

## Headlines: Floods Damaged Criminal Evidence

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Thousands of barrels of biological evidence in criminal cases were [damaged](#) by Sandy flood waters in Brooklyn warehouses. Each barrel can contain [several pieces](#) of evidence such as bloodstained clothes and bedding. Hundreds of cars and motorcycles held as evidence were also inundated. Thousands of bicycles were as well. It's unclear how many cases will be affected. It could depend on whether damage is done to [exclusive](#) evidence needed to prove a case. Often, evidence in storage facilities has already been processed.

In the Press...

[Storm Bared a Lack of Options for the Homeless in New York](#) (NY Times)

[911 Under-Planned and Under-Manned for Sandy](#) (NY Post)

[Storm's Long Flooding Reach](#) (Wall Street Journal)

[New Ethics Rule Will Make Some Donors' Names Public](#) (NY Times)

[One in Six New Yorkers Go Hungry - Before Sandy](#) (Daily News)

[Public Advocate De Blasio to Speaker Quinn: Reject New 'Vito' District](#) (NY Post)

[Giuliani Backing MTA Chair Lhota for Mayor](#) (Wall Street Journal)

[Immigrant Farm Workers, the Hidden Part of New York 's Local Food Movement](#) (WNYC)

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