



2018 YEAR IN REVIEW

1,700+

NEW USERS JOIN EVERY MONTH

114K+

REGISTERED HSIN USERS

56

STATES & TERRITORIES USING HSIN

17

MISSION ADVOCATES

98

ON-SITE USER SUPPORT VISITS

Throughout 2018, HSIN connected the people, processes and technology needed to advance information sharing and achieve mission success. HSIN's enhancements in the cloud earned the program a 2018 Government Innovation Award for the use of technology in transforming government agencies. This year HSIN also deployed a streamlined solution to collect special event information with greater efficiency for the DHS National Special Events Data Call.

HSIN support for Operation Stonegarden helped the U.S. Border Patrol prevent, protect against, and respond to border

security issues including drug trafficking, human trafficking, smuggling and illegal border crossings. U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement and the FBI established the Five Eyes Law Enforcement Group on HSIN to facilitate collaboration among intelligence officials in the U.S., the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

The Houston Regional Intelligence Service Center used HSIN for real-time communication with local, state and federal partners during the active shooter incident at Santa Fe High School in Texas. Georgia

officials relied on HSIN to implement a comprehensive school safety initiative to address the needs of 130 K-12 school districts and approximately 2,300 school facilities that serve 1.7 million students.


Overall, HSIN provided support for 149 planned events and exercises nationwide, including Super Bowl LII, the Kentucky Derby and Cyber Shield, providing program partners with the critical tools and resources they need for their homeland security operations.

JANUARY

NCAA® College Football Championship
HSIN aided public safety and emergency management partners in Atlanta in planning and supporting security and risk mitigation before and during the game.

North American International Auto Show
HSIN supported the Detroit fusion center's public safety operations during one of the nation's largest auto shows, which drew approximately 800,000 attendees.

2018 State of the Union
Federal and local partners used HSIN for real-time interagency coordination and operational security planning for the President's State of the Union address.



FEBRUARY

Super Bowl LII
HSIN was used for monitoring and incident awareness at the Super Bowl Emergency Operations Center, supporting the Multi-Agency Command Center and facilitating collaboration among 10 major operations centers in the Twin Cities metro area.

Philadelphia Eagles Victory Parade
HSIN supported the Delaware Valley Intelligence Center for real-time information-sharing and collaboration during the parade, which drew massive crowds.

MARCH

NCAA Men's Basketball Sweet 16®
HSIN supported the Nebraska Information Analysis Center, FBI, DHS and other public safety operations during the regional round of games held in Omaha.

APRIL

Boston Marathon
HSIN was used by the Boston Regional Intelligence Center for real-time situational awareness during the 2018 Boston Marathon.

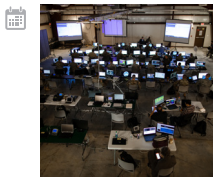
Tribute to Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK50)
HSIN supported safety and security at MLK50 events with the Memphis Police Department, Tennessee Fusion Center, and other local, state and federal agencies, which relied on HSIN to support safety and security at multiple events.

MAY

Kentucky Derby
HSIN supported the Louisville Metro Police Department and other partners during a series of high-profile events that drew a collective attendance of more than 1 million people.



Cyber Shield



HSIN provided training and real-time information sharing solutions during exercises where participants simulated real-time communications about threats and requests for information among private sector partners, National Guard units and fusion centers.

Indy 500

For the fourth consecutive year, HSIN provided operational support for the Indianapolis 500. The Speedway Police Department, Indianapolis Metro Police Department, Marion County Sheriff's Office, Indiana Intelligence Fusion Center, DHS and other federal, state and local agencies used HSIN to support event safety and security.

JUNE

Georgia School and Campus Safety



HSIN's Georgia School and Campus Safety (GSCS) community completed Phase One. The community facilitates public safety communication among all universities, colleges, K-12 institutions, local law enforcement, state agencies and federal partners.

Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community

HSIN supported Mdewakanton Public Safety officials' event safety and security during the tribal community's summer amphitheater concert series.

JULY

July 4th Celebrations



HSIN supported numerous special events across the country for July 4th, providing support for partners in Washington, D.C., Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, among other cities.

Operation Stonegarden Teams with HSIN on Border Security



HSIN provided support to the United States Border Patrol for operational oversight, collaboration and management of the Operation Stonegarden program, facilitating operational support for over \$250 million of Stonegarden grant funding and more than 150 border security operations annually.

AUGUST

Lollapalooza

HSIN aided the Chicago Police Department, Chicago Crime Prevention and Information Center and the Illinois National Guard to support safety and security at the festival, which drew more than 100,000 fans each day.

State Fair of West Virginia



Throughout the 10-day event, HSIN provided communications support with state and local partners for the Greenbrier County Homeland Security and Emergency Management agency and the Greenbrier County 911 Center.

SEPTEMBER

HSIN Supports National Special Events Data Call

In preparation for events in 2019, HSIN worked with the DHS Office of Operations Coordination Special Events Program to deploy a streamlined solution to collect special event information from across the nation with great efficiency.

United Nations General Assembly 73

World leaders from 193 member states gathered at the 73rd session of the United Nations General Assembly, where HSIN supported operational planning, real-time information sharing and situational awareness.

Hurricanes Florence, Michael and Olivia, and Super Typhoon Mangkhut

HSIN's resources for emergency operations helped federal, state, local, tribal and territorial partners by supporting greater situational awareness, more effective risk mitigation and efficient resource allocation.

HSIN Earns 2018 Government Innovation Award from GCN

HSIN's move to the secure cloud received a Government Innovation Award from GCN. The award recognizes HSIN's contribution to improving government operations and support for partners across all levels of government.

OCTOBER

Marine Corps Marathon

For the second consecutive year, HSIN provided information sharing support for the Marine Corps Marathon for more than 10 state and local public safety agencies within the National Capital Region.

MLB Playoffs in Houston

HSIN provided operational security support and situational awareness support to the Houston Police Department and other public safety partners for the Major League Baseball playoffs.

NOVEMBER

Elections Infrastructure Security

HSIN hosted a joint cyber operations center for the Elections Infrastructure Information Sharing and Analysis Center and the Cyber Intelligence Network. The center supported information sharing between 205 cyber intelligence analysts and 528 homeland security partners nationwide.

DECEMBER

State Funeral for George H.W. Bush



The Fairfax County Office of Emergency Management used the National Capital Region HSIN Connect Room to support communications with public safety partners during the state funeral held at the National Cathedral and the Capitol Rotunda viewing and ceremonies.

These are just some of our mission support and programmatic accomplishments in 2018. To learn more about how HSIN can improve your operations, or to share your success stories, contact HSIN Outreach at HSIN@hq.dhs.gov.

Color Key:

- Daily Operations
- Events & Exercises
- Incident Support
- Supported multiple consecutive years