



Child Identification Kit

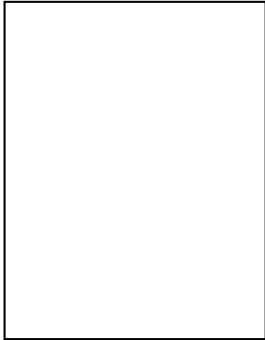
PHOTO

Please complete the DNA evidence gathering in the comfort of your home. This will ensure you have a good sample and allow the necessary time for drying in a sterile-type environment.

- Take the Q-Tip and rub firmly, but gently on the inside of the child's cheek. The idea is to collect cells, not saliva.
- Take the Q-Tip and place it upright in a container (The idea is to let the air circulate around the Q-Tip until it is completely dry. One method is to invert a paper cup and stick the non-swabbed end through the end of the cup).
- Do NOT touch the Q-Tip!
- Let the Q-Tip dry for 24 hours.
- The DNA sample does not need to be redone as long as it is kept completely dry.
- Remove the Q-Tip from the container and place in a paper envelope. Place that envelope and this sheet into a plastic freezer or storage bag.
- **Safe places for storage of the bag include a fireproof box or the freezer compartment of the refrigerator. (Do not place in a safe deposit box at a bank or other facility, as the goal is easy accessibility).**

*Tape a
wallet size
(2" x 3")
photo here
and update as
recommended
below*

THUMB PRINT



Press the child's right thumb to an ink-pad and then press firmly inside the square above

PHOTO RECOMMENDATION: Children under the age of one year should be photographed every 2 months. After the first year and until the age of 7, a photograph should be taken every six months. Seven years until age 18, a yearly photograph is suggested. **Updated photos may be placed inside a plastic storage bag with this sheet and the DNA swab.**

Child's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Age when photo was taken: _____

Height: _____ Weight: _____

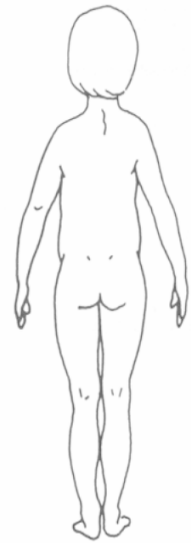
Hair color: _____ Eye Color: _____

Please use the figures to the right and the spaces below to record the location and type of any distinguishing birthmarks, moles, scars, previously broken bones and prosthetics.

Front	Back
1 _____	1 _____
2 _____	2 _____
3 _____	3 _____
4 _____	4 _____



FRONT



BACK