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Federal Investigations Notice (FIN)

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Subject: Products and Services Reimbursable Billing Rates for FY 2025 and FY 2026

This notice announces updated FY 2025 DCSA products and services with associated pricing effective October 1, 2024 (superseding FIN 23-03) and introduces new products and services with pricing for FY 2026 effective October 1, 2025. DCSA funds all products and services detailed in the attachments through reimbursable customer orders via its Working Capital Fund. Based on feedback from customers and other stakeholders, this FIN provides more background information and product pricing details.

Certain FY 2025 products and services are updated to account for changes in the deployment timeline for National Background Investigation Services (NBIS) program capabilities. This FIN reflects the services we will continue to offer in FY 2025. Major changes from FIN 23-03 are:

- 1) Legacy 5-tier background investigations (BI) throughout FY 2025,
- 2) Trusted Workforce (TW) 1.25 continuous vetting (CV) service for Federal agencies outside DOD, with a planned transition to TW 1.5 Interim CV service in the 4th quarter of FY 2025, and
- 3) TW 1.5 Interim CV service for DOD Components.

Per FIN 23-03, DCSA will offer adjudication services bundled with BI and CV products for DOD customers beginning in FY 2025. DCSA is not adjusting rates in this FIN on any previously announced products and services for FY 2025.

As announced last year, starting in FY 2026 DCSA will begin a multi-year plan to establish full-cost recovery prices for all products and services. After 6 years of maintaining or lowering rates to return cash to customers and reduce cash reserves, DCSA will increase BI rates by 10 percent and CV rates by an inflationary-driven 3 percent over FY 2025 rates. Although DCSA is still assessing future pricing, the planned multi-year full cost recovery price setting will continue during FY 2027, and customers should prepare their budgets assuming there will be a similar price increase as FY 2026. Projected pricing for FY 2026 and FY 2027 does not include any costs associated with NBIS development. The Department of Defense is committed to funding NBIS development and will not pass those costs on to our customers.

In accordance with DOD financial regulations, DCSA has received initial approval from the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) to publish these FY 2026 rates. Final OUSD(C) approval will be documented in the annual DOD-wide WCF Rates Memorandum, which should be published around February 2025. DCSA remains committed to full price transparency and partnering with all customers and stakeholders to continue to identify cost and timeliness efficiencies. Please contact your customer liaisons or your DCSA OCFO representatives for further information and assistance.

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Attachments: 1) FY 2025 DCSA Billing Rates; 2) FY 2026 DCSA Billing Rates

FY 2025 DCSA Billing Rates

Section 1A: Initial and Reinvestigation Vetting Products and Services

Following the publication of its FY25 Products and Services catalog ([FIN 23-03](#)) in September 2023, DCSA determined that unplanned technical capability limitations required it to offer alternate legacy and Trusted Workforce (TW) fully compliant products and services for FY 2025. These offerings include 5-tier BI products throughout FY 2025 vs transitioning to TW 3-Tier BIs. DCSA will also continue to offer legacy reinvestigation products in FY 2025 with the expectation that most customers will continue to transition to CV services in lieu of reinvestigations. Five-Tier BI rates are 1% below FY 2023 rates, while most other initial vetting products remain at the same FY 2023 rates.

Table 1.1 lists the Legacy 5-Tier BI Products rates for Federal Agencies outside DOD.

FY25 Table 1.1: Legacy 5-Tiered Background Investigations for non-DoD Agencies

Case Type		Case Service	
		Standard	Priority
T1	Tier 1	\$179	<i>N/A</i>
T2	Tier 2	\$415	\$450
T2R	Tier 2 Reinvestigation	\$375	\$405
T3	Tier 3	\$415	<i>N/A</i>
T3R	Tier 3 Reinvestigation	\$375	<i>N/A</i>
T4	Tier 4	\$4,055	\$4,380
T4R	Tier 4 Reinvestigation	\$2,505	\$2,705
T5	Tier 5	\$5,355	\$5,785
T5R	Tier 5 Reinvestigation	\$2,935	\$3,170

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

Table 1.2 lists the Legacy 5-Tier BI Products rates bundled with Adjudications for DOD Components. These products are mandatory for all DOD customers. In contrast to FIN 23-03, DCSA has not included rates for stand-alone Adjudications products and associated prices. DCSA never intended to offer these stand-alone products but originally included them for customer visibility into how DCSA determined its bundled rates.

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FY25 Table 1.2: Legacy 5-Tiered Background Investigations with Adjudication Services for DOD

Case Type	Case Service	
	Standard	Priority
T1A Tier 1	\$307	N/A
T2A Tier 2	\$668	\$720
T2RA Tier 2 Reinvestigation	\$628	\$680
T3A Tier 3	\$668	N/A
T3RA Tier 3 Reinvestigation	\$628	N/A
T4A Tier 4	\$4,374	\$4,725
T4RA Tier 4 Reinvestigation	\$2,824	\$3,050
T5A Tier 5	\$5,674	\$6,130
T5RA Tier 5 Reinvestigation	\$3,254	\$3,515

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

Optional Extra Coverage Fees are charged to both non-DOD and DOD customers who request these products, with the fees shown in Table 1.3.

FY25 Table 1.3: Optional Extra Coverage Fees

Extra Coverage	Available Case Types	Fee
Bar Association License Check (BAR) <i>Includes the potential need for multiple BAR checks and all associated state fees</i>	All	\$16
Bureau of Vital Statistics Check (BVS)	All	\$15
Credit Check (CRED)	NAC, T1	\$12
State Criminal History Repository Check (SCHR) <i>Includes the potential need for multiple SCHR checks and all associated state fees</i>	All	\$48

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

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DCSA will continue to bill for required expanded coverage on a case-by-case basis as depicted in Table 1.4.

FY25 Table 1.4: Required Expanded Coverage Fees

<i>Expanded Coverage</i> <i>Fee(s) will be applied when expanded coverage is required</i>	Eligible Case Types	Fee
International Coverage (INTL)	All	\$900
Triggered Enhanced Subject Interview (TESI)	T1, T2, T2R, T3, T3R, T1A, T2A, T2RA, T3A & T3RA	\$960
Name Search for Spouse and/or Cohabitant (SFPN/SFBN)	NAC	\$26

Note: This product and rate remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

Section 1B: Other Initial Vetting Products and Services

DCSA offers the products described in Table 1.5 to customers as requested.

FY25 Table 1.5: Other Background Investigation Products

Case Type	Billing Rate
NAC National Agency Check	\$140
eFP Electronic FBI Fingerprint Classification Check ¹	\$20

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

¹ eFP checks merged with another investigation within 120 days of the initial submission date will not be billed separately. eFP checks that do not merge with another investigation will be billed separately or after the 120-day waiting period has ended.

Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA to be invoiced.
 - Initial Vetting products and service will require a separate interagency agreement from other DCSA products and services.
 - DCSA may accept and process case requests prior to the completion of the interagency agreement and pending the availability of funds. DCSA maintains the authority to decline new case requests and/or suspend work if interagency agreements are not received and funded in a timely manner.
- Requestors are responsible for providing the required financial information needed for DCSA to apply the case request to a funded agreement. Requests that have invalid or missing information will be rejected or flagged for further action.
- Customers will be billed monthly based on the number of case requests received in the prior month and adjustments made to any prior case requests.

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- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.
- DOD customers will be billed for background investigation services at case scheduling (as DCSA has done in previous years), and adjudication services following closure of the BI case.

Section 1C: RSI and SAC Requests

DCSA will continue to offer various items that can be ordered via a Reimbursable Suitability/Security Investigation (RSI) or a Special Agreement Check (SAC). RSI and SAC requests include a one-time processing fee in addition to the individual items requested. For further instructions about requesting items visit www.dcsa.mil. Table 1.6 describes the price to initiate an RSI or SAC. Table 1.7 through 1.8 describe individual fees incurred per check. DOD customers will not be charged RSI fees for RSIs generated by the DOD Adjudications Service in support of a DOD adjudication as these costs are included in both the bundled tiered BI and CV costs.

FY25 Table 1.6: RSI & SAC Processing Fees

Reimbursable Suitability/Security Investigation (RSI) Processing Fee	Standard \$90	Priority \$97
Special Agreement Check (SAC) Processing Fee	\$11	

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

FY25 Table 1.7: RSI & SAC Individual Fees

Item	RSI / SAC Code	Fee
Bureau of Vital Statistics Check (BVS)	N	\$15
Citizenship and Immigration Services Check (IMM and STPA)	I	\$6
Credit Check (CRED)	E	\$12
Defense Central Index of Investigations Check (DCII)	D	\$11
FBI Fingerprint Classification Check (FBIF)	B	\$12
FBI Fingerprint Name-Only Check (FBFN) - SAC Request Only	K	\$2
FBI Investigations Files Check (FBIN)	C	\$24
Financial Crimes Enforcement Network Check (FNCN) – RSI Request Only	V	\$10
Interpol Search - RSI Request Only	T	\$6
Investigative Agencies Check (INVA)	H	\$8
Military Discharge Check (MILD)	4 / L	\$3
Military Personnel Records Check (MILR)	G	\$16
National Crime Information Center/Interstate Identification Index Check (NCIC/III)	X	\$6
Security/Suitability Investigations Index Check (SII)	A	\$5

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FY25 Table 1.7: RSI & SAC Individual Fees

Item	RSI / SAC Code	Fee
Spouse/Cohabitant National Agency Check (Spouse/Cohab NAC) ²	S	\$42
State Criminal History Repository (SCHR) Coverage – SAC Request Only	8	\$48

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

FY25 Table 1.8: Fieldwork Items (Available only with RSI Requests)

Item	RSI Code	Standard Fee	Priority Fee
Affidavit ³	P	\$250	\$270
Certified Testimony	M	\$335	\$360
Enhanced Subject Interview	3	\$1,035	\$1,120
Hardcopy Document Attachments ⁴	K	\$50	\$54
Personal Source	5	\$385	\$415
Record Search	2	\$250	\$270
Subject Contact	6	\$250	\$270
Triggered Enhanced Subject Interview	7	\$960	\$1,037

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

Note: Case Type Code “92” and Case Service Code “A” will be used for all SAC requests. Case Type “43” and the requested Cases Service Code will be used for all RSI requests.

Section 2: TW Continuous Vetting (CV) Products and Services

As described in Section 1A, after publication of [FIN 23-03](#), DCSA determined that unplanned technical capability limitations required it to offer alternate services for FY 2025. These offerings include TW 1.25 CV services and TW 1.5 Interim CV services vs transitioning to the full TW 2.0 CV service as originally planned. These CV services and their accompanying prices for FY 2025 are outlined in Table 2.1.

In FIN 23-03, DCSA published a standalone rate of \$120 for a new fee for service adjudication products, Customer Service Requests (CSRs) for DOD customers. In conjunction with customer coordination, DCSA determined it would be cumbersome and costly to track, bill, and collect ‘per-CSR’ in FY 2025 and ‘per-CSR’ billing was not in DCSA’s nor customers’ overall best interests. As a result, DCSA will include CSR costs in the TW 1.5 Interim CVA service subscription (per CV enrollee) vs pricing/charging per CSR.

² Spouse/Cohab NAC includes SSII, SFPN, SFBN and SDCl. Additional FBI fees will be applied for multiple spouses/cohabitants checks.

³ Affidavit must be ordered in combination with another Fieldwork Item

⁴ Hardcopy Document Attachments must be ordered in combination with another Fieldwork Item

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FY25 Table 2.1: TW CV Services

TW CV Service Type	Monthly Subscription Fee per Active Enrollee
<p>TW 1.25 CV Service Non-Sensitive Public Trust (NSPT) <i>Initial CV Service for Non-Sensitive Public Trust Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for one data category 	<p>\$3.25 (\$39.00 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.25 CV Service for Non-DOD <i>Continued CV Service for non-DOD National Security Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for three data categories 	<p>\$3.25 (\$39.00 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.5 CV Interim Service for Non-DOD <i>New CV Service for non-DOD National Security Positions Planned to begin in the 4th Qtr of FY 2025</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for all seven TW 1.5 compliant data categories • Actionable Alert Resolution (AAR) using TW 1.5 policy 	<p>\$6.50 (\$78.00 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.5 CVA Interim Service for DOD <i>Continued CV service for National Security Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for all seven TW 1.5 compliant data categories • Actionable Alert Resolution (AAR) using TW 1.5 policy • Adjudication Services (includes Incident Report (IR), Continuous Vetting Alert Adjudication (CVAA), and RSIs) • Customer Service Request (CSR) costs 	<p>\$7.40 (\$88.80 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>

Note: These products have been updated from FIN 23-03

**Annual Subscription Fee assumes the subject is actively enrolled the entire year.*

Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will be billed the monthly subscription fee per each enrollee that was active at any point in the prior month.
- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA prior to receiving TW CV Service.
- No refunds or adjustments will be provided for partial month enrollment.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

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Section 3: Expedited Screening Protocol (ESP) Products

DCSA developed and implemented the ESP product in response to Public Law 115-91 directing DOD to establish a centralized process for the screening and vetting of covered individuals with foreign risk requiring access to DOD systems, facilities, personnel, information, including access to classified information. DCSA provides this service to all DOD initial BI (T3/T5) (triggered as a result of self-reported or developed foreign influence), International Military Student (IMS) populations and to priority CV subjects and personnel outside of traditional customer base. DCSA also offers ESP products to Federal Agencies outside DOD.

FY25 Table 3.1: Expedited Screening Protocol (ESP) Products

ESP Standard <i>Standard ESP review</i>	\$72
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Note: This products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

FY25 Table 3.2: ESP IMS Products

ESP International Military Student (IMS) Products	Billing Rate
ESP IMS Initial Review <i>Standard ESP review with biometric analysis</i>	\$93
ESP IMS Continuous Review <i>90-day follow-up review of ESP IMS IR</i>	\$77

Note: These products and rates remain unchanged from those originally published in FIN 23-03

Ordering and Invoicing

- ESP customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA.
 - Exception: To meet ESP policies established within the DOD, an ESP check will be automatically conducted on DOD submissions if a foreign nexus is identified during the review of the subject’s SF 86 or otherwise developed. Subsequently, DOD customers will be charged for an ESP Standard check when this situation occurs. ESP checks may be conducted prior to the completion of the interagency agreement and pending the availability of funds. DCSA maintains the authority to decline new case requests and/or suspend work if interagency agreements are not received and funded in a timely manner.
- Customers will be billed monthly for each ESP product that was completed in the prior month.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

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Section 4: Investigative Service Provider (ISP) DCSA Systems Access

This section is relevant to non-DOD and DOD customers.

FY25 Table 4.1: ISP Systems Access

<p>Per request initiated in DCSA’s Standard Form Processing System <i>(e.g. eQIP or eApp)</i></p>	<p>\$9</p>
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Note: This fee remains unchanged from that originally published in FIN 23-03

NOTE: This service is only for agencies who meet the following criteria:

- A delegated ISP
- Do not order any background investigations from DCSA

Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA prior to initiating requests.
- Customers will be billed quarterly for each request initiated in DCSA’s Standard Form Processing System in the prior quarter.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

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Section 5: Other Products and Services

FY25 Table 5.1: Other Products and Services

Product		Billing Rate
PRA	<p>Presidential Rank Award On-site Evaluation</p> <p><i>DCSA offers this product exclusively to the Office of Personnel Management in support of its Presidential Rank Award program.</i></p>	\$1,257
PAEI	<p>Publicly Available Electronic Information</p> <p><i>DCSA is planning to offer this new product in FY 2025. DCSA is still assessing detailed costing to determine a final price, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.</i></p>	TBD
NLEAD	<p>National Law Enforcement Accountability Database</p> <p><i>DCSA is planning to offer this new product in FY 2025 to Federal law enforcement agencies to specifically support the hiring, promotion, and job assignment of Federal law enforcement officers (LEOs) in accordance with Executive Order 14074. DCSA is still assessing detailed costing to determine a final price, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.</i></p>	TBD
NBIS Services	<p>National Background Investigation Services - Shared Services</p> <p><i>DCSA remains committed to providing NBIS shared services to agency customers and will keep customers informed of its progress to develop these services. DCSA is still assessing actual services and detailed costing to determine final services and prices, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.</i></p>	TBD

FY 2026 DCSA Billing Rates

Section 1A: Initial and Reinvestigations Legacy Vetting Products and Services

DCSA will continue to offer the 5-Tier Federal Investigative Standard products throughout FY 2026. Begun in FY 2025, DCSA will continue to offer adjudications (ADJ) services as a fee for service to DOD customers. DCSA will continue to price and deliver BI adjudication as part of (“bundled”) with its BI products. FY 2026 DCSA BI rates as well as the TESI and International Service increase 10% (rounded to the nearest \$1) from FY 2025 rates. Data record checks rates remain unchanged from FY 2025. DCSA will also continue to offer legacy reinvestigation products in FY 2026 with the expectation most customers will continue to transition to CV services in lieu of reinvestigations.

Table 1.1 lists the Legacy 5-Tier BI Products rates for other Federal Agencies outside DOD.

FY26 Table 1.1: Legacy 5-Tiered Background Investigations for non-DoD Agencies

Case Type		Case Service	
		Standard	Priority
T1	Tier 1	\$197	<i>N/A</i>
T2	Tier 2	\$455	\$491
T2R	Tier 2 Reinvestigation	\$410	\$443
T3	Tier 3	\$455	<i>N/A</i>
T3R	Tier 3 Reinvestigation	\$410	<i>N/A</i>
T4	Tier 4	\$4,460	\$4,817
T4R	Tier 4 Reinvestigation	\$2,755	\$2,975
T5	Tier 5	\$5,890	\$6,361
T5R	Tier 5 Reinvestigation	\$3,230	\$3,488

Table 1.2 lists the Legacy 5-Tier BI Products rates bundled with Adjudications for DOD components. These products are mandatory for all DOD customers. Although included in FIN 23-03, DCSA has not included rates for stand-alone Adjudications products and associated prices. DCSA never intended to offer these products but originally included them for customer visibility into how DCSA determined its bundled rates.

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FY26 Table 1.2: Legacy 5-Tiered Background Investigations with Adjudication Services for DOD

Case Type	Case Service	
	Standard	Priority
T1A Tier 1	\$338	N/A
T2A Tier 2	\$735	\$794
T2RA Tier 2 Reinvestigation	\$690	\$745
T3A Tier 3	\$735	N/A
T3RA Tier 3 Reinvestigation	\$690	N/A
T4A Tier 4	\$4,810	\$5,195
T4RA Tier 4 Reinvestigation	\$3,105	\$3,353
T5A Tier 5	\$6,240	\$6,739
T5RA Tier 5 Reinvestigation	\$3,580	\$3,866

FY26 Table 1.3: Optional Extra Coverage Fees

Extra Coverage	Available Case Types	Fee
Bar Association License Check (BAR) <i>Includes the potential need for multiple BAR checks and all associated state fees</i>	All	\$16
Bureau of Vital Statistics Check (BVS)	All	\$15
Credit Check (CRED)	NAC, T1	\$12
State Criminal History Repository Check (SCHR) <i>Includes the potential need for multiple SCHR checks and all associated state fees</i>	All	\$48

DCSA will continue to bill for required expanded coverage on a case-by-case basis as depicted in table 1.4.

FY26 Table 1.4: Required Expanded Coverage Fees

Expanded Coverage <i>Fee(s) will be applied when expanded coverage is required</i>	Eligible Case Types	Fee
International Coverage (INTL)	All	\$990
Triggered Enhanced Subject Interview (TESI)	T1, T2, T2R, T3, T3R, T1A, T2A, T2RA, T3A & T3RA	\$1,056
Name Search for Spouse and/or Cohabitant (SFPN/SFBN)	NAC	\$29

Note: FY 2026 DCSA BI rates include the increase of 10%.

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Section 1B: Other Products and Services

DCSA offers the products described in Table 1.5 to specific customers as requested.

FY26 Table 1.5: Other Background Investigation Products

Case Type	Billing Rate
NAC National Agency Check	\$140
eFP Electronic FBI Fingerprint Classification Check ⁵	\$20

Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA to be invoiced.
 - Initial Vetting products and service will require a separate interagency agreement from other DCSA products and services.
 - DCSA may accept and process case requests prior to the completion of the interagency agreement and pending the availability of funds. DCSA maintains the authority to decline new case requests and/or suspend work if interagency agreements are not received and funded in a timely manner.
- Requestors are responsible for providing the required financial information needed for DCSA to apply the case request to a funded agreement. Requests that have invalid or missing information will be rejected or flagged for further action.
- Customers will be billed monthly based on the number of case requests received in the prior month and adjustments made to any prior case requests.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.
- DOD customers will be billed for background investigation services at case scheduling (as DCSA has done in previous years), and adjudication services following closure of the BI case.

Section 1C: RSI and SAC Requests

DCSA will continue to offer various items that can be ordered via an RSI or a SAC. RSI and SAC requests include a one-time processing fee in addition to the individual items requested. For further instructions on requesting items visit www.dcsa.mil. FY26 Table 1.6 describes the price to initiate an RSI or SAC. FY26 Tables 1.7 through 1.8 describe individual fees incurred per check. DOD customers will not be charged RSI fees for RSIs generated by the DOD Adjudications Service in support of a DOD adjudication as these costs are included in both the bundled tiered BI and CV costs.

⁵ eFP checks merged with another investigation within 120 days of the initial submission date will not be billed separately. eFP checks that do not merge with another investigation will be billed separately or after the 120-day waiting period has ended.

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FY26 Table 1.6: RSI & SAC Processing Fees

Reimbursable Suitability/Security Investigation (RSI) Processing Fee	Standard \$90	Priority \$97
Special Agreement Check (SAC) Processing Fee	\$11	

Note: These fees remain unchanged from FY25

FY26 Table 1.7: RSI & SAC Individual Fees

Item	RSI / SAC Code	Fee
Bureau of Vital Statistics Check (BVS)	N	\$15
Citizenship and Immigration Services Check (IMM and STPA)	I	\$6
Credit Check (CRED)	E	\$12
Defense Central Index of Investigations Check (DCII)	D	\$11
FBI Fingerprint Classification Check (FBIF)	B	\$12
FBI Fingerprint Name-Only Check (FBFN) - SAC Request Only	K	\$2
FBI Investigations Files Check (FBIN)	C	\$24
Financial Crimes Enforcement Network Check (FNCN) – RSI Request Only	V	\$10
Interpol Search - RSI Request Only	T	\$6
Investigative Agencies Check (INVA)	H	\$8
Military Discharge Check (MILD)	4 / L	\$3
Military Personnel Records Check (MILR)	G	\$16
National Crime Information Center/Interstate Identification Index Check (NCIC/III)	X	\$6
Security/Suitability Investigations Index Check (SII)	A	\$5
Spouse/Cohabitant National Agency Check (Spouse/Cohab NAC) ⁶	S	\$42
State Criminal History Repository (SCHR) Coverage – SAC Request Only	8	\$48

Note: These fees remain unchanged from FY25

⁶ Spouse/Cohab NAC includes SSII, SFPN, SFBN and SDCI. Additional FBI fees will be applied for multiple spouses/cohabitants checks.

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FY26 Table 1.8: Fieldwork Items (Available only with RSI Requests)

Item	RSI Code	Standard Fee	Priority Fee
Affidavit ⁷	P	\$275	\$297
Certified Testimony	M	\$369	\$399
Enhanced Subject Interview	3	\$1,139	\$1,230
Hardcopy Document Attachments ⁸	K	\$55	\$59
Personal Source	5	\$424	\$458
Record Search	2	\$275	\$297
Subject Contact	6	\$275	\$297
Triggered Enhanced Subject Interview (TESI)	7	\$1,056	\$1,140

Note: The fees in this table reflect the BI rate increase of 10%.

Note: Case Type Code “92” and Case Service Code “A” will be used for all SAC requests. Case Type “43” and the requested Cases Service Code will be used for all RSI requests.

⁷ Affidavit must be ordered in combination with another Fieldwork Item

⁸ Hardcopy Document Attachments must be ordered in combination with another Fieldwork Item

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Section 2: TW Continuous Vetting (CV) Products and Services

Throughout FY 2026, DCSA will continue to offer the same TW CV services as in FY 2025 to include the new TW 1.5 CV Interim service to non-DOD Federal customers planned to start in late FY 2025. As shown below, DCSA included the TW 1.25 CV service to non-DOD Federal customers in FY 2026 in the event the TW 1.5 CV Interim service is delayed. DCSA will continue offering the same TW 1.5 Interim CV service with adjudication services to DOD customers in FY 2026, which includes the CSR costs as described in the FY 2025 Section 2. FY 2026 CV rates are increased an inflationary driven 3% from FY 2025 rates rounded to the nearest \$0.05.

FY26 Table 2.1: TW CV Services

TW CV Service Type	Monthly Subscription Fee per Active Enrollee
<p>TW 1.25 CV Service Non-Sensitive Public Trust (NSPT) <i>Initial CV Service for Non-Sensitive Public Trust Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for one data category 	<p>\$3.35 (\$40.20 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.25 CV Service for Non-DOD <i>Continued CV Service for Non-DOD National Security Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for three data categories 	<p>\$3.35 (\$40.20 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.5 CV Interim Service for Non-DOD <i>New CV Service for Non-DOD National Security Positions Planned to begin in the 4th Qtr of FY 2025</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for all seven TW 1.5 compliant data categories • Actionable Alert Resolution (AAR) using TW 1.5 policy 	<p>\$6.70 (\$80.40 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>
<p>TW 1.5 CVA Interim Service for DOD <i>Continued CV service for National Security Positions</i> Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated Record Checks (ARC) for all seven TW 1.5 compliant data categories • Actionable Alert Resolution (AAR) using TW 1.5 policy • Adjudication Services (includes Incident Report (IR), Continuous Vetting Alert Adjudication (CVAA), and RSIs) • Customer Service Request (CSR) costs 	<p>\$7.65 (\$91.80 Annual Subscription Fee*)</p>

*Annual Subscription Fee assumes the subject is actively enrolled the entire year.

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Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will be billed the monthly subscription fee per each enrollee that was active at any point in the prior month.
- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA prior to receiving TW CV Service.
- No refunds or adjustments will be provided for partial month enrollment.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

Section 3: Expedited Screening Protocol (ESP) Products

DCSA developed and implemented the ESP product in response to Public Law 115-91 directing DOD to establish a centralized process for the screening and vetting of covered individuals with foreign risk requiring access to DOD systems, facilities, personnel, information, including access to classified information. DCSA provides this service to all DOD initial BI (T3/T5) (triggered as a result of self-reported or developed foreign influence), International Military Student (IMS) populations and to priority CV subjects and personnel outside of traditional customer base. DCSA also offers ESP products to Federal Agencies outside the DOD. FY 2026 ESP rates are increased an inflationary driven 3% from FY2025 rates rounded to the nearest \$0.05.

FY26 Table 3.1: Expedited Screening Protocol (ESP) Products

ESP Standard <i>Standard ESP review</i>	\$74
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FY26 Table 3.2: ESP IMS Products

ESP International Military Student (IMS) Products	Billing Rate
ESP IMS Initial Review <i>Standard ESP review with biometric analysis</i>	\$96
ESP IMS Continuous Review <i>90-day follow-up review of ESP IMS IR</i>	\$79

Ordering and Invoicing

- ESP customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA.
 - Exception: To meet ESP policies established within the DOD, an ESP check will be automatically conducted on DOD submissions if a foreign nexus is identified during the review of the subject’s SF 86 or otherwise developed. Subsequently, DOD customers will be charged for an ESP Standard check when this situation

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occurs. ESP checks may be conducted prior to the completion of the interagency agreement and pending the availability of funds. DCSA maintains the authority to decline new case requests and/or suspend work if interagency agreements are not received and funded in a timely manner.

- Customers will be billed monthly for each ESP product that was completed in the prior month.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

Section 4: Investigative Service Provider (ISP) DCSA Systems Access

FY26 Table 4.1: ISP Systems Access

Per request initiated in DCSA’s Standard Form Processing System <i>(e.g., eQIP or eApp)</i>	\$9
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NOTE: This service is only for agencies who meet the following criteria

- A delegated ISP
- Do not order any background investigations from DCSA

Ordering and Invoicing

- Customers will need to use an existing interagency agreement or establish a new interagency agreement with DCSA prior to initiating requests.
- Customers will be billed quarterly for each request initiated in DCSA’s Standard Form Processing System in the prior quarter.
- Invoices will be separate from the invoices issued for other DCSA products and services.

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Section 5: Other Products and Services

FY26 Table 5.1: Other Products and Services

Product	Billing Rate
<p>PRA Presidential Rank Award On-site Evaluation</p> <p><i>DCSA offers this product exclusively to the Office of Personnel Management in support of its Presidential Rank Award program.</i></p>	\$1,383
<p>PAEI Publicly Available Electronic Information</p> <p><i>DCSA is planning to offer this new product starting in FY 2025. DCSA is still assessing detailed costing to determine a final price, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.</i></p>	TBD
<p>NLEAD National Law Enforcement Accountability Database</p> <p><i>DCSA is planning to offer this new product starting in FY 2025 to Federal law enforcement agencies to specifically support the hiring, promotion, and job assignment of Federal law enforcement officers (LEOs) in accordance with Executive Order 14074. DCSA is still assessing detailed costing to determine a final price, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.²</i></p>	TBD
<p>NBIS Services National Background Investigation Services Shared Services</p> <p><i>DCSA remains committed to providing NBIS shared services to agency customers and will keep customers informed of its progress to develop these services. DCSA is still assessing actual services and detailed costing to determine final services and prices, which will be announced in a future communication to customers.</i></p>	TBD

² DCSA will determine the fee for the new NLEAD product following a test period.