

# API Documentation

# National Single Eye

# Version .11

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**General Information:**

The NATIONAL SINGLE-EYE API provides:

* A real-time, nation-wide criminal background check.

Access to the CSSI API requires an API token, and an account key, both of which can be found on the settings page. Once an account has been created, the site administrators will grant access.

End points:

Ordering = POST: <https://api.eyeforsecurity.com/cssi/checks>

**Parameters:**

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| --- | --- |
| first\_name | required |
| middle\_name | optional |
| last\_name | required |
| birthday | required - formatted as: mm/dd/yyyy |
| check\_type | single-eye |
| distinct | optional\*, 8-12chars |

\* The ‘distinct’ flag is used to help the system catch accidental duplicate checks and prevent erroneous charges. If the flag is included, it must be unique for each request submitted to the system. If the flag is not included, user assumes responsibility for any charges incurred from running accidental duplicates.

**SAMPLE CODE**

**\*\*\* TESTING NOTE: Verify your account is in Sandbox mode before testing to avoid extra charges.**

$token = "<api token>";

$key = “<account key>”;

$url = "https://api.eyeforsecurity.com/api/cssi/checks?token=$token&key=$key";

$params = array(

"first\_name" => "JEFFREY",

"middle\_name" => "",

"last\_name" => "LEFTY",

"birthday" => "09/09/1999",

"check\_type" => "single-eye"

);

$curl = curl\_init();

curl\_setopt\_array($curl, array(

CURLOPT\_URL => $url,

CURLOPT\_RETURNTRANSFER => true,

CURLOPT\_ENCODING => "",

CURLOPT\_MAXREDIRS => 10,

CURLOPT\_TIMEOUT => 300,

CURLOPT\_CUSTOMREQUEST => 'POST',

CURLOPT\_POSTFIELDS => $params,

));

$response = curl\_exec($curl);

curl\_close($curl);

**Return Data**

message = “There was an error with your check”

status = -1

tracking = null or <cssi-generated tracking id>

data= <error message string>

message = <system error>

status = 0

tracking = null or <cssi-generated tracking id>

data= <error message string>

message = <search data>

status = 1,

tracking = <cssi-generated tracking id>

data = <json data>

**Sample Raw Data**

[InstantCriminalResponse] => stdClass Object(

[Alerts] => stdClass Object

(

[Alert] => string

)

[OffenderCount] => 1

[Offender] => Array (

[0] => stdClass Object(

[FileID] => string

[FirstName] => string

[MiddleName] => string

[LastName] => string

[Generation] => string

[DOB] => date

[MatchType] => string

[SourceOfRecord] => string

[StateOfRecord] => string

[Race] => string

[Sex] => string

[Address] => stdClass Object

(

[OffenderAddress] => string

)

[Records] => stdClass Object(

[Record] => stdClass Object (

[Offense] => string

[FileDate] => date

[OffenseCounty] => string

[CaseNumber] => string

[OffenseData] => stdClass Object(

[OffenseDetail] => Array(

[0] => string

[1] => string

)

)

[CourtData] => stdClass Object(

[CourtDetail] => string

)

)

)

)

)

[CountyRecommendations] => stdClass Object(

[State] => stdClass Object(

[attributes] => stdClass Object

(

[value] => string

)

[County] => Array(

[0] => stdClass Object(

[attributes] => stdClass Object

(

[value] => string

)

[Offender] => stdClass Object(

[FirstName] => string

[MiddleName] => string

[LastName] => string

[FullName] => string

[DOB] => date

[Offenses] => stdClass Object(

[Offense] => stdClass Object(

[OffenseDescription] => string

[ApproximateDate] => date

)

)

)

)

)

)

)

[NonCountyRecommendations] => stdClass Object(

//same as County

)