



Finding Information on Criminal Justice

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To find books, CDs, and DVDs in the library

The **Library Catalog** can be accessed via the library's homepage:
www.nhti.edu/library

> **Click on the On-Line Catalog button**

(The catalog can also be accessed directly at:
www.library.ccsnh.edu)

Search tips: Search for books in the library catalog (see also General Research Guide). Start with a keyword or subject search. Select Concord as your location. When you find an interesting book, look at the subject headings in the record.

By selecting any one of those links, you can refine your search to include all books with that particular subject heading. Be sure to write down shelf location and call number to locate the book.

Library	Shelf Location	Call Number	Item Status
Concord	General Collection	HV 6791 .N38 2010	Available

Examples of keywords: criminal justice, corrections, police, law enforcement

Browsing: You can also browse the shelves at the library. The books in the library are organized by the Library of Congress Classification system, which uses letters and numbers as a code for a subject. This code is referred to as the call number. The following LC classes will be helpful to you: **HV 6001-99220 – for Criminology; KF for United States Law**

Select NEW BOOKS available in our collection:

Criminology: Theories, Patterns, and Typologies by Siegel HV6025 .S48 2010
Effective Interviewing and Interrogation Techniques by Gordon & Fleisher HV8073 .G64 2011
Familicidal Hearts: The Emotional Styles of 211 Killers by Websdale HV6626 .W43 2010
Forensic Science in Court by Shelton KF9674 .S54 2011
Homeland Security: An Introduction to Principles and Practice by Nemeth HV6432.4 .N46 2010
Leading Constitutional Cases on Criminal Justice edited by Weinreb KF9618 .L38 2010
Policewomen Who Made History: Breaking Through the Ranks by Snow HV8023 .S66 2010
When Brute Force Fails by Kleiman HV6025.K545 W446 2010
Why Girls Fight: Female Youth Violence in the Inner City by Ness HV6791 .N38 2010

Select REFERENCE BOOKS available in our collection:

Atlas of Crime: Mapping the Criminal Landscape REF HV6783 .A85 2000
Crime State Rankings REF HV6787 .C77 2010
Criminal Justice REF KF9214.5 .C75 2006
Encyclopedia of Crime and Punishment REF HV6017 .E524 2002
Encyclopedia of Law Enforcement REF HV7921 .E53 2005
The Encyclopedia of Unsolved Crimes REF HV6251 .N48 2010
Encyclopedia of Women and Crime REF HV6046 .E56 2000
Prentice Hall's Dictionary of American Criminal Justice, Criminology, and Criminal Law REF KF9223.A68 F35 2010

Select DVDs and CDs available in our collection:

A Hard Straight DVD HV9305.C2 H37 2004

Juvenile Justice DVD HV9106.I53 J8 2002

Scared Straight! 20 Years Later DVD HV9105 .S337 1999

When Kids Get Life DVD HV9105.C6 W44 2007

Reserved Books

Go to the circulation desk to sign out books and other materials assigned by your class instructor. These resources are for use in the library only. Reserved books are identified in the library catalog as RESERVE COLLECTION – Please see Circulation.

Sample titles:

- *The Friends of Eddie Coyle*
- *Judgment Ridge: The True Story Behind the Dartmouth Murders*
- *Our Little Secret: The True Story of a Teenager Killer and the Silence of a Small New England Town*

➤The library also has examples of Senior Projects on reserve.

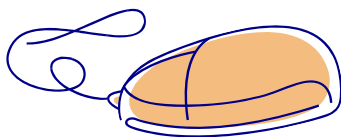
Magazines and Journals

The following print magazines and journals are available in the library but cannot be checked out. Articles may be scanned at the BookScan Station and emailed or saved to a USB drive. A coin operated photocopier is also available. A list of all the magazines is can be accessed from the library's homepage. Select Union List of Periodicals.

- *Corrections Forum*
- *Corrections Today*
- *Forensic Examiner*
- *Governing*
- *New Hampshire Trooper*
- *Police Chief*
- *Sheriff*

Electronic Resources

Off-campus access to electronic resources is restricted to members of the NHTI community. Use these instructions to access electronic resources off-campus.



Logging in to Electronic Resources Off-Campus:

Students:

If your email address is **jdoh123@students.ccsnh.edu** then your username is **jdoh123**

Faculty and Staff:

If your email address is **jdoh@ccsnh.edu** then your username is **jdoh**

In both cases your password is your email password.

eReference

Credo Reference is a multidisciplinary reference collection including directories, encyclopedias, fact or reference books and full-text books.

Sample titles:

- *Dictionary of Policing*, 2008
- *Dictionary of Prisons and Punishment*, 2008
- *Dictionary of Probation and Offender Management*, 2007
- *Dictionary of Youth Justice*, 2008
- *Great American Court Cases*, 1999
- *Guns in American Society: An Encyclopedia of History, Politics, Culture and the Law*, 2002
- *World of Criminal Justice*, 2002

Gale Virtual Reference is a multidisciplinary database of directories, encyclopedias, fact or reference books; full-text periodicals/journals; full text newspaper and other news sources; full-text ebooks and historical collections in digital format. (Password- conc90075)

Sample titles:

- *Encyclopedia of Law Enforcement*, 2005
- *West's Encyclopedia of American Law*, 2004

eBooks

eBooks on EBSCOhost® is an online collection of ebooks. Search by topic or title and view the full text of digital books. Create notes, download to portable devices, save, cite and email options available.

Sample titles:

- *Adventures in Criminology* by Radzinowicz, 2002
- *Constitutive Criminology at Work: Applications to Crime and Justice* by Henry, 1999
- *Foundations of Criminal Law* by Katz, 1999
- *Gun Culture or Gun Control?: Firearms, Violence, and Society* by Squires, 2002

EBRARY is an online e-book database listed on the Library's Database Page. The ebrary collection contains thousands of books that can be accessed off campus 24/7.

Sample titles:

- *Doing Prison Work: The Public and Private Lives of Prison Officers* by Crawley, 2004
- *Ethics of Interrogation* by Sherker, 2010
- *History and Crime* by Godfrey, Lawrence, and Williams, 2007
- *Key Perspectives in Criminology* by Tierney, 2009
- *Opportunities in Forensic Science Careers* by Camenson, 2001
- *Police Taser Utilization: The Effect of Policy Change* by Miller, 2010
- *Race, Ethnicity, and Policing: New and Essential Readings* by Rice and White, 2010
- *Understanding Criminal Investigation* by Tong, Bryant, and Horvath, 2009
- *Truth Machine: The Contentious History of DNA Fingerprinting* by Lynch, Cole, and Jordan, 2010
- *Youth Offending and Youth Justice* by Barry and McNeill, 2009

Article Databases

The NHTI Library subscribes to comprehensive article databases: **EBSCOHost**, **JSTOR** and **ProQuest**. All are accessible via the library homepage. The lists below are just a selection of the many titles available in these Databases. If you are looking for a particular title check the publications list in each database. **All databases may be searched by topic keywords.**

EBSCOHost Provides online access to articles, e-books, and reference books. Create your personal MyEBSCOhost account to save and organize your research with folders, save preferences, save and retrieve search history.

Sample titles:

- *American Journal of Criminal Law*
- *British Journal of Criminology*
- *Criminal Justice Ethics*
- *Criminology*
- *Forensic Science Policy & Management*
- *Howard Journal of Criminal Justice*
- *Law & Policy*
- *Legal & Criminological Psychology*

JSTOR Contains more than a thousand academic journals and over 1 million images, letters, and other primary sources. Main focus is arts and humanities. Register a MyJSTOR account in order to save, email and export citations.

Sample titles:

- *Crime and Justice*
- *The Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology*
- *Journal of Law and Society*

PROQUEST Access journal, magazine, and newspaper articles. Also contains e-books. Primary subject focus is news, science, and business. The My Research feature lets you save documents you find useful and view details from your searches during your ProQuest session. You can then print a bibliography and email or export several documents at once.

Sample titles:

- *American Journal of Criminal Justice*
- *Criminal Justice Ethics*
- *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*

eResources

Criminal Justice Abstracts with Full Text™ contains more than 200,000 records selected from the most important sources within the discipline. Subject areas covered include: criminology; criminal justice; criminal law and procedure; corrections and prisons; police and policing; criminal investigation; forensic sciences and investigation; history of crime; substance abuse and addiction; probation and parole. Access from the Ebsco Host menu.

LexisNexis® Academic allows users to access federal and state cases. Search by topic, citation, attorney, judge, or case name.

Internet Resources

Federal Bureau of Investigation www.fbi.gov

This site includes FBI data, history, crime alerts, crime statistics, reports on major investigations, etc.

National Institute of Corrections www.nicic.org

This site provides resources for both practitioners and researchers in corrections. Features include searchable archives of news in corrections, an online research library, and the NIC Learning Center providing online courses.

NH Motor Vehicle Code www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rsa/html/NHTOC/NHTOC-XXI.htm

Includes chapters of the New Hampshire State statutes that pertain to motor vehicles.

NH State Laws www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rsa/html/indexes/default.html

Includes a browsable index and full text searching. Also contains links to pending legislation and a list of changes that have been made to RSAs during the past decade.

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention www.ojjdp.gov

Offers news, information, training and employment opportunities for professionals in juvenile justice. Includes an online library of juvenile justice articles.

Supreme Court Oral Arguments www.supremecourt.gov/oral_arguments/

Links to oral argument transcripts and audio files. Also provides access to guides, hearing lists, and the Supreme Court Calendar.

Uniform Crime Reports www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/ucr/ucr

Access to uniform, annual crime statistics compiled from data provided by over 17,000 law enforcement agencies from across the nation.

Associations

- New Hampshire Association of Chiefs of Police, www.nhchiefsofpolice.com
- New Hampshire Police Association, www.nhpolice.net

Online Career Resources

Career Library features Industry Career Guides, Career Profiles, Job Application and Interview Advice. Career Library can be accessed through the Databases page.

Learning Express Access is through the NHTI Library Databases page. Online tutorials in all NHTI skill-areas. Includes assessment, skill-building, and test preparation. Learning Express provides professional hand scoring of writing and provides targeted direction for further study. Offers test preparation for GED, AP, SAT, ACT, GRE, GMAT, MCAT, TOEFL, ASVAB, civil service, and a full range of professional licensing exams. Available 24/7 from anywhere. Free registration required for access.

➤ Also provides exam preparation courses and practice exams for border patrol, corrections, court office, police officer, police sergeant, probation officer, state trooper, treasury enforcement agent, and law enforcement.