



Electronic Tools

Working With The Social Security Administration

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FPLS External Locate Sources

Social Security Administration

Department of Defense

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Department of Veterans Affairs

Internal Revenue Service

National Security Agency

New!

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SSA Locate Enhancements

- State Verification and Exchange System (SVES)
 - Implemented May 2002
 - Provided upon request daily instead of weekly
 - Requires system changes
 - Forty-one States now request SVES
- Self-employment indicator and income – March 2005
- SVES for children – September 2005
 - Requires State to process 'locate' for the child
- Proactive SVES data upon request – July 2007

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SVES Data Exchange

SSA Title II (earned)	Retired, Survivors, Disabled
SSA Title XVI (needs tested)	Supplemental Security Income Aged, Blind, Disabled
Prisoner Data	Local, State, Federal Institutions

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Title II Data

- Recipient name, address, and date of birth
- Date and amount of entitlement
- Historical record of benefits
- Denial, suspension, and termination
- Claim Number & Beneficiary Identification Code
- Railroad Retirement indicator
- Verified death information

Arizona, Iowa and New York automate IWO

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Title XVI Data

- Recipient name, address, and date of birth
- Benefit payee information
- Date of benefit or benefit denial
- Current payment status and amount
- Historical payment information
- Verified death information

Minnesota uses data for review and adjustment

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Prisoner Data

- Over 6,500 correctional institutions
- Match on verified SSN
- Cost recovery program
- Information is historical

Great locate data!

*Colorado and Massachusetts find obligors
Colorado collects \$25,000 each month!*

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Inmate Locator

Federal Bureau of Prisons

- Search by first and last name or prisoner ID
- Receive actual or projected date of release
- <http://www.bop.gov/iloc2/LocateInmate.jsp>

VINELink

- Search by first and last name or offender ID
- Track in-custody status and date of release
- Register to receive auto notifications
- <http://www.vinelink.com>

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Self-Employment Information

- Implemented in early 2005
- Indicator and amount of self-employment income
- Found in E01 record
- Requires State system change

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SVES for Children

- Implemented with September 2005 release
- Returns same data as provided for adults
- Requires State to send 'locate' request for a child
- Some States identified design issues

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SVES Proactive Match

- Effective with Release 07-01, July 13, 2007
- Returns SVES match data for added or changed person (CP, NCP/PF and children)
- Identifies recipients and denied claims
- Requires that State submit request for proactive match (Data Election form)

Send IWO on recipients and denied claims

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Important to Remember...

- Provided upon request
- Pending claim information not included (expected in 2008)
- Print program can be used
- Most complete data available
- *Great to automate!*



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Contact

- OCSE Web Site

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/cse/>

- Technical Assistance Guide (TAG)

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/cse/newhire/library/fcr/fcr.htm>

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