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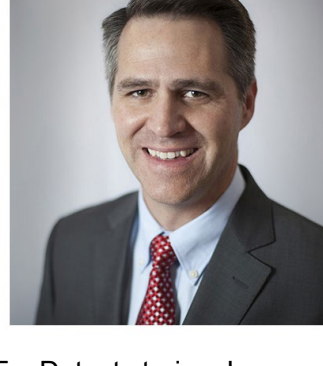
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## Message from the CEO

### EyeDetect Helps Connecticut State and Federal Probation Reduce Sexual Abuse and Violence

Hi,

Before I share an amazing new EyeDetect case study from The Connection, a provider of outpatient services for adults in coordination with state and federal Departments of Correction and Probation, I want to remind everyone that CONNECT'22 is now less than a month away. This virtual event is April 26-28. It's free to attend, but registration is required.



In addition to showcasing our latest technology innovations, we have seven customers on day two of the event that will share their EyeDetect stories. I promise you it will be "eye-opening" and inspiring. Get more CONNECT'22 info [here](#) or read the [press release](#).

#### The Connection's EyeDetect Success Story

When we heard the incredible success [The Connection, Inc.](#) has had using EyeDetect for Connecticut State and Federal Probation to test those who have committed sex offenses, we knew this story had to be shared. Other organizations should hear how EyeDetect can help. Read the full story [here](#).

The Connection is a nonprofit organization based in Middletown, Connecticut. After two successful pilot programs of EyeDetect in 2017 and 2020, EyeDetect proved itself an invaluable tool and was fully implemented. They've now administered more than 1,500 tests and discovered EyeDetect offered numerous benefits, namely:

- The test is automated and can be administered with limited contact between examiner and client, an important issue during the pandemic.
- More tests can be administered daily than with previous tools.
- Investigations to validate client complaints of inaccurate polygraph test results have been minimized.
- Clients previously unsuitable for polygraph due to medical or mental health restrictions are tested.
- EyeDetect's testing protocol makes it easier for the examiner to identify when a client is being purposefully noncompliant (trying to cheat).

EyeDetect has clearly helped The Connection's community-based treatment programs more effectively prevent sexual abuse and reduce sexual violence.

I want to personally thank Erika Thiel, LPC, the credibility assessment manager at The Connection Inc., for allowing us to share their story. Erika is a licensed professional counselor, a polygraph examiner trained in post-conviction sex offender testing (PCSOT), and an approved PCSOT instructor.

Thanks also to Mark Peel, President and Publisher at the Civic Research Institute, Inc., for allowing us to share this article/case study prior to it being published in the July issue of the [Journal of Offender Monitoring](#).

#### New Service Partner

A warm welcome to our new Converus Service Partner, Wisconsin Polygraph located in Wisconsin. EyeDetect continues to attract the best of the best in the credibility assessment industry. (Want to become a Converus Service Partner? Click [here](#).)

Click your email "forward" button to send this email to others interested in credibility assessment. And please share industry news with us! We'd love to hear from you. Email: [info@converus.com](mailto:info@converus.com).

Todd Mickelsen  
President and CEO  
[Converus Inc.](#)

## Press Release



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## Success Story



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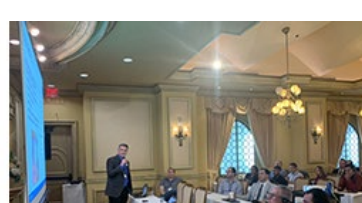
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## Upcoming Events

### CONNECT '22 - Annual Converus Conference

For: Customers and Service Partners  
Date: April 26-27, 2022 (Tues. & Wed.) for all attendees  
Date: April 28 (Thurs.) for Service Partners only  
Time: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. MDT (GMT-6)  
Due to Covid the conference will be held virtually using MS Teams



The event is free, but registration is required. [Click to register or see the agenda](#).

This event will be held in Spanish on the same dates from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. MDT (GMT-6) [Click here](#) for Spanish session registration and agenda.

### Free EyeDetect Standard & Advanced Training

Date: July 19-21, 2022 (3 days, online using Teams)  
Time: 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Eastern Time each day  
[Click to register or see the agenda](#)

This course will also be offered in Spanish on July 12-14. [Click to register or see the agenda](#).

## About Converus

Converus provides scientifically validated credibility assessment technologies. EyeDetect®, which detects deception by measuring involuntary eye behavior, is a fast, accurate, affordable, noncontact, scalable, and fully automated option to polygraph. EyeDetect+ is the world's first automated polygraph, making the testing process impartial, accurate, and less intrusive (than a traditional polygraph). It assesses credibility by monitoring and recording ocular activity plus physiological activity similar to a traditional polygraph. Customers worldwide use the EyeDetect product line for screening and investigations to help protect countries, corporations and communities from corruption, crime and threats. Converus is headquartered in Lehi, Utah, USA. Visit: [converus.com](http://converus.com)