

FBI Justice Partner Application for Online Access to re:Search©NM

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Introduction

Pursuant to the New Mexico Supreme Court Order, justice partners (as provided in the Case Policy for Online Court Records) may apply to receive login credentials to view court cases currently digitized in the New Mexico Judiciary's Odyssey Case Management System using the re:Search©NM web application. Access to court records in re:Search©NM is a privilege conferred by the Supreme Court to aid the efficient administration of justice to the extent permitted by law. Access will be granted only to applicants who qualify and who agree to the terms of use and non-disclosure set forth below.

Due to varying restrictions on public access for certain case types as provided by law, cases in re:Search©NM are divided into three tiers with three corresponding levels of access, which are defined as follows:

- **Tier 1:** Most cases that are viewable in re:Search©NM fall within Tier 1, including most civil, probate, domestic relations, domestic violence, parentage, and criminal case types. To request login credentials to view SOPA cases in Tier 1, you must complete Part A of this application form and the New Mexico Administrative Office of the Courts Terms of Use and Non-Disclosure Agreement.
- **Tier 2.1:** Cases in Tier 2 includes delinquency proceedings in Children's Court cases. To request access to view Tier 2 cases in re:Search©NM, you must complete Part B of this application, and the New Mexico Administrative Office of the Courts Terms of Use and Non-Disclosure Agreement.
- **Tier 2.5:** Cases in Tier 2.5 are subject to strict confidentiality protections. Tier 2.5 cases include proceedings under the Abuse and Neglect Act, the Families in Need of Court-Ordered Services Act, adoption proceedings, and mental health proceedings. Only Law Enforcement Officers may view these cases.

Use of re:Search©NM for any purpose other than viewing individual electronic court records, including attempting to download multiple records, is strictly prohibited. Data use is subject to NMSA 1978, Section 14-3-15.1. The Administrative Office of the Courts reserves the right to redact information from re:Search©NM court case files as required by law. Online access does not include documents that have been sealed in a particular case, regardless of tier or case type.

Application Process

To apply for an account to access Tier 1 court case files in re:Search©NM, please complete Part A of this application and the New Mexico Administrative Office of the Courts Terms of Use and Disclosure Agreement. Each applicant requesting access must submit the application via email to the New Mexico Administrative Office of the Courts Judicial Information Division ("JID") at support@nmcourts.gov. The account will have unique login credentials associated with the applicant's email address, and therefore, each applicant must submit his or her own application using the applicant's email address. Please allow up to thirty (30) business days for your application to be processed. You will be emailed your login credentials along with an initial password after your application has been approved. All information provided to JID in your application will be held confidential and will only be used to open and manage your account.

If you also would like to apply for access to Tier 2 court case files in re:Search©NM, please complete Part B of this application, in addition to the items listed above for requesting Tier 1 access. Because Tier 2 cases include confidential information that must be protected by law, Tier 2 access is limited to applicants who qualify for access under state or federal law and who demonstrate a compelling need to view delinquency proceedings.

Access to Tier 2 cases will be granted only upon approval by the Online Access Subcommittee and may take up to sixty (60) business days to process. The terms of use and non-disclosure as set forth in your application apply to any access you are granted for Tier 1 or Tier 2 case types.

Part A: Tier 1 Access FBI Justice Partner

Applicant Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Title: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Organization Information (Government Agency)

Agency/Department Name: _____

Agency/Department Physical Address: _____

Agency/Department Mailing Address: _____

Agency/Department City, State and Zip: _____

Agency/Department Phone: _____

Part B: Tier 2 Access

Name: _____

Delinquency Proceedings: Users requesting access to delinquency proceedings in Children’s Court may go before the Online Access Subcommittee for approval and can take up to sixty (60) business days to process. Information in delinquency proceedings includes information that is protected by various provisions of law, including the Delinquency Act and Rule 10-166 NMRA.

Request Tier 2 access to Delinquency Proceedings? **Yes**

Please select the option that best describes you:

Other FBI Partner: _____

Please explain your compelling need for access to Delinquency Proceedings. Your explanation will be considered by the Online Access Subcommittee:

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This application is used to determine whether the applicant should be granted authorization to access court case files in re:Search©NM. The court case files in re:Search©NM may contain protected personal identifiers and other confidential information that must be protected by law. The Administrative Office of the Courts reserves the right to redact protected personal identifiers and other confidential information from court case files in re:Search©NM. Submitting this application constitutes an agreement between the New Mexico Administrative Office of the Courts and you to certain terms of use and non-disclosure as set forth in the Application.

As an authorized user of court case files in re:Search©NM, regardless of tier type, you agree to the following:

- To not share your login credentials with any individual;
- To not disclose any information protected by law that you gain through accessing court case files in re:Search©NM unless such disclosure is through the discharge of your official duties or as otherwise required by law; and
- To take all reasonable precautions to protect all case information, including protected personal identifier information in court case files in re:Search©NM as required by Rules 1-079, 2-112, 3-112, 5-123, 6-114, 7-113, 8-112, 10-166, and 12-314NMRA.

None of the provisions of this agreement can be waived or modified by the AOC or its employees. This Agreement shall in all respects be governed by and interpreted, construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the United States. If issues of state law may be relevant to a court or tribunal's resolution of pending claims or disputes, a party may be present those issues to the court or tribunal to the extent that forum may permit it. Any action arising out of or relating to this Agreement, its performance, enforcement or breach will be venued in federal court situated within the State. FBI reserves the right to petition that court for a change of venue. This agreement may be terminated by Administrative Office of the Courts for any violation of its terms.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Applicant Full Name: _____