. The laboratory unit, laboratory number, date the evidence is received, and the initials of the Forensic Technician receiving the evidence will be written on all items submitted to the laboratory even if there are some items that may not be examined.