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May 1, 2021 NSCHC Rule is now effective

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Office of the Chief Risk Officer
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National Service Criminal History Check Rule Now In Effect

The National Service Criminal History Check rule is effective today, May 1, 2021, and applies to individuals who begin work or service on or after this date and who are required to complete the national service criminal history checks.

Individuals who start work or service prior to May 1, 2021, and who will remain in work or service after November 1, 2021, must complete a national service criminal history check that complies with the final rule by November 1, 2021.

[Read the Final Rule](#)

Grant recipients can access recorded trainings, review summary information, and FAQs regarding the rule online. **We updated resources as of May 1, 2021**, to update links to reflect the new National Service Criminal History Check page on our website and to add clarity regarding AmeriCorps State and National Portal enrollments for programs with approved waivers. We also added an [additional Training and Q&A session](#) that is available for all programs to attend Thursday, May 13, at 3:00 p.m. ET.

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