

## Law Enforcement Request for Sexual Assault Exam

## **General Information**

For all reported cases of sexual assault under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure Article 56.06, a law enforcement agency (LEA) must:

- Use this form to document the decision whether to request a sexual assault exam
- Provide a copy of this completed form to:
  - o **both** the health care facility **and** the sexual assault examiner or sexual assault nurse examiner who provides services to the victim that are related to the sexual assault; and
  - o the victim or the person who consented to the sexual assault exam on behalf of the victim
- Maintain the completed form in accordance with the LEA's record retention policies

The Office of the Attorney General **will not** process an application for reimbursement of the forensic costs of the sexual assault exam under Article 56.06 without a copy of this completed form.

Sexual Assault Exam Information				
Victim Name (Last, First, Middle):		Victim DOB:	Male	Female
Date of Sexual Assault:	Date Sexual Assault Was Reported to LEA:	County Where Sexual Assault Occurred:		
LEA Name:		LEA Case Number:		
LEA Point of Contact:		LEA Phone Number:		
LEA Email Address:		Hospital/Medical Facility Name:		
Hospital/Medical Facility Physical Address:				
Sexual Assault Exam Request Decision (LEA must certify, using the check boxes, whether a sexual				
assault exam was requested or declined.)				
Request				
☐ I certify that the listed LEA <u>requested</u> a sexual assault exam for an assault reported within 120 hours of the				
assault under Article 56.06 (a-1) or outside of 120 hours of the assault and the LEA considered the exam appropriate under Article 56.06 (b).				
Decline to Request				
I certify that the listed LEA <u>declined to request</u> a sexual assault exam because:				
employee of the Department of Family and Protective Services [Article 56.06 (a-1)]				
☐ The person reporting the sexual assault has made one or more false reports of sexual assault to the LEA <i>and</i>				
there is no other evidence to corroborate the current allegations of sexual assault [Article 56.06 (a-1)]				
☐ The sexual assault was not reported within 120 hours of the assault <i>and an exam was not considered</i>				
appropriate by the LEA [Article 56.06 (b-1)]				
Authorized LEA Signature		Date		
Printed Name		Title		