

Non-Porous or Non-Absorbent Surfaces (Glass, Metal, Tile, etc.)

Items should be packaged in a rigid container, avoiding contact with the packaging material and the surface which is to be processed for latent prints. It is acceptable to place numerous, individually numbered and packaged items in one box if all items need to be examined by the latent print section. Ensure items will not contaminate others in the same package (e.g., a leaking bottle, coated in blood or other fluids that may transfer to other surfaces).

Handle the items in a manner **inconsistent** with normal handling, by the edges or textured areas.