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Garold (Gary) D. Huey currently serves as a consultant to and trainer for the International Mass Fatalities Center. The Center provides on-site training for planning and response to mass fatality incidents. Mr. Huey received his undergraduate education from Wayland Baptist University in Occupational Education with a Specialization in Mortuary Science and Science Studies. He acquired his professional training at San Antonio College as an Associate in Mortuary Science.

At the Louisiana Family Assistance Center, Mr. Huey managed Post-Mortem Operations from March to August 2006. In this capacity, he provided oversight to the operational components of Family Affairs, Cemetery Affairs, Forensic Identification, and Dental Sections. In addition to serving in academic positions as an Adjunct Faculty Member in the Department of Mortuary Science and the Protective Services Department, Emergency Management Administration Program, San Antonio College, Mr. Huey held several military service positions. These include serving as Hospital Corpsman: Embalming Technician for the U.S. Navy, and as Chief of the Technical and Identification Branch of the Mortuary Affairs Division, Air Force Services Agency. In this latter capacity, he provided corporate-level management of U.S. Air Force mortuary affairs, including responsibility for quality assurance of all Active Duty initial casualty and death reports, ensuring scientific identification of remains, and managing the Air Force remains repatriation program for remains from previous U.S. conflicts. Among his numerous achievements was serving as Technical Advisor for the U.S. Air Force representative to the Central Joint Mortuary Affairs Office and the Armed Forces Identification Review Board.

Over the last three decades, Mr. Huey has engaged in numerous professional development opportunities, including those pertaining to forensic pathology, dental identification, and anthropology at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology and Smithsonian Institution. He is a licensed embalmer and funeral director in the State of Texas, and a recipient of the National Board Certificate by the Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards.