

## FAMILY RELATIONSHIP TREE

**Victim's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Last, First, Middle, Suffix)*

It is important for the DNA laboratory to correctly understand the victim's family structure when using DNA to establish biological relationships and identify victims. In order to obtain an accurate family structure, please complete the contact information for the interviewee (the person providing the information on the family relationships) as well as your contact information as the interviewer. This form may be completed each time a new individual provides information about a potential victim and/or donates a sample using the family reference collection form. Using the directions below, please describe the family of the victim, including the interviewee, the victim, and all other close relatives.

**Interviewee Contact information:**

Last Name:	Suffix:	First Name:	Middle Name:
Telephone numbers (in order of preference):			
1st: (    )	2nd: (    )	3rd: (    )	
The interviewee is the missing individual's _____ <i>(e.g., mother, sister, son, roommate)</i>			

**Interviewer Information:**

Name:	Date:	
Affiliation and address:		
Telephone numbers (in order of preference):		
1st: (    )	2nd: (    )	3rd: (    )

**Directions:**

- Use the box on the other side of the page to draw the family tree.
- A picture of the family should be drawn by placing the interviewee in the center, providing he or she is biologically related to the missing individual.
- Use circles for women and squares for men.
- Put each person's name in the circle or square.
- In the circle or square, indicate whether the individual is living, deceased, or missing.
- Draw a line between parents and place children below the line.
- Include wives and husbands.
- Provide a narrative if you think it will be helpful.
- If the interviewee is not biologically related to the victim, indicate his or her relationship to the victim and draw the victim's family structure as outlined above.
- Add comments below the box to clarify relationships as needed.

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**Family Tree:**



**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

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