

SECURITY VETTING INFORMATION
(For NSW Police Force BASELINE security clearance)

Prior to any offer of employment, all recommended candidates must obtain a Baseline security clearance from the NSW Police Force (NSWPF), Security Vetting Unit (SVU).

The Baseline security clearance involves a series of background checks to ensure that an individual occupying a position is eligible to have access, has had their identity established, is suitable to have access and is willing to comply with the NSWPF policies and guidelines to safeguard NSWPF resources against misuse.

The security vetting process requires the NSWPF to collect information and documents from the candidate, in order to conduct a range of background checks and inquiries to assess their suitability to obtain and maintain the requisite security clearance.

If a position requires a higher level of security clearance the recommended candidate will still be assessed for baseline as well as NV1 or NV2.

The security vetting process involves, but is not limited to:

- Checks on places and dates of residence up to five years;
- National Criminal History check;
- Overseas Criminal History check;
- Intelligence holdings and associations;
- Check of digital footprint and social networking sites;
- Bankruptcy and insolvency checks;
- Check of overseas travel;
- Confirmation of identity and citizenship/Residency;
- Checks/enquiries with any other person, agency or organisation which may be able to contribute information relevant to the assessment of your suitability for the security clearance proposed.