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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1739 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend House Bill 1739 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following: 3 "Section 3. The Sexual Assault Survivors 4 Emergency 5 Treatment Act is amended by changing Sections 5 and 5-1 as 6 follows: 7 (410 ILCS 70/5) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 87-5) Sec. 5. Minimum requirements for medical forensic services 8 provided to sexual assault survivors by hospitals and approved 9 10 pediatric health care facilities. 11 (a) Every hospital and approved pediatric health care 12 facility providing medical forensic services to sexual assault

survivors under this Act shall, as minimum requirements for

such services, provide, with the consent of the sexual assault

survivor, and as ordered by the attending physician, an

advanced practice registered nurse, or a physician assistant,

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- 1 the services set forth in subsection (a-5).
- 2 Beginning January 1, 2022, a qualified medical provider 3 must provide the services set forth in subsection (a-5).
 - (a-5) A treatment hospital, a treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer, or an approved pediatric health care facility shall provide the following services in accordance with subsection (a):
 - (1) Appropriate medical forensic services without delay, in a private, age-appropriate or developmentally-appropriate space, required to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of a sexual assault survivor and which may be used as evidence in a criminal proceeding against a person accused of the sexual assault, in a proceeding under the Juvenile Court Act of 1987, or in an investigation under the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act.

Records of medical forensic services, including results of examinations and tests, the Illinois State Police Medical Forensic Documentation Forms, the Illinois State Police Patient Discharge Materials, and the Illinois State Police Patient Consent: Collect and Test Evidence or Collect and Hold Evidence Form, shall be maintained by the hospital or approved pediatric health care facility as part of the patient's electronic medical record.

Records of medical forensic services of sexual assault survivors under the age of 18 shall be retained by the

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hospital for a period of 60 years after the sexual assault survivor reaches the age of 18. Records of medical forensic services of sexual assault survivors 18 years of age or older shall be retained by the hospital for a period of 20 years after the date the record was created.

Records of medical forensic services may only be disseminated in accordance with Section 6.5 of this Act and other State and federal law.

- (1.5) An offer to complete the Illinois Sexual Assault Evidence Collection Kit for any sexual assault survivor who presents within a minimum of the last 7 days of the assault or who has disclosed past sexual assault by a specific individual and was in the care of that individual within a minimum of the last 7 days.
 - Appropriate oral and written information guidelines concerning evidence-based for appropriateness of evidence collection depending on the sexual development of the sexual assault survivor, the type of sexual assault, and the timing of the sexual assault shall be provided to the sexual assault survivor. Evidence collection is encouraged for prepubescent sexual assault survivors who present to a hospital or approved pediatric health care facility with a complaint of sexual assault within a minimum of 96 hours after the sexual assault.

Before January 1, 2022, the information required

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under this subparagraph shall be provided in person by health care professional providing medical t.he forensic services directly to the sexual assault survivor.

On and after January 1, 2022, the information required under this subparagraph shall be provided in person by the qualified medical provider providing medical forensic services directly to the sexual assault survivor.

The written information provided shall be the information created in accordance with Section 10 of this Act.

- Following the discussion regarding (B) evidence-based guidelines for evidence collection in accordance with subparagraph (A), evidence collection must be completed at the sexual assault survivor's request. A sexual assault nurse examiner conducting an examination using the Illinois State Police Sexual Assault Evidence Collection Kit may do so without the presence or participation of a physician.
- (2) Appropriate oral and written information concerning the possibility of infection, transmitted infection, including an evaluation of the sexual assault survivor's risk of contracting human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) from sexual assault, and pregnancy resulting from sexual assault.

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- (3) Appropriate oral and written information concerning accepted medical procedures, laboratory tests, medication, and possible contraindications of such medication available for the prevention or treatment of infection or disease resulting from sexual assault.
- (3.5) After a medical evidentiary or physical examination, access to a shower at no cost, unless showering facilities are unavailable.
- (4) An amount of medication, including HIV prophylaxis, for treatment at the hospital or approved pediatric health care facility and after discharge as is deemed appropriate by the attending physician, an advanced practice registered nurse, or a physician assistant in accordance with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines and consistent with the hospital's or approved pediatric health care facility's current approved protocol for sexual assault survivors.
- (5) Photo documentation of the sexual assault survivor's injuries, anatomy involved in the assault, or other visible evidence on the sexual assault survivor's body to supplement the medical forensic history and written documentation of physical findings and evidence beginning July 1, 2019. Photo documentation does not replace written documentation of the injury.
- (6) Written and oral instructions indicating the need for follow-up examinations and laboratory tests after the

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sexual assault to determine the presence or absence of sexually transmitted infection.

- (7) Referral by hospital or approved pediatric health care facility personnel for appropriate counseling.
- (8) Medical advocacy services provided by a rape crisis counselor whose communications are protected under Section 8-802.1 of the Code of Civil Procedure, if there is a memorandum of understanding between the hospital or approved pediatric health care facility and a rape crisis center. With the consent of the sexual assault survivor, a rape crisis counselor shall remain in the exam room during the medical forensic examination.
- (9) Written information regarding services provided by a Children's Advocacy Center and rape crisis center, if applicable.
- (10) A treatment hospital, a treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer, an out-of-state hospital as defined in Section 5.4, or an approved pediatric health care facility shall comply with the rules relating to the collection and tracking of sexual assault evidence adopted by the Department of State Police under Section 50 of the Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act.

(11) Written information regarding the Illinois State Police sexual assault evidence tracking system.

(a-7) By January 1, 2022, every hospital with a treatment plan approved by the Department shall employ or contract with

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- a qualified medical provider to initiate medical forensic services to a sexual assault survivor within 90 minutes of the patient presenting to the treatment hospital or treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer. The provision of medical forensic services by a qualified medical provider shall not delay the provision of life-saving medical care.
 - (b) Any person who is a sexual assault survivor who seeks medical forensic services or follow-up healthcare under this Act shall be provided such services without the consent of any parent, guardian, custodian, surrogate, or agent. If a sexual assault survivor is unable to consent to medical forensic services, the services may be provided under the Consent by Minors to Medical Procedures Act, the Health Care Surrogate Act, or other applicable State and federal laws.
 - (b-5) Every hospital or approved pediatric health care facility providing medical forensic services to sexual assault survivors shall issue a voucher to any sexual assault survivor who is eligible to receive one in accordance with Section 5.2 of this Act. The hospital shall make a copy of the voucher and place it in the medical record of the sexual assault survivor. The hospital shall provide a copy of the voucher to the sexual assault survivor after discharge upon request.
 - (c) Nothing in this Section creates a physician-patient relationship that extends beyond discharge from the hospital or approved pediatric health care facility.
 - (d) This Section is effective on and after July 1, 2021.

- (Source: P.A. 100-513, eff. 1-1-18; 100-775, eff. 1-1-19; 1
- 100-1087, eff. 1-1-19; 101-81, eff. 7-12-19; 101-377, eff. 2
- 8-16-19; 101-634, eff. 6-5-20.) 3
- 4 (410 ILCS 70/5-1)
- (Section scheduled to be repealed on June 30, 2021) 5
- 5-1. Minimum requirements for medical forensic 6
- 7 services provided to sexual assault survivors by hospitals,
- 8 approved pediatric health care facilities, and approved
- 9 federally qualified health centers.
- 10 (a) Every hospital, approved pediatric health care
- facility, and approved federally qualified health center 11
- 12 providing medical forensic services to sexual assault
- 13 survivors under this Act shall, as minimum requirements for
- 14 such services, provide, with the consent of the sexual assault
- 15 survivor, and as ordered by the attending physician, an
- advanced practice registered nurse, or a physician assistant, 16
- the services set forth in subsection (a-5). 17
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- 19 must provide the services set forth in subsection (a-5).
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- 21 approved pediatric transfer, or an approved pediatric health
- 22 care facility, or an approved federally qualified health
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Before January 1, 2022, the information required under this subparagraph shall be provided in person by the health care professional providing medical forensic services directly to the sexual assault survivor.

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1 assault survivor.

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The written information provided shall be the information created in accordance with Section 10-1 of this Act.

- (B) Following the discussion regarding the evidence-based guidelines for evidence collection in accordance with subparagraph (A), evidence collection must be completed at the sexual assault survivor's request. A sexual assault nurse examiner conducting an examination using the Illinois State Police Sexual Assault Evidence Collection Kit may do so without the presence or participation of a physician.
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approved pediatric health care facility and a rape crisis center. With the consent of the sexual assault survivor, a rape crisis counselor shall remain in the exam room during the medical forensic examination.

- (9) Written information regarding services provided by a Children's Advocacy Center and rape crisis center, if applicable.
- (10) A treatment hospital, a treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer, an out-of-state hospital as defined in Section 5.4, or an approved pediatric health care facility shall comply with the rules relating to the collection and tracking of sexual assault evidence adopted by the Department of State Police under Section 50 of the Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act.

(11) Written information regarding the Illinois State Police sexual assault evidence tracking system.

- (a-7) By January 1, 2022, every hospital with a treatment plan approved by the Department shall employ or contract with a qualified medical provider to initiate medical forensic services to a sexual assault survivor within 90 minutes of the patient presenting to the treatment hospital or treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer. The provision of medical forensic services by a qualified medical provider shall not delay the provision of life-saving medical care.
- (b) Any person who is a sexual assault survivor who seeks medical forensic services or follow-up healthcare under this

- 1 Act shall be provided such services without the consent of any
- parent, quardian, custodian, surrogate, or agent. If a sexual 2
- assault survivor is unable to consent to medical forensic 3
- 4 services, the services may be provided under the Consent by
- 5 Minors to Medical Procedures Act, the Health Care Surrogate
- Act, or other applicable State and federal laws. 6
- 7 (b-5) Every hospital, approved pediatric health care
- facility, or approved federally qualified health center 8
- 9 providing medical forensic services to sexual assault
- 10 survivors shall issue a voucher to any sexual assault survivor
- 11 who is eligible to receive one in accordance with Section
- 5.2-1 of this Act. The hospital, approved pediatric health 12
- 13 care facility, or approved federally qualified health center
- 14 shall make a copy of the voucher and place it in the medical
- 15 record of the sexual assault survivor. The hospital, approved
- 16 pediatric health care facility, or approved federally
- qualified health center shall provide a copy of the voucher to 17
- 18 the sexual assault survivor after discharge upon request.
- 19 (c) Nothing in this Section creates a physician-patient
- 20 relationship that extends beyond discharge from the hospital,
- 2.1 or approved pediatric health care facility, or approved
- 22 federally qualified health center.
- 23 (d) This Section is repealed on June 30, 2021.
- 24 (Source: P.A. 101-634, eff. 6-5-20.)
- 25 Section 5. The Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act is

amended by changing Section 50 as follows:

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Sec. 50. Sexual assault evidence tracking system.

- (a) On June 26, 2018, the Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking and Reporting Commission issued its report as required under Section 43. It is the intention of the General Assembly in enacting the provisions of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly to implement the recommendations of the Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking and Reporting Commission set forth in that report in a manner that utilizes the current resources of law enforcement agencies whenever possible and that is adaptable to changing technologies and circumstances.
- (a-1) Due to the complex nature of a statewide tracking system for sexual assault evidence and to ensure all stakeholders, including, but not limited to, victims and their designees, health care facilities, law enforcement agencies, forensic labs, and State's Attorneys offices are integrated, the Commission recommended the purchase of an electronic off-the-shelf tracking system. The system must be able to communicate with all stakeholders and provide real-time information to a victim or his or her designee on the status of the evidence that was collected. The sexual assault evidence tracking system must:
 - (1) be electronic and web-based;
- 25 (2) be administered by the Department of State Police;

1	(3) have help desk availability at all times;
2	(4) ensure the law enforcement agency contact
3	information is accessible to the victim or his or her
4	designee through the tracking system, so there is contact
5	information for questions;
6	(5) have the option for external connectivity to
7	evidence management systems, laboratory information
8	management systems, or other electronic data systems
9	already in existence by any of the stakeholders to
10	minimize additional burdens or tasks on stakeholders;
11	(6) allow for the victim to opt in for automatic
12	notifications when status updates are entered in the
13	system, if the system allows;
14	(7) include at each step in the process, a brief
15	explanation of the general purpose of that step and a
16	general indication of how long the step may take to
17	complete;
18	(8) contain minimum fields for tracking and reporting,
19	as follows:
20	(A) for sexual assault evidence kit vendor fields:
21	(i) each sexual evidence kit identification
22	number provided to each health care facility; and
23	(ii) the date the sexual evidence kit was sent
24	to the health care facility.
25	(B) for health care facility fields:

(i) the date sexual assault evidence was

1	collected; and
2	(ii) the date notification was made to the law
3	enforcement agency that the sexual assault
4	evidence was collected.
5	(C) for law enforcement agency fields:
6	(i) the date the law enforcement agency took
7	possession of the sexual assault evidence from the
8	health care facility, another law enforcement
9	agency, or victim if he or she did not go through a
10	health care facility;
11	(ii) the law enforcement agency complaint
12	number;
13	(iii) if the law enforcement agency that takes
14	possession of the sexual assault evidence from a
15	health care facility is not the law enforcement
16	agency with jurisdiction in which the offense
17	occurred, the date when the law enforcement agency
18	notified the law enforcement agency having
19	jurisdiction that the agency has sexual assault
20	evidence required under subsection (c) of Section
21	20 of the Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act;
22	(iv) an indication if the victim consented for
23	analysis of the sexual assault evidence;
24	(v) if the victim did not consent for analysis
25	of the sexual assault evidence, the date on which
26	the law enforcement agency is no longer required

1	to store the sexual assault evidence;
2	(vi) a mechanism for the law enforcement
3	agency to document why the sexual assault evidence
4	was not submitted to the laboratory for analysis,
5	if applicable;
6	(vii) the date the law enforcement agency
7	received the sexual assault evidence results back
8	from the laboratory;
9	(viii) the date statutory notifications were
10	made to the victim or documentation of why
11	notification was not made; and
12	(ix) the date the law enforcement agency
13	turned over the case information to the State's
14	Attorney office, if applicable.
15	(D) for forensic lab fields:
16	(i) the date the sexual assault evidence is
17	received from the law enforcement agency by the
18	forensic lab for analysis;
19	(ii) the laboratory case number, visible to
20	the law enforcement agency and State's Attorney
21	office; and
22	(iii) the date the laboratory completes the
23	analysis of the sexual assault evidence.
24	(E) for State's Attorney office fields:
25	(i) the date the State's Attorney office
26	received the sexual assault evidence results from

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1	the	laboratory,	if	applicable;	and

2 (ii) the disposition or status of the case.

- (a-2) The Commission also developed guidelines for secure electronic access to a tracking system for a victim, or his or her designee to access information on the status of the evidence collected. The Commission recommended minimum guidelines in order to safeguard confidentiality of the information contained within this statewide tracking system. These recommendations are that the sexual assault evidence tracking system must:
 - (1) allow for secure access, controlled by an administering body who can restrict user access and allow different permissions based on the need of that particular user and health care facility users may include out-of-state border hospitals, if authorized by the Department of State Police to obtain this State's kits from vendor;
 - (2) provide for users, other than victims, the ability to provide for any individual who is granted access to the program their own unique user ID and password;
 - (3) provide for a mechanism for a victim to enter the system and only access his or her own information;
 - (4) enable a sexual assault evidence to be tracked and identified through the unique sexual assault evidence kit identification number or barcode that the vendor applies to each sexual assault evidence kit per the Department of

State Police's contract;

2	(5) have a mechanism to inventory unused kits provided
3	to a health care facility from the vendor;
4	(6) provide users the option to either scan the bar
5	code or manually enter the sexual assault evidence kit
6	number into the tracking program;
7	(7) provide a mechanism to create a separate unique
8	identification number for cases in which a sexual evidence
9	kit was not collected, but other evidence was collected;
10	(8) provide the ability to record date, time, and user
11	ID whenever any user accesses the system;
12	(9) provide for real-time entry and update of data;
13	(10) contain report functions including:
14	(A) health care facility compliance with
15	applicable laws;
16	(B) law enforcement agency compliance with
17	applicable laws;
18	(C) law enforcement agency annual inventory of
19	cases to each State's Attorney office; and
20	(D) forensic lab compliance with applicable laws;
21	and
22	(11) provide automatic notifications to the law
23	enforcement agency when:
24	(A) a health care facility has collected sexual
25	assault evidence;
26	(B) unreleased sexual assault evidence that is

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1 being stored by the law enforcement agency has met the minimum storage requirement by law; and 2

- (C) timelines as required by law are not met for a particular case, if not otherwise documented.
- (b) The Department may shall develop rules to implement a sexual assault evidence tracking system that conforms with subsections (a-1) and (a-2) of this Section. The Department shall design the criteria for the sexual assault evidence tracking system so that, to the extent reasonably possible, the system can use existing technologies and products, including, but not limited to, currently available tracking systems. The sexual assault evidence tracking system shall be operational and shall begin tracking and reporting sexual assault evidence no later than one year after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly. The Department may adopt additional rules as it deems necessary to ensure that the sexual assault evidence tracking system continues to be a useful tool for law enforcement.
- (c) A treatment hospital, a treatment hospital with approved pediatric transfer, an out-of-state hospital approved by the Department of Public Health to receive transfers of Illinois sexual assault survivors, or an approved pediatric health care facility defined in Section 1a of the Sexual Assault Survivors Emergency Treatment Act shall participate in the sexual assault evidence tracking system created under this Section and in accordance with rules adopted under subsection

- 1 (b), including, but not limited to, the collection of sexual
- 2 assault evidence and providing information regarding that
- 3 evidence, including, but not limited to, providing notice to
- 4 law enforcement that the evidence has been collected.
- 5 (d) The operations of the sexual assault evidence tracking
- 6 system shall be funded by moneys appropriated for that purpose
- 7 from the State Crime Laboratory Fund and funds provided to the
- 8 Department through asset forfeiture, together with such other
- 9 funds as the General Assembly may appropriate.
- 10 (e) To ensure that the sexual assault evidence tracking
- 11 system is operational, the Department may adopt emergency
- 12 rules to implement the provisions of this Section under
- 13 subsection (ff) of Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative
- 14 Procedure Act.
- 15 (f) Information, including, but not limited to, evidence
- and records in the sexual assault evidence tracking system is
- 17 exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 101-377, eff. 8-16-19.)
- 19 Section 10. The Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act is
- amended by changing Sections 25 and 35 and by adding Section 11
- 21 as follows:
- 22 (725 ILCS 203/11 new)
- Sec. 11. Victim notification. When evidence is collected
- from a sexual assault survivor, the health care provider or

1 law enforcement officer who collects the evidence must notify

- 2 a victim about the tracking system.
- 3 (725 ILCS 203/25)

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- Sec. 25. Report; victim notice.
- (a) At the time of first contact with the victim, law 5 enforcement shall: 6
 - (1) Advise the victim about the following by providing a form, the contents of which shall be prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and posted on its website, written in a language appropriate for the victim or in Braille, or communicating in appropriate sign language that includes, but is not limited to:
 - (A) information about seeking medical attention and preserving evidence, including specifically, collection of evidence during a medical forensic examination at a hospital and photographs of injury and clothing;
 - (B) notice that the victim will not be charged for hospital emergency and medical forensic services;
 - (C) information advising the victim that evidence can be collected at the hospital up to 7 days after the sexual assault or sexual abuse but that the longer the victim waits the likelihood of obtaining evidence decreases;
- 25 (C-5) notice that the sexual assault forensic

25 medical services.

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1	evidence collected will not be used to prosecute the
2	victim for any offense related to the use of alcohol,
3	cannabis, or a controlled substance;
4	(D) the location of nearby hospitals that provide
5	emergency medical and forensic services and, if known,
6	whether the hospitals employ any sexual assault nurse
7	examiners;
8	(E) a summary of the procedures and relief
9	available to victims of sexual assault or sexual abuse
10	under the Civil No Contact Order Act or the Illinois
11	Domestic Violence Act of 1986;
12	(F) the law enforcement officer's name and badge
13	number;
14	(G) at least one referral to an accessible service
15	agency and information advising the victim that rape
16	crisis centers can assist with obtaining civil no
17	contact orders and orders of protection; and
18	(H) if the sexual assault or sexual abuse occurred
19	in another jurisdiction, provide in writing the
20	address and phone number of a specific contact at the
21	law enforcement agency having jurisdiction.
22	(2) Offer to provide or arrange accessible
23	transportation for the victim to a hospital for emergency
24	and forensic services, including contacting emergency

(2.5) Notify victims about the Illinois State Police

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- (3) Offer to provide or arrange accessible transportation for the victim to the nearest available circuit judge or associate judge so the victim may file a petition for an emergency civil no contact order under the Civil No Contact Order Act or an order of protection under the Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986 after the close of court business hours, if a judge is available.
- (b) At the time of the initial contact with a person making a third-party report under Section 22 of this Act, a law enforcement officer shall provide the written information prescribed under paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of this Section to the person making the report and request the person provide the written information to the victim of the sexual assault or sexual abuse.
- 16 (c) If the first contact with the victim occurs at a
 17 hospital, a law enforcement officer may request the hospital
 18 provide interpretive services.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 99-801, eff. 1-1-17; 100-1087, eff. 1-1-19.)
- 20 (725 ILCS 203/35)
- 21 Sec. 35. Release of information.
- 22 (a) Upon the request of the victim who has consented to the 23 release of sexual assault evidence for testing, the law 24 enforcement agency having jurisdiction shall <u>notify the victim</u> 25 about the Illinois State Police sexual assault evidence

designated laboratory;

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- (2) test results provided to the law enforcement agency by a Department of State Police forensic laboratory or designated laboratory, including, but not limited to:
 - (A) whether a DNA profile was obtained from the testing of the sexual assault evidence from the victim's case:
 - (B) whether the DNA profile developed from the sexual assault evidence has been searched against the DNA Index System or any state or federal DNA database;
 - whether an association was made to individual whose DNA profile is consistent with the sexual assault evidence DNA profile, provided that disclosure would not impede or compromise an ongoing investigation; and
 - (D) whether any drugs were detected in a urine or blood sample analyzed for drug facilitated sexual assault and information about any drugs detected.
- (b) The information listed in paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of this Section shall be provided to the victim within 7 days of the transfer of the evidence to the laboratory. The information listed in paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of this

- 1 Section shall be provided to the victim within 7 days of the
- 2 receipt of the information by the law enforcement agency
- 3 having jurisdiction.
- 4 (c) At the time the sexual assault evidence is released
- 5 for testing, the victim shall be provided written information
- by the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction or the 6
- hospital providing emergency services and forensic services to 7
- the victim informing him or her of the right to request 8
- 9 information under subsection (a) of this Section. A victim may
- 10 designate another person or agency to receive
- 11 information.
- (d) The victim or the victim's designee shall keep the law 12
- 13 enforcement agency having jurisdiction informed of the name,
- 14 address, telephone number, and email address of the person to
- 15 whom the information should be provided, and any changes of
- 16 the name, address, telephone number, and email address, if an
- email address is available. 17
- (Source: P.A. 99-801, eff. 1-1-17.) 18
- 19 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- becoming law.". 20