

The Forms and Guidelines section has undergone the following revisions.

- The Offense Code Tables have been moved from the Forms and Guidelines section effective through 2013 and display directly under the main forms and guidelines header.
- The forms and guidelines for Index Crimes, Hate Crimes, and Supplemental effective through 2013 have been moved to the **Previous Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting Updates** section. The forms and guidelines can be accessed by clicking on 2013.
- The forms and guidelines are now listed with the most current year displaying first. Forms and guidelines for 2016, 2015, and 2014 are displayed.
- In the new structure, all of the forms and guidelines effective in 2015 are provided, though Hate Crime was the only reporting element with changes. There were no changes to the guidelines for Index Crime, Hate Crime and Domestic Offenses in 2015.
- There were no changes to the reporting guidelines for any of the reporting elements in 2016; however, additional information was added to the classification section of the Index Crimes to assist in the compilation of data. Agencies are encouraged to review the enhanced document.
- There are two new mandated reporting elements effective with the 2016 reporting year. The forms and guidelines for Supplemental Homicide Reporting (SHR) have been posted in the Forms and Guidelines section. The forms and guidelines for the second reporting element, Police Related/Custodial Deaths will be posted once approved.

