

MASSACHUSETTS STATE POLICE
CRIME LABORATORY

QUARTERLY REPORT
CALENDAR YEAR 2025 – QUARTER 4



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1. Reporting Requirements

Pursuant to Chapter 140 of the Acts of 2024 (hereinafter “Governor’s General Appropriation Act for FY2025”), line item 8100-1004, the Massachusetts State Police Crime Laboratory (MSPCL) is required to submit quarterly reports to the House and Senate Committees on Ways and Means that shall include, but not be limited to:

- i) the caseload of each lab;
- ii) all relevant information regarding turnaround time and backlogs by type of case; and
- iii) the accreditation status of each lab.

2. Caseload and Turnaround Time Metrics

The Massachusetts State Police Crime Laboratory (MSPCL) is a statewide service comprised of various sections that provide professional forensic services to the Commonwealth's criminal justice system. The MSPCL generates snapshot metrics regarding caseload, backlog and turnaround time for all sections of the MSPCL.

The MSPCL produces monthly reports that provide an overview of the work being performed in each unit, as follows:

- **Assigned (to section):** The number of case assignments that have been cleared for testing and are awaiting assignment to an analyst. This count is taken on the last day of the month.
- **Assigned (to analyst):** The number of case assignments assigned to an analyst with testing in progress. This count is taken on the last day of the month.
- **Completed Reports:** The number of case assignments completed in that month.
- **Turn Around Time (TAT) Section:** The average time, in days, from receipt of the case to completion of testing, calculated from all case assignments completed in that month.
- **Turn Around Time (TAT) Analyst:** The average time, in days, from assignment of the case to an analyst to completion of testing, calculated from all case assignments completed in that month.
- **Case Backlog:** The total work queue in the unit, comprised of all case assignments with testing in progress and case assignments awaiting testing, (including those "Assigned (to section)" and "Assigned (to analyst)"). This count is taken on the last day of the month.

Below, please find the reports for October, November, and December of 2025 to fulfill the required quarterly reporting.

a. Forensic Biology Sections

The Forensic Biology Sections of the MSPCL examine biological samples of forensic evidence and consists of the Trace/Arsons and Explosives Unit, the Criminalistics Unit, the DNA Unit, CODIS (or Combined DNA Index System), and the Crime Scene Response Unit. The Forensic Biology Section is also responsible for examining the sexual assault evidence collection kits (SAECKs) received at the MSPCL.

The Trace/Arson and Explosives Unit examines and compares many types of evidence to find possible sources of evidence. Trace analysis examination includes but is not limited to hairs, fibers, glass, polymers, physical match examinations, and restoration of serial numbers on firearms. The Criminalistics Unit may first examine these materials, and then forward them to the Trace/Arson and Explosives Unit.

Arson and explosives analysis includes identifying ignitable liquid evidence from a suspicious fire, identifying explosives or explosive residues from a bombing scene, reconstructing components of bombing devices, and testing samples for gunshot primer residues. State, local and federal authorities may recover these materials and submit them to the Trace/Arson and Explosives Unit for analysis.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY ARSON AND TRACE UNITS October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	33	45	40			138
Arson	28	37	31	144	27	83
Trace	5	8	9	160	56	56

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY ARSON AND TRACE UNITS November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	29	42	43			119
Arson	21	26	32	96	29	70
Trace	8	16	11	136	33	51

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY ARSON AND TRACE UNITS December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	44	47	51			104
Arson	24	38	35	74	25	55
Trace	20	9	16	63	37	50

The Criminalistics Section analyzes physical and biological evidence submitted to the MSPCL. They perform presumptive testing for the presence of blood, semen, saliva, urine, feces. They perform confirmatory testing for blood and semen. This Section also performs chemical testing for gunshot residues and distance determination.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIMINALISTICS UNIT* October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		*Case Backlog
TOTAL	404	365	351	144	13	1794
Maynard	178	144	150	164	15	963
Danvers	60	68	51	135	10	205
Springfield	86	93	86	110	12	240
Lakeville	80	60	64	150	13	400

* Case backlog includes sexual assault collection kit backlog.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIMINALISTICS UNIT* November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		*Case Backlog
TOTAL	311	366	345	142	11	1671
Maynard	150	161	159	153	12	911
Danvers	49	61	67	153	10	198
Springfield	53	73	66	92	8	211
Lakeville	59	71	53	150	11	365

* Case backlog includes sexual assault collection kit backlog.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIMINALISTICS UNIT* December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		*Case Backlog
TOTAL	340	321	321	124	13	1602
Maynard	141	168	147	154	13	871
Danvers	57	45	48	106	10	200
Springfield	61	68	73	77	14	186
Lakeville	81	40	53	120	11	359

* Case backlog includes sexual assault collection kit backlog.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY
SEXUAL ASSAULT COLLECTION KIT MONTHLY REVIEW*
October 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Kit Case Backlog
TOTAL	54	59	60	9	7	19
Maynard	26	23	22	8	6	9
Danvers	5	8	6	11	7	2
Springfield	7	13	18	10	7	3
Lakeville	16	15	14	8	7	5

* Includes sexual assault collection kits submitted under any case type.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY
SEXUAL ASSAULT COLLECTION KIT MONTHLY REVIEW*
November 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Kit Case Backlog
TOTAL	57	57	58	9	7	18
Maynard	25	26	29	8	6	5
Danvers	13	12	11	9	7	4
Springfield	7	7	8	9	7	2
Lakeville	12	12	10	10	8	7

* Includes sexual assault collection kits submitted under any case type.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY
SEXUAL ASSAULT COLLECTION KIT MONTHLY REVIEW*
December 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Kit Case Backlog
TOTAL	65	62	67	10	7	11
Maynard	26	23	22	8	6	5
Danvers	11	11	13	12	8	2
Springfield	13	12	12	11	8	3
Lakeville	15	16	20	10	8	1

* Includes sexual assault collection kits submitted under any case type.

The DNA Unit analyzes forensic samples associated with a criminal investigation. Samples may include blood, semen, saliva, and hairs. The Unit also processes known DNA samples from suspects and victims associated with the case. DNA profiles may be entered into the state and national DNA database (CODIS). They compare DNA profiles and forensic samples to potential suspects or victims to find biological matches. The DNA analysts perform statistical analysis, make written reports of their findings, and testify in court as necessary.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY DNA UNIT October 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	580	600	409			1,832
Database Unit	151	155	158	16	8	64
DNA	308	275	206	46	22	1139
DNA Sendout	99	95	22	17	17	276
External Review	22	75	23	165	24	398

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY DNA UNIT November 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	487	412	330			1,902
Database Unit	86	89	81	18	8	59
DNA	234	205	203	51	24	1163
DNA Sendout	60	59	35	44	44	290
External Review	107	59	11	183	12	430

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY DNA UNIT December 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	550	469	344			1,982
Database Unit	118	110	89	18	11	81
DNA	247	204	230	91	36	1142
DNA Sendout	63	64	17	21	21	326
External Review	122	91	8	216	55	472

CODIS (or Combined DNA Index System) is the state and national database for DNA samples. After an offender's identity and relevant criminal history is verified, the DNA Unit tests their DNA sample. The Unit then enters their profile into the state and national database.

CODIS HIT STATISTICS						
October 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
CODIS Hit Notifications	46	46	45	14	14	16
BOP Verification	23	23	25	5	5	4
Print Verification	23	23	19	6	6	4
DNA Verification	25	26	25	10	6	6

CODIS Collection Statistics			
	Month	Year to Date	TOTAL
TOTAL Forensic Profiles Uploaded	83	1,124	20,283
MSP Forensic Profiles	68	1,041	15,776
BPD Forensic Profiles	15	83	4,507
CO Collected	381	3,518	173,262
CO Uploaded (State)	262	3,820	171,252
CO Uploaded (National)	262	3,820	171,252

No

CODIS HIT STATISTICS						
November 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
CODIS Hit Notifications	33	33	26	15	15	21
BOP Verification	18	18	16	6	6	6
Print Verification	18	18	14	6	6	8
DNA Verification	18	19	15	12	8	7

CODIS Collection Statistics			
	Month	Year to Date	TOTAL
TOTAL Forensic Profiles Uploaded	63	1,183	20,332
MSP Forensic Profiles	40	1,077	15,802
BPD Forensic Profiles	23	106	4,530
CO Collected	336	3,816	173,560
CO Uploaded (State)	131	3,951	171,382
CO Uploaded (National)	131	3,951	171,382

CODIS HIT STATISTICS						
December 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
CODIS Hit Notifications	44	44	27	23	23	30
BOP Verification	18	18	24	7	7	0
Print Verification	18	18	26	8	8	0
DNA Verification	22	23	22	11	7	3

CODIS Collection Statistics			
	Month	Year to Date	TOTAL
TOTAL Forensic Profiles Uploaded	63	1,243	20,387
MSP Forensic Profiles	40	1,114	15,835
BPD Forensic Profiles	23	129	4,552
CO Collected	401	4,278	173,992
CO Uploaded (State)	278	4,228	171,658
CO Uploaded (National)	278	4,228	171,658

The Crime Scene Response Unit manages documenting and collecting of biological evidence from crime scenes. The types of crimes this unit works with includes homicides, armed robberies, sexual assaults, motor vehicle accidents, and breaking and entering.

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIME SCENE RESPONSE UNIT October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	35	35	51	21	21	25
Northern	16	16	21	24	24	13
Southern	7	7	18	24	24	6
Western	12	12	12	11	11	6

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIME SCENE RESPONSE UNIT November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	36	35	25	15	15	33
Northern	12	12	10	23	23	14
Southern	15	15	4	22	22	15
Western	9	8	11	8	8	4

FORENSIC BIOLOGY SECTION SUMMARY CRIME SCENE RESPONSE UNIT December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	39	40	34	22	22	37
Northern	19	20	19	23	23	15
Southern	12	12	6	38	38	20
Western	8	8	9	10	10	2

b. Forensic Chemistry Sections

The Forensic Chemistry sections examine evidence to identify criminal drug or alcohol use and consist of the Drug Identification Unit, the Toxicology and Postmortem Toxicology Units, and the Office of Alcohol Testing (OAT).

The Drug Identification Unit analyzes all substances seized by law enforcement. The laboratory identifies these materials to determine if they contain controlled or non-controlled substances. The most common substances identified at the drug laboratory include Marijuana, Cocaine, Heroin, Fentanyl, and Prescription drugs. The Drug Identification Unit may also respond to investigations of possible illegal drug labs. The Unit provides technical support to law enforcement in these investigations.

DRUG IDENTIFICATION UNIT						
October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	833	559	689	86	29	6,622
Sudbury	654	373	527	94	34	5,591
Springfield	179	186	162	61	13	1,031

DRUG IDENTIFICATION UNIT						
November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	568	505	510	81	22	6,441
Sudbury	433	371	376	93	25	5,426
Springfield	135	134	134	50	14	1,015

DRUG IDENTIFICATION UNIT						
December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	548	463	530	83	24	6,232
Sudbury	423	339	397	90	26	5,253
Springfield	125	124	133	60	19	979

The Toxicology Unit conducts testing of blood and urine samples for cases of drivers thought to be operating under the influence (OUI) and samples from individuals to detect evidence of drug use. The Postmortem Forensic Toxicology Laboratory tests samples received from the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner to detect evidence of drug use. These samples include blood, urine, vitreous humor, and postmortem tissue.

TOXICOLOGY UNIT						
October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	539	550	557			747
Toxicology	53	50	74	46	42	61
Toxicology (PMT)	466	479	465	49	47	679
Toxicology (*Serum/Retro)	20	21	18	12	4	7

*Serum/Retro refers to Serum Conversion/Retrograde Extrapolation assignments under Section: OAT in LIMS

TOXICOLOGY UNIT						
November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	467	475	465			740
Toxicology	60	50	39	37	34	80
Toxicology (PMT)	396	418	415	43	42	657
Toxicology (*Serum/Retro)	11	7	11	24	12	3

*Serum/Retro refers to Serum Conversion/Retrograde Extrapolation assignments under Section: OAT in LIMS

TOXICOLOGY UNIT						
December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	590	619	557			770
Toxicology	40	52	65	46	41	52
Toxicology (PMT)	544	561	486	43	42	717
Toxicology (*Serum/Retro)	6	6	6	28	5	1

*Serum/Retro refers to Serum Conversion/Retrograde Extrapolation assignments under Section: OAT in LIMS

The Office of Alcohol Testing (OAT) oversees the state breath test program. The office certifies all breath test instruments that the state uses, approves and distributes all control standards used with breath test instruments, and sets the standards for breath test training and certification for officers.

OFFICE OF ALCOHOL TESTING - MAYNARD CRIME LABORATORY October, November, December 2025		
BT COMPLETED CERTIFICATIONS	SIMULATORS VERIFIED	PBT ADJUSTMENT
98	0	259

c. Forensic Identification Sections

The Forensic Identification Section consists of the Firearms Identification Section and the Crime Scene Services Section.

The Firearms Identification Section examines evidence found at crime scenes related to firearms. This Section performs tests and identifies firearms and firearms-related evidence. Members of the unit respond to crime scenes to find out if a firearm played a role in a crime, examine and identify firearms evidence, show whether certain firearms are operable, and destroy firearms and ammunition as ordered by a court.

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	294	437	299	117	17	1358
Maynard	100	99	79	115	16	524
Danvers	39	75	43	157	41	189
Springfield	79	124	86	112	11	469
Lakeville	76	139	91	105	13	177

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	191	300	172	123	13	1377
Maynard	56	71	45	154	15	537
Danvers	21	46	20	171	19	189
Springfield	55	90	58	110	10	468
Lakeville	59	93	49	89	13	184

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	262	420	228	110	18	1383
Maynard	79	97	64	158	25	545
Danvers	41	68	56	107	21	169
Springfield	67	95	56	86	16	467
Lakeville	75	160	52	82	8	203

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION**CRIME SCENE RESPONSE**

October 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	26	26	28	8	8	12
Maynard	6	6	6	9	7	6
Danvers	5	5	9	14	14	4
Springfield	8	8	5	5	5	2
Lakeville	7	7	8	5	4	0

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION**CRIME SCENE RESPONSE**

November 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	46	46	20	4	4	36
Maynard	8	8	4	3	3	10
Danvers	12	12	2	10	10	14
Springfield	8	8	4	5	5	6
Lakeville	18	18	10	3	2	6

FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION SECTION**CRIME SCENE RESPONSE**

December 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	32	32	42	10	10	28
Maynard	9	9	8	4	4	11
Danvers	7	7	15	13	13	6
Springfield	7	7	9	12	12	4
Lakeville	9	9	10	9	8	7

The Crime Scene Services Section manages documenting and collecting evidence from crime scenes. This Section handles crime scene documentation, collection and processing of evidence at major crime scenes, crime scene photography and evidence processing, and recovery of latent fingerprint, footwear, and tire track evidence. The types of crimes this Section works with includes homicides, armed robberies, sexual assaults, suspicious deaths, motor vehicle accidents, and breaking and entering.

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS October 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	213	294	196	117	33	924
Maynard	36	48	35	199	52	258
Danvers	47	41	31	64	20	156
Springfield	44	63	26	88	36	118
Central	26	52	29	86	19	108
Lakeville	34	46	41	92	37	86
Boston	23	41	23	180	32	196
Bourne	3	3	11	114	28	8

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS November 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	150	167	169	112	37	921
Maynard	32	28	28	109	45	267
Danvers	26	26	15	106	15	168
Springfield	21	25	41	109	42	107
Central	20	22	21	95	46	101
Lakeville	25	31	27	40	19	77
Boston	22	25	25	158	51	196
Bourne	4	10	12	230	28	10

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION EXTERNAL AGENCY SUBMISSIONS December 2025						
SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	164	185	107	147	37	956
Maynard	31	44	19	289	19	276
Danvers	28	21	13	99	48	178
Springfield	29	22	13	43	34	116
Central	20	24	20	78	47	101
Lakeville	32	42	18	56	22	88
Boston	24	30	22	259	50	193
Bourne	0	2	2	85	23	10

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION
CRIME SCENE RESPONSE
October 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	391	392	403	18	18	338
Maynard	53	53	78	18	18	31
Danvers	69	69	84	10	10	19
Springfield	60	60	23	20	20	84
Central	47	47	54	22	22	65
Lakeville	72	72	76	12	12	15
Boston	58	59	28	25	25	112
Bourne	32	32	60	27	27	17

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION
CRIME SCENE RESPONSE
November 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	383	383	446	18	17	282
Maynard	60	60	57	10	10	32
Danvers	64	64	61	7	7	21
Springfield	52	52	72	23	23	65
Central	54	54	52	12	12	67
Lakeville	79	79	78	3	3	17
Boston	44	45	108	39	32	58
Bourne	30	29	18	21	21	25

CRIME SCENE SERVICES SECTION
CRIME SCENE RESPONSE
December 2025

SECTION	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT) Section / Analyst		Case Backlog
TOTAL	415	412	402	18	17	307
Maynard	52	51	54	52	52	31
Danvers	69	69	69	9	9	21
Springfield	70	70	47	10	10	91
Central	58	58	63	17	14	63
Lakeville	79	79	89	5	5	12
Boston	55	55	55	20	20	60
Bourne	32	30	25	20	20	35

d. Forensic Support Sections

The Forensic Support Units review and support the MSPCL's functions and consist of the Evidence Control Unit, and the Case Management Unit.

The Evidence Control Unit provides support to all MSPCL Crime Laboratory units. The unit receives and logs all items submitted to the labs for testing, stores, packages, and transports items, following set standards, and electronically tracks items using the Laboratory Information Management System.

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Submissions & Returns - Evidence Unit (All Facilities) October 2025				
	Month Received	YTD Received	Month Returned	YTD Returned
Cases	2,700	19,013	2,047	18,748
Items	5,834	29,645	4,414	41,414
Containers	1,541	18,133	1,290	15,681
Packages	N/A	N/A	2,482	23,403

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Submissions & Returns - Evidence Unit (All Facilities) November 2025				
	Month Received	YTD Received	Month Returned	YTD Returned
Cases	1,418	20,431	1,634	20,382
Items	2,150	31,795	3,120	44,534
Containers	1,132	19,265	936	16,617
Packages	N/A	N/A	1,978	25,381

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Submissions & Returns - Evidence Unit (All Facilities) December 2025				
	Month Received	YTD Received	Month Returned	YTD Returned
Cases	1,553	21,984	1,611	21,993
Items	2,310	34,105	3,052	47,586
Containers	1,331	20,596	955	17,572
Packages	N/A	N/A	1,962	27,343

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Transport October 2025	
Number of Trips Between Facilities	156
Cases Transported	7,669
Containers/Packages/Files Transported	14,582
Miles Traveled	6,781
Travel Time (Hours)	127

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Transport November 2025	
Number of Trips Between Facilities	108
Cases Transported	3,019
Containers/Packages/Files Transported	7,244
Miles Traveled	4,450
Travel Time (Hours)	83

EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT SUMMARY Evidence Transport December 2025	
Number of Trips Between Facilities	131
Cases Transported	3,687
Containers/Packages/Files Transported	8,283
Miles Traveled	4,923
Travel Time (Hours)	96

The Case Management Unit is the MSPCL's main point of contact with outside agencies. The Unit handles casework assignment and documentation for several units and also fulfills discovery requests for District Attorney's Offices.

CASE MANAGEMENT UNIT October 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT)		Case Backlog
				Section	Analyst	
Discovery Requests	493	790	531	38	10	505

CASE MANAGEMENT UNIT November 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT)		Case Backlog
				Section	Analyst	
Discovery Requests	506	767	408	39	8	595

CASE MANAGEMENT UNIT December 2025						
Section	Assigned (to section)	Assigned (to analyst)	Completed Reports	Turn Around Time (TAT)		Case Backlog
				Section	Analyst	
Discovery Requests	476	831	530	33	7	540

3. Accreditation Status

The Massachusetts State Police Crime Laboratory (MSPCL) is a statewide service comprised of various sections that provide professional forensic services to the Commonwealth's criminal justice system. The MSPCL is composed of nine locations throughout the state with the main laboratory located in Maynard and satellite locations located in Sudbury, Danvers, Lakeville, Springfield, Worcester, Boston and Bourne, as well as a Long Term Evidence storage facility in Milford. The MSPCL Quality Assurance Unit oversees the labs' accreditation requirements. The Unit ensures that each of the MSPCL labs adhere to set standards. The review process includes yearly internal audits, correction and prevention measures, skill testing, and risk assessment. The MSPCL is currently accredited by ANSI-ASQ National Accreditation Board (ANAB), formerly known as ASCLD/LAB, to the ASCLD/LAB – *International* Program. Please refer to Appendix A for the ANAB Certificate of Accreditation for a summary of the currently accredited locations and disciplines.