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AABB Relationship Testing Accreditation Consulting

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What to have ready

- Your purchased copy of the Standards for Relationship Testing Laboratories, 17th edition, effective January 1, 2026 (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/standards/relationship-testing-laboratories]).
- A list of which functions you perform (serving customers, collecting samples, testing, verifying and reporting results), checked against AABB's Relationship Testing Activity definition (Version 3, effective 4/2/2026 [https://www.aabb.org/docs/default-source/default-document-library/accreditation/aabb-accreditation-activities.pdf], page opened October 3, 2026).
- The date you began operating in the activity, against AABB's six-month minimum (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/accreditation/become-accredited/accreditation-process]).
- Your case acceptance, identification and chain-of-custody procedures as they exist today.
- Your result reporting procedure, including how cases are reported directly to the agency where AABB says that is required for immigration cases (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/accreditation/become-accredited/relationship-dna-testing]).
- Your document control procedure, since AABB's assessment looks for a written procedure behind each standard and evidence that staff follow it (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/accreditation/become-accredited/accreditation-process], page opened October 3, 2026).
- Any collection and verification sites you use, and whether each is accredited by AABB for relationship testing activities (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/accreditation/become-accredited/relationship-dna-testing]).
- The Relationship Testing Questionnaire named in AABB's application steps (AABB [https://www.aabb.org/standards-accreditation/accreditation/become-accredited/accreditation-process]).