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Bexar County Criminal Investigation Laboratory Participates in National Forensic Science Week

The award-winning and nationally recognized Bexar County Criminal Investigation Laboratory will participate in National Forensic Science Week from September 19 to 25, 2021.

This will be the eighth annual National Forensic Science Week since its inception in 2013. According to the [National Forensic Science Week website](#), "The concept of a national Forensic Science Week was raised during a meeting of forensic leaders (...) as a way to recognize and advance quality forensic science."

Leadership of the Bexar County Crime Lab, a division of the Bexar County Office of Criminal Justice, recently received the prestigious [2021 Foresight Maximus Award](#) and wanted to contribute by bringing forensic science closer to Bexar County residents. Crime Laboratory Director Orin Dym said, "This is a great opportunity for us to not only highlight our strengths and capabilities, but to educate the public about the work our outstanding staff performs every day."

The 2021 National Forensic Science Week will offer a variety of ways to learn about and engage with the Bexar County Criminal Investigation Laboratory. There will be videos portraying scientists and the work they do, a virtual presentation for high school juniors and seniors in cooperation with Bexar County BiblioTech, as well as an opportunity to post questions for the lab's staff, which they will answer during a live Facebook video event on Friday, September 24, 2021.

For more detailed information, please monitor the [crime lab's website](#) and/or the Bexar County Facebook page and Twitter feed.

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