

CH 114 OSP Evidence Manual, Section 20.0 Arson Evidence: due Monday, June 4th.

- 1) What type of container is used for suspected arson evidence? Briefly explain why this type of packaging is required.
- 2) Should arson evidence, like blood and DNA evidence, be dried? YES or NO?
- 3) What observations at the scene may indicate arson? List them all. Is one more likely to indicate arson than any others? If so, which one?
- 4) What types of evidence should be collected? Which type of evidence is most likely to indicate arson?

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5) What is a comparison sample? What is a control sample?

6) In addition to your answer for question #1, what other types of materials may be used to collect evidence?

7) What materials used to collect suspected arson evidence should not be submitted to the lab?