

Rules by Recommended Committee Assignments

	Promulgated Date	Effective Date	Filed w/ SOS Date	Last Revision Date
Judiciary Committees				
State Crime Laboratory				
Enforce				
Collection of DNA Samples: Juli's Law				ID#: 53
Statutory Authority: Act 974 of 2009	09/17/2010	11/05/2010	03/03/2011	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Required under State or Federal Law: Act 974 of 2009 codified at Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1001, et. seq				
Requirement Statement: Act 974 of 2009 provides for the collection of DNA samples following an arrest or a criminal charge for certain offenses; to establish procedures for the collection, maintenance, and dissemination of DNA samples submitted following an arrest or a criminal charge; and for other purposes. Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1017 provides that the State Crime Laboratory shall promulgate rules governing the procedures to be used in the submission, identification, analysis, storage, and disposition of DNA samples and typing results of DNA samples submitted under this subchapter pursuant to Act 974 of 2009.				
Enforce: This Rule needs to continue pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1017 as it governs the submission, identification, analysis, storage and disposition of DNA samples.				
Link to Rule Document: http://arr.blr.arkansas.gov/Portals/0/Rules/ARR/Entities/174/Rules/53/Final/Juli's Law Rules.pdf				
Rules and Procedures for the Collection of DNA Samples as Required by Act 737 of 1997				ID#: 52
Statutory Authority: Act 737 of 1997	10/01/1997	10/10/1997	10/03/1997	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Required under State or Federal Law: Act 737 of 1997 codified at Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1104				
Requirement Statement: Act 747 of 1997 declares that DNA data banks are an important tool in criminal investigations, in the exclusion of individuals who are the subject of criminal investigations or prosecutions, and in deterring and detecting recidivist act. Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1104 provides that the promulgate rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of the subchapter set forth by Act 737 of 1997.				
Enforce: There should be continued enforcement of this rule pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 12-12-1104 as it dictates the manner in which the State DNA data bank is maintained and operated.				
Link to Rule Document: http://arr.blr.arkansas.gov/Portals/0/Rules/ARR/Entities/174/Rules/52/Final/DNA Rules of 1997.pdf				
Rules and Procedures for the Collection, Maintenance, and Preservation of Fetal Tissue				ID#: 54
Statutory Authority: Act 725 of 2013	05/19/2014	08/10/2014	09/29/2014	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Required under State or Federal Law: Act 725 of 2013 codified at Ark. Code Ann. 12-18-101, et. seq				
Requirement Statement: Act 725 of 2013 provides for the important and compelling state interest of protecting children from sexually predatory adults and protecting and respecting the right of parents/guardians to be involved in the medical decisions and treatment of their children and preventing anyone from knowingly or willfully subverting or circumventing these rights. Ark. Code Ann. 12-18-108 provides that the State Crime Laboratory shall adopt rules prescribing the maintenance of forensic samples from abortions performed on a child consistent with Act 725 of 2013.				
Enforce: This rule should be continued pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 12-18-105 as it dictates the maintenance of forensic samples resulting from abortions performed on minors as prescribed for in Act 725 of 2013.				
Link to Rule Document: http://arr.blr.arkansas.gov/Portals/0/Rules/ARR/Entities/174/Rules/54/Final/Fetal Tissue Collection 2013.pdf				