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**National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS)**

<http://www.ncjrs.gov/index.html>

Offers extensive reference and referral services to help researchers find answers to questions about crime and justice-related research, policy, and practice.

**Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)**

<http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org>

Provides national leadership, coordination, and resources to prevent and respond to juvenile delinquency and victimization.

**Sourcebook of Criminal Justice Statistics Online**

<http://www.albany.edu/sourcebook>

600 tables from 100s of sources provide statistical data on criminal justice systems, numbers of criminal offenses and reports of victims of crimes, public attitudes toward crime and criminal justice topics, persons arrested, judicial processing of defendants in the courts, and persons under correctional jurisdiction.

**Uniform Crime Reports (on FBI website)**

<http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/ucr.htm>

An annual publication in which the FBI compiles volume and rate of crime offenses for the nation, the states, and individual agencies.

**Uniform Crime Reports (UCR) - County Data**

<http://fisher.lib.virginia.edu/crime>

Collects data on Part I offenses, reported to law enforcement in order to measure the level and scope of crime occurring throughout the U.S.



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**Criminal Justice Periodicals (1981-present; total titles covered: 190)**

Covers corrections administration, law enforcement, social work, industrial security, drug rehabilitation, and criminal and family law. U.S. and international journals.

**EBSCOHost includes:**

*Academic Search Complete* is a comprehensive scholarly, multi-disciplinary full-text database with thousands of full-text periodicals, including monographs, reports, conference proceedings, etc. Coverage extends to 1865. Updated daily.

*EJS E-Journals* provides article-level access for thousands of E-Journals with links directly to publishers' content.

*Legal Collection* (1965-date) provides information centered on criminal justice, international law, federal law, organized crime, medical, labor and human resource law, ethics, the environment and more from scholarly peer-reviewed publications for 250 law journals, documents, and case studies.

*PsychARTICLES* (1894 to date) is a definitive source for full-text, peer-reviewed scholarly and scientific articles in psychology from 59 journals including 48 journals published by the American Psychological Association and allied organizations.

*PsycINFO* (1887-date) contains citations and summaries of international scholarly journal articles, book chapters, books, and dissertations, all in psychology and related disciplines.

*Psychology and Behavioral Sciences Collection* is a comprehensive database providing full text, peer-reviewed journals. Topics include emotional and behavioral characteristics, psychiatry and psychology, mental processes, anthropology, and observational and experimental methods.

*SocINDEX with Full Text* is a comprehensive sociology database. Contains full text for 397 journals dating back to 1908, 150 journals, books, and conference papers.

**HeinOnline**

*HeinOnline* allows researchers to browse or fully search older law reviews and other legal materials. Coverage is from the first issue published for all periodicals and goes through the most-currently published issues available.

**National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) Abstracts Database (1972-date)**

Contains abstracts only of criminal justice publications, including federal, state, and local government reports, books, research reports, journal articles, and unpublished research. Subject areas include corrections, courts, drugs and crime, law enforcement, juvenile justice, crime statistics, and victims of crime.

**ProQuest Dissertations & Theses (PQDT)**

Includes citations for dissertations and master's theses dating from the first U.S. dissertation, accepted in 1861, to those accepted as recently as last semester. Dissertations published since July 1980 includes a 350-word abstract written by the author. Master's theses published since 1988 include 150-word abstracts. Most are available in full-text format.

**Sage Publications Criminology (23 titles; coverage varies by title)**

Sage Publications' Criminology Full-Text collection includes the full-text of 23 journals (some dating back to 1984) covering criminal justice, juvenile delinquency, juvenile justice, corrections, penology, policing, forensic psychology, and family and domestic violence.

**WESTLAW Campus**

West publishes case law from the state and federal courts, case law digests, statutes,

textbooks, treatises. Includes American Jurisprudence 2d, American Law Reports, 50 states' and federal cases, state and federal statutes (U.S.C.A.); federal regulations published in the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations; law reviews and legal journals.

**Helpful Websites**

**Criminal Justice Resources on the Web**

<http://www.criminology.fsu.edu/cj.html>

Links to law databases, federal criminal justice agencies, police agencies, criminal justice information systems and statistics, juvenile delinquency, prisons, and international criminal justice sources on topics such as substance abuse, civil rights, juvenile delinquency, crime statistics, and prisons.

**National Archive of Criminal Justice Data**

<http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/NACJD>

A special topic archive of the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) at the University of Michigan.



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