

# NIBRS Tip of the Month

## When to Use “Cyberspace” as a Location Type

### Definition of offense Location Type “Cyberspace”:

A virtual or internet-based network of two or more computers in separate locations which communicate either through wireless or wire connections.

### Cyberspace can be the location only if the related offense is:

- ♦ Bribery
- ♦ Counterfeiting/Forgery
- ♦ Credit Card/ATM Fraud
- ♦ Destruction/Damage/Vandalism
- ♦ Drug/Narcotic Violation
- ♦ Drug Equipment Violation
- ♦ Embezzlement
- ♦ Extortion/Blackmail
- ♦ False Pretenses/Swindle/Con Game
- ♦ Gambling Equipment Violation
- ♦ Gambling - Betting/Wagering
- ♦ Gambling - Operating/Promoting
- ♦ Hacking/Computer Invasion
- ♦ Human Trafficking Offense
- ♦ Identity Theft
- ♦ Impersonation
- ♦ Intimidation
- ♦ Pornography/Obscene Material
- ♦ Prostitution
- ♦ Prostitution - Assisting/Promoting
- ♦ Prostitution - Purchasing
- ♦ Stolen Property Offense
- ♦ Weapon Law Violation
- ♦ Welfare Fraud
- ♦ Wire Fraud

