



Is your digital evidence in safe hands?

What to look for in a digital forensics provider

How do you know your evidence is being properly looked after?

There are digital forensics providers in the UK prepared to offer a questionable service but...

- Do they have robust security in place?
- Do they follow fully documented processes and procedures?
- Do they have regularly audited quality procedures?
- Do they go above and beyond guidelines like ACPO standards, or do they just treat them as a bare minimum?
- Do they have an entire department dedicated to quality?
- Have you ever seen their premises?

CCL Forensics is committed to “raising the bar” in digital forensics. Compare us against your alternative supplier using our checklist overleaf.



What to look for...

CCL FORENSICS

YOUR ALTERNATIVE SUPPLIER

THE COMPANY

Dedicated PC, mobile phone and forensic imaging labs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adopter of GPMS (Government Protective Marking Scheme)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Long established business with proven track record. 6,000+ cases completed.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commitment to research and development	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Investment in latest technology	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fully documented processes and procedures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Regular client contact with assigned team of analysts	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Flexible turnaround and delivery times	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Robust business and case management systems	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Search and seize/on site capability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Covert investigations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Expert witness registered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adherence to ACPO guidelines for forensic analysis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
E-discovery/disclosure capability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
References and testimonials available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PHYSICAL SECURITY

Secure exhibits store with limited staff access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Internal and external CCTV	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Police linked alarms	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Window bars	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tracker fitted secure collection vehicle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Full access control systems within premises	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

STAFF SECURITY

Security cleared staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Restricted access for staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Regular training (internal and external)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

CERTIFICATION

ISO9001 – UKAS regularly audited	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ISO27001 – UKAS regularly audited	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ISO17025 *	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Investor in People	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RESOURCES

Total Quality Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
36 Experienced Digital Analysts/Technicians across varied specialisms & a total of 56 staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Standards and Compliance Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality Controllers to scrutinise each job	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Six-strong management team based within lab complex	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

* accreditation in progress

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