



**LABORATORY  
RESPONSE  
NETWORK**

August 30, 2019

Jeremy,

We wanted to express our sincere thanks for your efforts during the recent Pelican Bay State Prison ricin event. We realize that it was extremely burdensome and stressful, and we appreciate the hard work that the Humboldt County LRN lab performed in a short period of time.

We are sending you a certificate of appreciation for your laboratory. We are also including a Starbucks card----for you. If you wish to share coffee and pastries with your staff, that is up to you.

Again, we are very appreciative of the great job that your lab did in response to this event.

Sincerely,  
LRN Program Office

Department of  
Health and  
Human Services

Centers for  
Disease Control  
and Prevention



# Certificate of Appreciation

*Presented to*

**Humboldt County Public Health Laboratory**

**For the Pelican Bay State Prison Ricin Response**

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