



**Semi-Annual Report to the Police Commission
Sexual Assault Evidence Kit (SAEK)
July 1-December 31, 2023**



Pursuant to San Francisco Police Commission Resolution No. 16-28, the department will provide the Police Commission, on a semi-annual and annual basis, a report that details the Department's compliance with collecting and analysis of Sexual Assault Evidence Kits (SAEKs) and reporting results to Sexual Assault Victims.

Item	<u>Collection and Processing</u>	
1	Number of on time (within five days) SAEKs collected by Trauma Recovery/Rape Treatment Center and submitted to Crime Lab within five days of incident	138
2	Number of late (beyond five days) SAEKs collected and submitted to Crime Lab	16
2a	Explanation of late submission: Outside jurisdiction submissions and Federal holidays contributed to late submissions	O/J Mis-Labeled SAEK Federal Holidays
3	Number of SAEKs processed by Crime Lab within 120 days	154
4	Average Turn Around Time for SAEK process completion	39
5	Number of SAEKs outsources to an outside lab for processing within 120 days	0
6	Number of SAEKs resulting in a foreign DNA Profile (other than victim/survivor) subsequently being entered into CODIS within 120 days	61
7	Number of Foreign DNA profiles resulting in a CODIS profile match	20
8	Number of Foreign DNA profiles resulting in no CODIS profile match	41
9	Number of SAEKs not resulting in a foreign DNA profile	93

Item	<u>Notifications and Outcomes</u>	
10	Number of victim/survivor notifications made by SVU, per Victim Bill of Rights (Penal Code Sec. 680)	122
11	Number of victim/survivors declined and/or refused notification	28
12	Number of attempted notifications (wrong number, relocation, no call back, over three(?) attempts by SVU)	0
13	Number of outside agency cases (outside agency handles notification to victim)	4
14	Number of SAEKS with no notification	0

Item	<u>Case Status</u>	
15	Inactive cases	89
16	Cleared/Closed cases	14
17	Open cases	51



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Inactive Cases:

- Unknown Suspect/No DNA Uploaded to CODIS for later ID. No other probative evidence
- Unknown Suspect/ DNA Uploaded but not yet identified
- Victim becomes uncooperative or refused any further contact after SAEK Evidence collected at Rape Treatment Center
- Known Suspect/Victim cooperative. Suspect thought the sex was consensual and there is no other corroborating evidence

Cleared Cases:

- Cases that are adjudicated/ Arrest Made
- Outside Jurisdiction Investigations, SAEK completed at SFGH/Rape Treatment Center (crime occurred on SF State, UCSF, US Park Fed Land, CHP jurisdiction)
- Victim terminates investigation and signs "Affidavit of Termination"
- Statute of Limitations reached, case formally closed out

Enclosed: