

Arkansas State Archives

## Arkansas Digital Archives

---

[Finding aids](#)

[Guides and finding aids](#)

---

### Arkansas Crime Laboratory Board records, 1978-2016

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalheritage.arkansas.gov/finding-aids>



Part of the [United States History Commons](#)

---

#### Recommended Citation

Arkansas Crime Laboratory Board records, Arkansas State Archives, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Use and reproduction of images held by the Arkansas State Archives without prior written permission is prohibited. For information on reproducing images held by the Arkansas State Archives, please call 501-682-6900 or email at [state.archives@arkansas.gov](mailto:state.archives@arkansas.gov).

# **Arkansas Crime Laboratory Board records MS.000813**

**Finding aid prepared by the Arkansas State Archives**

---

This finding aid was produced using the Archivists' Toolkit

June 04, 2020

Describing Archives: A Content Standard

Arkansas State Archives  
One Capitol Mall  
Little Rock, Arkansas, 72201  
501-682-6900  
[state.archives@arkansas.gov](mailto:state.archives@arkansas.gov)

## Table of Contents

---

<u>Summary Information</u> .....	3
<u>Historical Note</u> .....	4
<u>Scope and Contents</u> .....	4
<u>Administrative Information</u> .....	4
<u>Collection Inventory</u> .....	6

## Summary Information

---

<b>Repository</b>	Arkansas State Archives
<b>Title</b>	Arkansas Crime Laboratory Board records
<b>Date [inclusive]</b>	1978-2016
<b>Extent</b>	0.65 Cubic feet 2 boxes
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Language of Materials</b>	Materials entirely in English.

### Preferred Citation

Arkansas Crime Laboratory Board records, Arkansas State Archives, Little Rock, Arkansas.

## Historical Note

---

The Arkansas State Crime Laboratory was created by Act 517 in 1977. The laboratory was placed in the Department of Public Safety by Act 864 of 1979. This action was reversed by Act 45 of 1981, when the laboratory became a separate agency. The Arkansas State Crime Laboratory is led by an Executive Director who is appointed by the Governor to serve at the will of the Governor. Act 383 of 1991 created a new Crime Laboratory Board, which is made up of eight members. This act also gave the board the power to hire or terminate the Chief Medical Examiner. The Crime Laboratory Board has policy-making powers regarding the operation of the Crime Laboratory, and is required to meet at least once each quarter.

Mission (from the agency website):The Mission of the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory is to provide the highest quality scientific services to the criminal justice community and the State of Arkansas. This is accomplished through a team of skilled and dedicated employees utilized scientific equipment and appropriate validated methodologies. The laboratory strives to provide these services in a timeframe amenable to our customers.

---

## Scope and Contents

---

This collection includes minutes, reports, and correspondence of the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory Board from 1978 to 2016.

---

## Administrative Information

---

### Publication Information

Arkansas State Archives 10/4/2017

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research use.

### Conditions Governing Use

The copyright law of the United States (Title 17-U.S. Code) governs the making of photocopies or other reproductions of copyrighted material. The person using this material is liable for any infringement.

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Arkansas State Crime Laboratory Board, Little Rock, Arkansas, 2017.

## Collection Inventory

---

	<b>Box</b>
1978	1
1979	
1980	
1981	
1982	
1983	
1984	
1985	
1986	
1987	
1988	
1989	

1990

1991

1992

1993

1994

1995

1996

1997

1998

1999

**Box**

2000

2

2001

2002



2003

2004

2005

2006

2007

2008

2009

2010

2011

2012

2013

2014

2015

2016

## Correspondence