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PLANNING AND PREPARATION

The beginning of every investigative interview should always be initiated with the 'Planning and Preparation' phase. Your planning and preparation go well beyond simply planning the interview itself. There are several items up for consideration, such as legal aspects of the interview, the environment, subject background, the most appropriate interview method, and so on. This month's Instructor Insights will explore the many things to consider during your 'Planning and Preparation' for your interviews.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Understanding legal aspects and potential rules of engagement for the interview, including any possible notifications.
- Identifying the best environment for the interview process
- Accurately evaluating the role your interviewee plays in the investigation.
- Explore subject background and the importance of understanding any exposure to traumatic events or other interviewee vulnerabilities.
- Determining what information is important to explore during the interview.
- Selecting the most appropriate interview method for your interviewee.
- The importance of strategizing the subject interview and reviewing any possible explanations to avoid issues of confirmation bias and assumptions of guilt.