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WEEKLY SUBMISSIONS

Question: How do I submit my data when one month ends and another month begins?

Answer: We'll use September and October as an example:

Remember, you submit <u>every Wednesday</u> for the previous week, Sunday through Saturday. <u>NOTE</u>: If you enter your incidents in TNCOP, you don't submit data, but you do need to make sure all incidents are entered for the same time period mentioned above.

So, on Wednesday, September 30th, you will submit data from 0000 hrs. on 9/20/2020 thru 2359 hrs. on 09/26/2020. You will need to submit one more September file to submit the incidents from 0000 on 09/27/2020 thru 2359 on 09/30/2020.

On Wednesday, October 7th, you will submit data from 0000 on 10/01/2020 thru 2359 on 10/02/2020. We know this is new and it's going to take some time to get used to it. To assist you, we prepared a submission schedule, which can be seen on page 9.







TIBRS QUIZ

This month's quiz contains questions about CrimeInsight. Take this quiz and see how you do! The answers can be found on page eight. Good luck!

Question 1:

I know we're supposed to submit every Wednesday, but Mondays are more convenient for us. That's okay, right? **Yes** or **No**?

Question 2:

I can't remember my login information for CrimeInsight. Who do I contact? **A.** Steven Jancarek, **B.** Thomas Huffman, **C.** Abby Claud, **D.** My auditor, **E** Any of the above.

Question 3:

I don't use CrimeInsight, but that's not a big deal, right? True or False?

Question 4:

I just submitted my data 20 minutes ago, but when I searched for one of the incidents in CrimeInsight, it wasn't there. Why? **A.** The TIBRS repository lost my data, **B.** The data must replicate overnight. (You might remember this question from last month!)

Question 5:

Is CrimeInsight the only place to view TIBRS crime data? **Yes** or **No**?



Bonus Question:

Name the criminal in the photograph: **A.** Albert Fish, **B.** Ed Kemper, **C**. Bernie Tiede, **D.** Ed Gein







SEPTEMBER SHOUT-OUTS

Each month in the TIBRS Newsletter, we recognize TBI staff, FBI staff, and TIBRS User Group members for an achievement, or we may just give a shout-out for no reason at all! If you have someone to nominate for the October shout-out, please send an email to Dale.King@tn.gov.

AMY ARNWINE!

Shout out!!!

Amy is the RAC for Athens Police Department. She has been reporting TIBRS data from the very start. Amy takes her job seriously and is a dedicated proponent of training. Amy sends officers and supervisors to TIBRS training classes every year! She sets the bar high for RACs! Great job, Amy! Thanks for your dedication to the TIBRS program!







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Shout-out!!! We are also giving a shout-out to our Publication Specialist, Zack Frisbee. Zack has accepted a position in the private sector. His last day at TBI was Friday, September 4th. Zack, you will be missed by all of us at TBI and agencies all across the State of Tennessee! Best of luck to you always!





NOW HEAR THIS!!!



A couple of weeks ago, we had four questions regarding the use of CrimeInsight.

None of the four people were new RACs. All four were "veteran" RACs! Three of the four knew what CrimeInsight was, but were not using it. The fourth person said "I've never heard of this. Is it something I should use?" Numerous newsletters and listserv messages have included information regarding CrimeInsight. All Data Collection classes, TIBRS Review classes, and the annual conference discuss CrimeInsight. The use of CrimeInsight is an integral component of the TIBRS system, and it is absolutely MANDATORY! CrimeInsight is how you check your error rate! It also enables you to track your submissions, generate reports, and more! If you have a CrimeInsight account set up, please use it. If you do not have an account set up, please contact your TIBRS auditor as soon as possible!!!!!







TIBRS TRAINING SLIDES OF THE MONTH







SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Because we are always meeting RAC's, Alt RAC's, and others who are new to the TIBRS program, we decided to give you an idea as to how strange some reports will be. We've changed some minor details, but you will still have all the basic information you need. It took a little legwork and a lot of thought to classify this incident and now we offer the challenge to you!

While executing a search warrant at the property of a known drug dealer, the officers made entry into a storage shed located behind the home. Upon entering the shed, officers located approximately 100 plastic, one-gallon milk jugs, all containing a liquid in varying shades of yellow. While interviewing the suspect, officers inquired about the yellow liquid and the dealer explained he had worked out a system with most of his buyers to provide him with one gallon of urine. For the urine, the "customer" would receive a small discount on their meth purchase. The dealer then walked officers through a process he used to cook the urine completely down in order to get the residual meth left over from the meth users' urine.

Reportable?

No. Science probably wasn't his best subject in school. It's a lousy idea. According to our TBI Forensic Scientists, the amount of meth created by his new process would be "less than miniscule."

It would take, at a minimum, tens of thousands of gallons of urine to accomplish what he had intended.





THIS MONTH FROM CRIMEINSIGHT

MURDER AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH A WEAPON TYPE OF FIREARM

August, 2019 - 2020

VIOLENT CRIME, WEAPON TYPE = FIREARM, AUGUST 2019-20				
Offense Type	2019	2020	%	
Murder - Non-Negligent 22 55 UP 150%				

VIOLENT CRIME, WEAPON TYPE = FIREARM, AUGUST 2019-20				
Offense Type	2019	2020	%	
Aggravated Assault 1,101 2,011 UP 82.7%				

VIOLENT CRIME, WEAPON TYPE = FIREARM, AUGUST 2019-20				
Offense Type	2019 2020 %			
All Violent Offenses 2,251 3293 UP 46.3%				

All violent crimes with a weapon type of firearm have been in an upward trend since January!

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR AGENCY!







TIBRS DATA SUBMISSION SCHEDULE

SUBMISSION DATE	REQUIRED DATA RANGE	DATA IN FILE
Wed. October 7	0000 Oct. 1 thru 2359 Oct. 3	October
Wed. October 14	0000 Oct. 4 thru 2359 Oct. 10	October
Wed. October 21	0000 Oct. 11 thru 2359 Oct. 17	October
Wed. October 28	0000 Oct. 18 thru 2359 Oct. 24	October
Wed. November 4	0000 Oct. 25 thru 2359 Oct. 31	October
*Thur. November 12 (The 11 th is Veterans Day)	0000 Nov. 1 thru 2359 Nov. 7	November
Wed. November 18	0000 Nov. 8 thru 2359 Nov. 14	November
Wed. November 25	0000 Nov. 15 thru 2359 Nov. 21	November
Wed. December 2	0000 Nov. 22 thru 2359 Nov. 29	November
Wed, December 9 – 1 of 2	0000 Nov. 30 thru 2359 Nov. 31	November
Wed, December 9 – 2 of 2	0000 Dec. 1 thru 2359 Dec. 5	December
Wed. December 16	0000 Dec. 6 thru 2359 Dec. 12	December
Wed. December 23	0000 Dec. 13 thru 2359 Dec. 19	December
Wed. December 30	0000 Dec. 20 thru 2359 Dec. 26	December
Wed. January 6 – 1 of 2	0000 Dec. 27 thru 2359 Dec. 31	December
Wed. January 6 – 2 of 2	0000 Jan. 1 thru 2359 Jan. 2	January

QUESTIONS ABOUT DATA SUBMISSIONS?

PLEASE CALL ASHLEY ANDERSON OR YOUR AUDITOR!







TIBRS AUDIT TIPS OF THE MONTH

On occasion, auditors have reviewed reports in which available narratives have been an abbreviated version of the officer's original narrative. In some instances, a narrative was not available for review in the agency RMS or, if used for reporting, TnCOP.

Your auditor uses an officer's *complete* report, including the officer's narrative, to classify incidents and verify each segment of the TIBRS entry. While a narrative does not have to be lengthy, it should be thorough, concise and answer the questions of *Who*, *What*, *When*, *Where*, *How* and, if known, *Why*. Please do not re-word or change your officer's narrative.

While we are sympathetic to instances in which a narrative cannot be entered due to a sensitive, on-going investigation, we find these instances are rare and can be easily resolved. In Tennessee, the required entry of narratives into the agency's reporting software began in January 2009.







TIBRS ONLINE TRAINING SCHEDULE

September 2020	Class Type	Start/Finish Time		
Tuesday, September 15 th	RAC Orientation/CrimeInsight	0830-1230		
Tuesday, September 22 nd	RAC Orientation/CrimeInsight	1300-1700		
Wednesday, September 23 rd	1 st Part of Intro to Data Collection	1230-1630		
Thursday, September 24 th	2 nd Part of Intro to Data Collection	1230-1630		
October 2020	Class Type	Start/Finish Time		
Thursday October 1 st	RAC Orientation/CrimeInsight	1230-1630		
Wednesday, October 7 th 1 st Part of Intro to Data Collection		0830-1230		
Thursday, October 8 th	2 nd Part of Intro to Data Collection	0830-1230		
Wednesday, October 14 th	RAC Orientation/CrimeInsight	0830-1230		
ALL CLASSES ARE CENTRAL TIME				

SIGNING UP FOR TIBRS TRAINING

All TIBRS online classes are limited to the first 15 participants to sign up.

RAC Orientation/CrimeInsight does not count toward introductory or recertification training requirements for RACs and/or Alternate RACs.

However, due to the many advantages of using CrimeInsight, such as Mapping and details on how to run and build reports, we highly recommend that RACs and Alternate RACs attend this class!

Please remember, CrimeInsight is not voluntary.

It is mandatory, and a vital component to your TIBRS program!

If you have questions concerning TIBRS classes, or would like to sign up for a class, please contact: Abby.S.Claud@tn.gov.







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ANSWERS TO THE TIBRS QUIZ

Questions	Answers
1	No
2	E. Any of the above.
3	False. As stated earlier in this newsletter, using CrimeInsight is mandatory.
4	B. The data must replicate overnight.
5	No. You can also view the Theme-Oriented Public Site (TOPS).
BONUS	C. Bernie Tiede







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