

NORTHEAST FIELD OFFICE

OFFICE OVERVIEW

The NCIS Northeast Field Office (NEFO) is located aboard Naval Station Newport, R.I., and provides investigative support on general and economic crimes, as well as counterintelligence and counterterrorism services, to Department of the Navy equities in 11 states along the Eastern seaboard, as well as the Canadian provinces of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Isle.

SUBORDINATE OFFICES

NCIS Resident Agency (NCISRA) Earle Colts Neck, N.J.; NCISRA New York; NCISRA New London-Groton, Conn.; NCISRA Newport; NCIS Resident Unit (NCISRU) Mechanicsburg, Pa.; NCISRU Devens, Mass.; NCISRU Portsmouth, N.H.; NCISRU Long Island, N.Y.; NCISRU Dayton, Ohio; NCISRU Cleveland, Ohio; NCISREP Schenectady, N.Y.; NCIS Representative (NCISREP) NY-JTTE, Manhattan, N.Y.; NCISREP Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pa.; NCISREP Pittsburgh, Pa.; and NCISREP Boston



KEY COMMANDS AND STAKEHOLDERS:

Numerous critical Naval commands, organizations, and Navy operational support centers are located in the NEFO area of responsibility:

In Newport, Rhode Island

Naval Undersea Warfare Center, Naval War College (including China Maritime Studies Institute), Officer Candidate School, CNO Strategic Studies Group, Naval Justice School, Naval Academy Preparatory School, Surface Warfare Officers School, Defense Institute of International Legal Studies

In Groton/New London, Connecticut

Undersea Warfighting Development Center, Naval Submarine Base, Naval Submarine School, Supervisor of Shipbuilding (SUPSHIP)

In New York

Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory, Niskayuna; Naval Nuclear Power Training Unit, Ballston Spa; Naval Support Activity Saratoga Springs

In Pennsylvania

Naval Inventory Control Point, Mechanicsburg; Applied Research Laboratory, State College; Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory, West Mifflin; Naval Supply Systems Command, Mechanicsburg; Naval Inventory Control Point, Philadelphia; Naval Surface Warfare Center Carderock Division, Philadelphia; Laboratory Field Office, Pittsburgh

In New Jersey

Naval Air Engineering Station, Lakehurst; Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division; Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst; Naval Weapons Station Earle, Colts Neck

In Boston, Massachusetts

Naval Blood Research Laboratory; USS Constitution; Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

In Maine

Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Kittery; Bath Iron Works, Bath

In Ohio

Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS)

INVESTIGATIVE PROGRAMS AND SUPPORT

The NEFO criminal investigations portfolio is divided into three programs: economic crimes, general investigations, and port visit support. The NEFO Economic Crimes Program is responsible for a \$20 billion contract base in the New England states through the pursuit of major procurement fraud investigations and outreach to law enforcement, Department of Defense regulatory/audit agencies, and defense contractors to identify vulnerabilities at major acquisition commands. NEFO developed partnerships with the other military criminal investigative organizations and Inspectors General offices at various federal agencies to identify and combat fraud with a Navy nexus. NEFO sponsors the New England Economic Crimes Working Group, a collaborative, diverse group of federal investigators, auditors, and U.S. attorneys across New England.

The NEFO General Investigations Program focuses operational and proactive investigative support to fleet-based Naval Submarine Base Groton, in addition to Naval Station Newport, Naval Weapons Station Earle, and Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. NEFO helps ensure fleet readiness by conducting thorough and timely investigations of sexual assaults, narcotics, and property crimes.

The NEFO Port Visit Support Program provides onsite force protection and investigative support during port calls of U.S. Navy ships and airshows throughout New England and Eastern Canada.

The NEFO Counterintelligence (CI) Program largely focuses on support to Department of Navy (DON) Research Development and Acquisition (RDA) equities. The RDA program covers critical locations, including four Naval nuclear propulsion program facilities, one university-affiliated research center, and over 400 cleared defense contractors, and seeks to protect some of the most sensitive Navy war-fighting technologies, including those involving submarines, destroyers, and missile defense systems. NEFO has robust CI briefing and debriefing program, and RDA agents participate in several joint counter-proliferation and CI working groups with federal investigative and law enforcement partners. NEFO is an active participant on three FBI joint terrorism task forces (JTTFs), supporting



NCIS PROVIDES SECURITY FOR SPECIAL EVENTS IN THE NORTHEAST FIELD OFFICE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY, INCLUDING FLEET WEEKS AND ARMY-NAVY FOOTBALL GAMES. USCG PHOTO (TOP) BY JOSEPH P. CIRONE. NCIS PHOTO (BOTTOM) BY MC1 KENNETH TAKADA.

high profile cases such as the Boston Marathon bombing. NEFO also provides antiterrorism/force protection support to significant special events, such as New York Fleet Week, the Army-Navy football game, the International Seapower Symposium, and various ship visits to eastern Canadian ports.

In addition, NEFO agents conduct leads in support of NCIS investigations worldwide in the major metropolitan areas of Albany, Boston, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Newark, New Haven, New York City, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Portland, and Providence.