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Dr. Robert H. McPherson, a professor and dean in the University of Houston's College of Education, has been appointed by Mayor Annise Parker to the Houston Forensic Science Center's Board of Directors. Dr. McPherson, who received his Ph.D. in counseling psychology from the University of Houston, has more than 35 years of experience in higher education, corporate outplacement and consulting and training. Dr. McPherson's experience as the co-founder of an educational software and service company that was recognized by Inc. Magazine as one of the country's 100 fastest growing companies will assist HFSC as it seeks to expand regionally and provide consulting and training opportunities nationally.

Dr. McPherson has been confirmed by the Houston City Council to fill position six on the board. His term expires June 30, 2017.

Houston's forensic operations, formerly known as the Houston Police Department Crime Lab, have been managed by Houston Forensic Science Center, Inc., since April 3, 2014.

HFSC is overseen by a Board of Directors appointed by the Mayor of Houston and approved by the Houston City Council. HFSC manages independent forensic operations that currently operate in eight disciplines.

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