

Contamination Log

Record interference and preserve it in the final analysis.

Case ID / observer / session

Date / time / time zone / location

Potential contamination source

Affected device / file / interval

Investigator movement / speech / handling

External sound / light / radio / airflow

How source was identified or tested

Corrective action / control results

Residual uncertainty / report reference

OBSERVE > DOCUMENT > TEST > ANALYZE > ATTEMPT TO EXPLAIN > REPORT

Keep originals. Record times, units, uncertainty, contamination, and source references.

E0 Explained | E1 Probably Explained | E2 Insufficient Information | E3 Unresolved | E4 Anomalous

E4 does not automatically establish a paranormal cause. Use continuation sheets if needed.