



May 3, 2026

Dennis C Hilliard
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Dear Director Hilliard,

Congratulations! On April 23, 2026, ANAB made the decision to maintain your organization's accreditation in the Field of Forensic Testing. ANAB is satisfied that your organization meets or exceeds accreditation requirements, including the requirements of your own documented management system.

The report and an electronic version of updated accreditation documents are included with this letter.

The provided ANAB accreditation symbols ([Forensic Testing](#)) may be used to convey your accredited status. An accreditation symbol must not be used in any way which implies accreditation in any area outside of the scope of accreditation. If appropriate, the accreditation symbol may be used on your organization's website, reports, letterhead, business cards, and other official documents. Please refer to [PR 1018 Policy on Use of ANAB Accreditation Symbols and Claims of Accreditation Status](#) for all required information. This policy also provides information on your ability to use a combined mark that contains the ANAB accreditation symbol and the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) mark.

The next assessment activity is a Surveillance Assessment with Witnessing scheduled for March 2027.

Thank you for your ongoing commitment to quality and the accreditation process. On behalf of ANAB, I extend my sincere congratulations to you. If you have any questions or if ANAB might assist you in any way, please feel free to get in touch with us at qualitymatters@anab.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nita Bolz', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Nita Bolz
Senior Manager of Accreditation
ANSI National Accreditation Board

cc: Amy Duhaime, Quality Manager
ANAB Office