



Working together, Appriss and Watch Systems provide services covering nearly 70,000 sex offenders – about 15 percent of the registered sex offender population in the United States.



“It has been a tremendous help in bringing down the state’s non-compliance rate. We have been able to accurately identify sex offenders getting arrested in Ohio, Texas, Louisiana, and North Carolina.”

David Wolinski
Maryland Dept. of Public Safety



“We’ve been very pleased with the OffenderWatch™ System. We do believe that it’s making our community a safer place.”

James Hartman
St. Tammany Parish
Sheriff’s Spokesman

Appriss® and Watch Systems, LLC: Offering the Nation’s Leading Sex Offender Management Solution

State and local criminal justice agencies face a tough job of managing sex offenders in their jurisdictions. It’s crucial to protect the public and comply with the law. Now, Appriss and Watch Systems, two of the most trusted and experienced government technology providers, offer a smart, efficient solution for sex offender management.

This innovative partnership combines the comprehensive hosting capabilities of the Appriss Data Network™ with Watch Systems’ patented OffenderWatch™ application, the leading commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) sex offender registration and notification solution.

Important Statistics

In 2003, the U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics released a report that monitored a sample of sex offenders for a three-year period following their release from prison. The findings are fundamental to an understanding of the dynamics of sex offender management.

- Forty-three percent of sex offenders released from prison were re-arrested for some other crime.
- More than five percent of sex offenders released from prison were re-arrested for another sex crime.
- Re-arrest was a conservative measure of re-offense by the very nature of the offense itself, i.e., sex crimes happen in private, often against children.
- Arrests for crimes considered “minor or petty” are often not entered into official criminal records.
- Of the 43 percent of offenders arrested, nine out of 10 were on parole when taken into custody.
- Of the 43 percent of offenders re-arrested, one in six was arrested outside the state of release.

Arming law enforcement with tools to manage offenders and comply with legislation - Empowering communities and victims.

Appriss: Data Management and Victim Notification

- Developed and currently hosts interface with the National Sex Offender Registry
- FBI CJIS compliant, linked with both Nlets and the U.S. Department of Justice JCONN network
- Appriss Data Network serves more than 2,000 criminal justice agencies in 43 states
- Data resource for victims: access to key information about a sex offender's location, compliance status, and ongoing court proceedings for a victim
- Data resource for law enforcement: increased monitoring of offenders with data on conditions of parole and compliance
- Victim notification options available

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Watch Systems: Registration and Community Notification

- Web-based local registration tool
- Integrated Mapping – Geographic Risk Assessment
- Safety Buffer Management
- Community notification via the Web, e-mail or postal mail
- Compliant with Adam Walsh Act
- Geo-Address Scrubber
- Verification tools
- Hosting services for public Web portals
- Automatic upgrades of new OffenderWatch™ features as they are released
- Help desk support for law enforcement users
- First-level support for technical or mapping problems

Put Appriss and Watch Systems to work for you.

For more information about our sex offender management solutions or to arrange for a demonstration, contact Appriss at 1-866-Appriss (1-866-277-7477) or info@appriss.com.

