ERO FACTS
JEM
287(g) Jail Enforcement Model

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

Interested Law Enforcement Agency (LEAs) go through the following process to participate in the 287(g) JEM:

- LEAs submit a letter of interest and signed MOA to ICE HQ or local ICE ERO Field Office Director.

- ICE reviews and assesses the request.

- ICE approves and signs an MOA with the LEA partner.

- The LEA will nominate designated immigration officer (DIO) candidates who must pass a background check.

- DIO candidates complete an initial 4-week training and a 1-week refresher training as needed but not more frequently than every 2 years. All LEA DIOs are also required to complete any additional training required by ICE relevant to immigration officer functions to be performed.

- ICE equipment is installed within partnering state and local jails.

- The 287(g) JEM is supervised by the local ERO field office.

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The JEM model is a collaborative effort whereby ERO delegates certain immigration authorities to state and local law enforcement agencies to identify criminal aliens and immigration violators in state and local custody and place them into immigration proceedings at the time of release from state or local custody.

287(g) JEM BY THE NUMBERS
Reflects Fiscal Year 2024 Figures - (10/1/2023 - 9/30/2024)

60
JEM Agreements

with law enforcement agencies in **16 states**

1,819
Facilitated Removals

Based on 287(g) encounters

163
Participants Trained

on the 287g program

JEM PARTNER BENEFITS

INFORMATION SHARING

Collaboration among Federal, State, and Local agencies

SPECIALIZED TRAINING

Conducted by certified ICE Training Instructors

ENHANCED PUBLIC SAFETY

By reducing the number of criminal aliens offenders released back into the community

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

AGREEMENTS + PARTNERSHIPS + TRAINING =
SAFE ARRESTS