INSERTION OF CRANIOFACIAL X-RAY FILES IN THE INTERPOL NOTICES: FROM THE PRESENT TO THE FUTURE; A NEW WAY OF THINKING

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The development of the couple aims-results has made an efficient and well-known tool from Interpol Notices all over the world. The gradual integration of reliable and experienced identification items has decisively contributed to obtain positive results matching police requests. Inside Interpol Notices, each of the four criteria usable to identify a person has its own limitations. Their potential combinations are supposed to lead to a positive identification. Nevertheless, in some rare but real cases, a fifth criterion is lacking.

The purpose of this work is to submit an easy, proven, progressive solution which can be used everywhere in the world. This fifth criterion is at the junction of anatomy, anthropology and dental orthopedics clinical practice. Proceedings, comments, notes and evolutions observed in the bosom of Interpol DVI Odontologic sub-working group for several years reinforce us to develop this new criterion.

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