

## CITY OF GARDEN GROVE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Ms. Marjorie McAfee,

The Garden Grove Police Department assigns all cases where a rape kit had been collected as evidence. The following is a list for the rape kits booked into evidence in the past ten years. The rape kits are processed by the Orange County Sheriff's Department-Crime Lab. The investigators are assigned to each case and determine if the rape kit will be sent to the Crime Lab. There are many reasons that a rape kit would not be sent to the crime lab such as;

- Suspect is known
- District Attorney refused to file the case
- The report was unfounded
- The victim refused to cooperate

YEAR	Total # of	Kits sent	Untested Kits in
	Kits	to Lab	Control
2006	26	14	10
2007	19	6	6
2008	17	5	12
2009	18	11	5
2010	14	7	5
2011	16	7	9
2012	18	10	7
2013	11	2	9
2014	12	6	6
2015	17	14	3
2016	17	8	9

Sincerely,

Robert Bogue, Lieutenant

Investigations Division

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