

**Department of Children and Family Services  
RFP for Genetic Testing  
Follow-Up Questions pertaining to Addendum #1  
September 7, 2010**

**Questions:**

- 1. Our research indicates that RFLP reagents are not available for purchase. Where do the current vendors (PTC and Orchid Cellmark) currently purchase (non-expired) RFLP reagents or use in testing?**

**DCFS Response: Unknown**

- 2. Has PTC reported results where RFLP probes were used in the past 12 months?**

**DCFS Response: Unknown. Results are not sent to one central location but are sent to the local office that requested the genetic testing.**

- 3. Has Orchid Cellmark reported results where RFLP probes were used in the past 12 months?**

**DCFS Response: Unknown. Results are not sent to one central location but are sent to the local office that requested the genetic testing.**

- 4. How many results were reported by PTC that used RFLP probes in the past 12 months?**

**DCFS Response: Unknown. Results are not sent to one central location but are sent to the local office that requested the genetic testing. To the best of my knowledge, these statistics are not kept.**

- 5. How many results were reported by Orchid Cellmark that used RFLP probes in the past 12 months?**

**DCFS Response: Unknown. Results are not sent to one central**

**location but are sent to the local office that requested the genetic testing. To the best of my knowledge, these statistics are not kept.**