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The Forensic Science Standards Board (FSSB) of the Organization of Scientific Area Committees for Forensic Science (OSAC) has prepared a Draft OSAC Registry Implementation Plan for our forensic science partners. This Draft Implementation Plan describes various strategies that OSAC might adopt to encourage forensic service providers, associations, the criminal justice system, academia, government agencies, and other stakeholders to promote and implement the approved standards listed on the OSAC Registry.

The Human Factors Committee (HFC) of the Organization of Scientific Area Committees for Forensic Science (OSAC) has prepared a draft document that provides guidance on designing, conducting and reporting empirical studies of the performance of forensic examiners on routine analytical tasks, such as comparing items to determine whether they have a common source, or classifying items by category (e.g., determining the caliber of a bullet or the size of shoe that made a shoeprint).

[Read more](#) about the Draft OSAC Registry Implementation Plan and the Draft HFC Guidance Document.

OSAC encourages stakeholders to read through the Implementation Plan and provide the FSSB with feedback via email to forensics@nist.gov by June 21, 2018 at 11:59pm EDT.

OSAC encourages stakeholders to read through the document and provide the HFC with any feedback via email to forensics@nist.gov by June 21, 2018 at 11:59pm EDT.
