

Effective August 1, 2019, Domestic Offenses reporting will require a monthly submission retroactive to January 2019. Historically, agencies have submitted domestic offense incidents and if no incidents occurred during the month, nothing was submitted. This process made it difficult to distinguish between agencies who had no incidents to report versus noncompliant agencies who had failed to report domestic offenses. To remedy this, a 'no incident' record must now be submitted if an agency had no domestic offense incidents to report for a particular month. This is similar to the 'no incident' record submission processes in place for hate crimes, supplemental homicide reporting, arrest related deaths, and officer non-fatal shooting reporting.

The reporting tool has been modified to allow for the entry of either an incident or 'no incident' record dating back to January 2019. This functionality will be deployed on **August 1, 2019**. If an agency has entered a domestic offense in any month(s) January through July, 'no incident' records will need to be entered for any month(s) where no offenses were reported.

Example:

An agency entered a domestic offense(s) in February, April, and July 2019. Once the 'no incident' functionality is deployed on August 1, 'no incident' records must be entered for January, March, May, and June 2019. Until a record has been entered for each month January through July, an August domestic offense cannot be entered.

A Domestic Offenses section will be added to the Welcome Page of the reporting tool on August 1, 2019. The section will display delinquent months from January 2019 forward, as well as an indicator when reporting is current and up to date.

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