



Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History

Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice
and

Nevada Sentencing Commission

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STATUTORY AUTHORITY

- The Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History is housed within the Records, Communications and Compliance Division (RCCD) of DPS (NRS 480.130, 480.140, 179A.075)
 - Collect and maintain records, reports, and compilations of statistical data submitted by each agency of criminal justice
 - Collect, maintain, and arrange all information regarding:
 - ✓ Records of criminal history
 - ✓ DNA profile of certain persons from whom a biological specimen was obtained
 - Use a biometric and personal identifying information of a subject as the basis for maintaining any records regarding him/her



CRIMINAL JUSTICE FUNCTIONS

- Centralized storage facility for fingerprint-based Nevada arrest and disposition records
- Fingerprint-based background checks for employment, licensing, individuals providing services to vulnerable populations and other disparate purposes authorized by federal or state law
- Nevada Offense Codes program
- FBI CJIS Systems Agency for State of Nevada (28 CFR Part 20)



OTHER SERVICES

- State Sex Offender Registry (NRS 179B, 179D)
- Point of Contact Program for firearms transfers
(18 USC 922 (g, n))
- Name-based background checks for employment purposes (NRS 179A.103)
- Domestic Violence Protection Order Repository (NRS 179A.350)
- Statewide Sexual Assault Forensic Evidence Kit Tracking and Reporting Program (NRS 200.3788 – new program from AB97 from 2017 session)
- Uniform Crime Reporting Program
 - ✓ Arrests (NRS 179A.078 and FBI required data)
 - ✓ Hate Crimes (NRS 179A.175)
 - ✓ Suspected Acts of DV (NRS 171.1227)
 - ✓ Domestic Violence Protection Order Registry
(NRS 179A.350)
 - ✓ Elder Abuse Reporting Repository (NRS 179A.450)



INFORMATION SECURITY UNIT

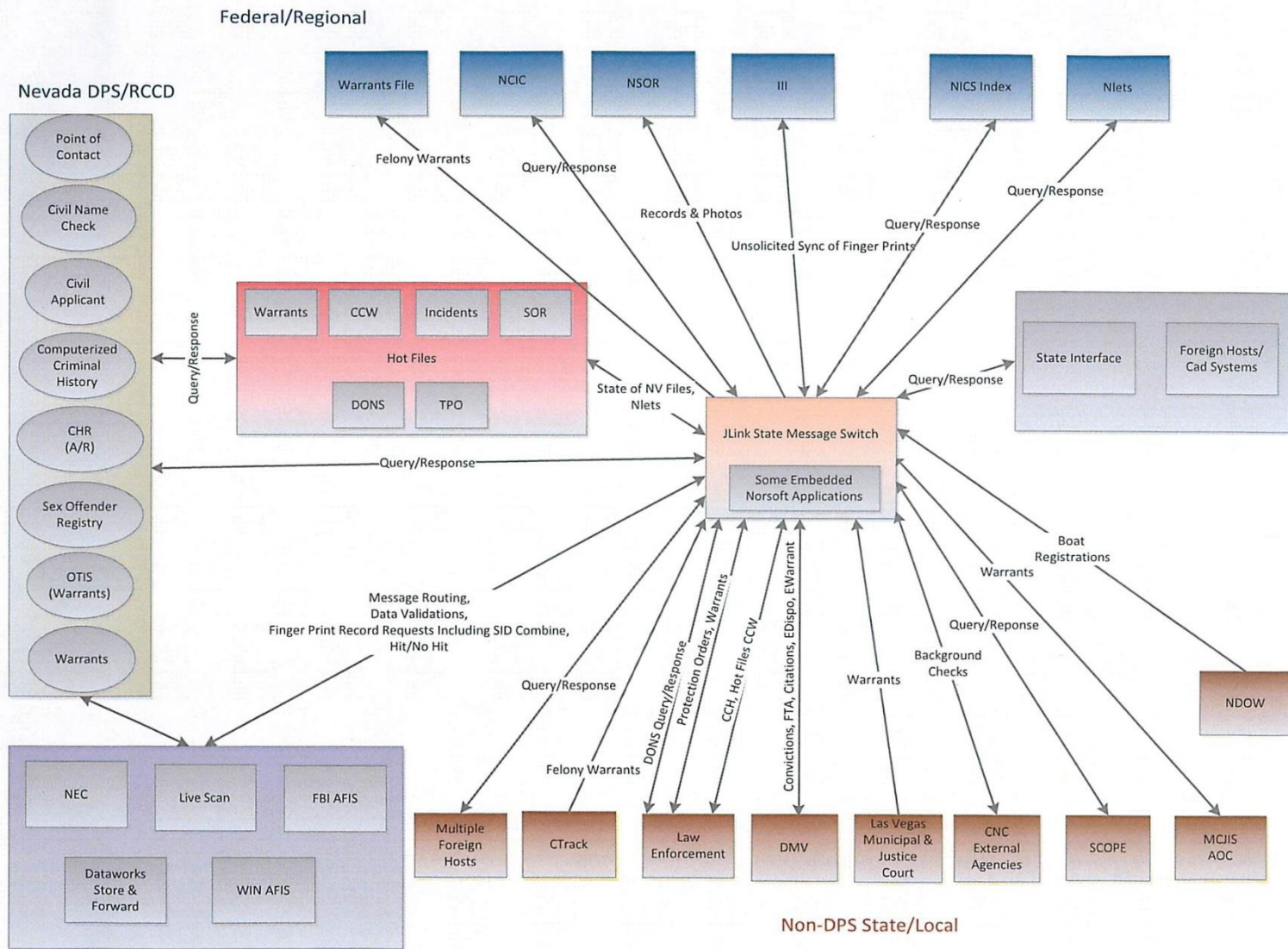
- Security Point of Contact to the FBI's Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division and to Enterprise IT Services (EITS)
- Documents technical compliance with FBI and State Security Policies to ensure confidentiality, integrity, and availability of criminal justice and departmental information.
- Documents and provides assistance for implementing security-related controls for systems that interact with FBI CJIS Systems, NCJIS, and other DPS systems.
- Reports security breaches / issues to FBI CJIS Division, Enterprise IT Services, and/or DPS Director, depending on the issue.
- Resource for DPS Divisions and Nevada criminal justice agencies when designing, modifying, and decommissioning electronic systems.



NEVADA CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM

- Nevada Criminal Justice Information System (NCJIS): the computerized information system created to serve all state, federal, and local law enforcement and criminal justice agencies in Nevada that require criminal justice information
- Conduit through which Nevada criminal justice agencies access information systems of Nevada criminal justice agencies, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, other states, and international criminal justice agencies (e.g., Interpol, RCMP)
- Managed by the Central Repository within RCCD
- IT services and support provided by Enterprise IT Services in the Department of Administration as well as outside vendors who provide proprietary system support





Criminal Justice Information Files

Nevada files

- f/p based criminal history records
- Nevada warrants
- Nevada CCW permits
- Nevada registered sex offenders
- Offenders on parole or probation
- DV Protection Orders
- DMV – DL, vehicle registration, Occup. Business Licenses



Criminal Justice Information Files

Nlets Files

DMV

Warrants

Parole/Probation

Corrections

Sex offenders

CCW permits

Wildlife violations

Canadian files

Mexican commercial DLs

Administrative messages

Criminal history records

Immigration alien

National Insurance Crime Bureau

National Center for Missing and

Exploited Children

Social Security information

Law enforc. Flying armed

Etc. = 140+ files



Criminal Justice Information Files

FBI files

Warrants

Gang

Terrorist

Criminal history records

Foreign fugitive

Immigration violators

Missing persons

Unidentified persons

Supervised release

Violent persons

Protective interest

Article

Boat

Gun

Identity theft

License plate

NICS denied transaction

Securities

Etc.



Interfaces/Connections

- FBI systems – NCIC, NICS Indices, F/P
- DMV
- Nlets
- SCOPE – Clark County system
- P&P Offender Tracking Info. System
- Multiple foreign host connections, i.e. RMS, CAD, MDTs

NCJIS MODERNIZATION

- Began in FY 2012 with a study to examine the best path forward to modernize critical systems within NCJIS, to include:
 - Computerized Criminal History (CCH) System
 - Parole and Probation's Offender Tracking Information System (OTIS)
 - Temporary Protection Orders
 - Law Enforcement Message Switch (Justice Link)
- 2014- 2015 Biennium
 - Middleware and back-end systems upgraded
 - Defined requirements for CCH and OTIS replacements
- 2016-2017 Biennium
 - CCH requirements and coding begun
 - OTIS requirements and coding begun
 - DV PO requirements gathered
 - Current message switch upgraded



NCJIS MODERNIZATION, CONT.

- 2018-2019 Biennium
 - CCH Phase 1 implemented May 21, 2018
 - DV PO go-live scheduled for end of CY 2018
 - Issue RFP for a new message switch/hot file/CCH vendor
- 20-21 Biennium Begin implementation of new
 - Message switch/hot files/CCH
 - Three background check systems (Civil Applicant, Civil Name Check, Point of Contact)
 - Records Bureau's accounting system
 - Document Management System
 - User Portal
- 22-23 Biennium focus on
 - Warrants system replacement
 - Requests from Nevada criminal justice agencies for system functionality
 - Disaster Recovery
 - System updates, if necessary



DISPOSITION BACKFILL HISTORY

In October 2013:

- Total arrests without dispositions = 1,249,731
- Only 29 Courts reporting to the Repository
- By December 2013 received 799,147 dispositions
- Began outreach to request submission of missing dispositions from all courts, which produced even more dispositions, bringing the total to approx. 900k



CURRENT DISPO STATUS

- All Nevada courts are reporting consistently
- Eliminated backfill mostly, with exception of a few stragglers
- Data entry current on “current” dispositions
- Records completion has improved to 59% compared with 23% in 2014
 - Total arrests as of 7/16/2018 = 2,176,278
 - Total arrests with dispositions as of 7/16/2018 = 1,295,884



NOW AND FUTURE

- E-Dispo FBI Backfill
 - SOR/NSLA boxes
 - Previous Records Conversion Clean-Up
 - Criminal history record database and DV PO system modernization efforts
 - Correlation project
 - Fingerprint vault reorganization
 - Continued Outreach & Education
 - Criminal history record database modernization
- Part 2



ACAJ Subcommittee on Criminal Justice Information Sharing

- ✓ Conducted 3 meetings so far
- ✓ Had presentations from local law enforcement agencies, prosecutors and courts on their records management systems and how they use records of criminal history
- ✓ Three Working Groups have been formed:
 - ✓ Northern Nevada – met on July 10, 2018
 - ✓ Southern Nevada – met on July 17, 2018
 - ✓ Nevada Offense Codes – have not yet met
- ✓ The goal is to identify recommendations to improve criminal justice information sharing to recommend to the Subcommittee and to the ACAJ at meetings later this fall.

