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Eye ID program could help find missing persons

Program scans iris image into database

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USA - Missing persons from Montgomery County could be easier to find thanks to a new program.The county wants participate in a national program that will help identify missing kids and adults through the use of iris biometric recognition technology.

The program is called CHILD, which stands for the Children's Identification and Location Database.

It works by taking a picture of the eye.

It was developed by the Nation's Missing Children Organization.

Sheriff Michael Amato is working to secure a grant to purchase the equipment at no cost to taxpayers.

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