



NCJA Center for  
**Forensic DNA**  
Policy & Practice

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**David Rausch**

*Director, Tennessee Bureau of  
Investigation & Current President  
of the IACP*

*Opening Remarks – DNA  
perspectives from law enforcement  
leadership.*



**Mike Garvey**

*Executive Director, Forensic  
Services, Philadelphia Police  
Department*

*Driving forensic DNA solutions and  
change in our crime labs to meet  
public safety demand.*



**Debbie Smith**

*Advocate, Debbie Smith Act  
Perspectives on nearly \$2 billion  
directed to crime labs and law  
enforcement to build the national  
DNA program.*



**Chris Asplen**

*Executive Director, NCJA  
Overview of the DNA Center and the  
roadmap to accomplish its mission.*

Series kickoff | Session 1 of 6

# National Forensic DNA Webinar

11/4/2026 • 12PM–1:15PM ET

The National Criminal Justice Association introduces its new Center for Forensic DNA and the nationwide impact it aims to achieve on criminal investigations and public safety – a must for law enforcement, crime labs, and prosecutors using DNA to solve crime and exonerate the innocent.

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