

E AFIP Enrollment Process - Enrollment Downloads

An AFIP enrollment download is the process in which spooled fingerprint imaging records are transmitted through a phone line to the vendor's central site.

NOTE Spooled AFIP records are stored at the [AFIP local office workstation](#) or in the [AFIP portable unit](#).

Enrollment download occurs as follows:

- For AFIP workstations, the vendor dials into the workstation at scheduled times each day using the designated phone line. Once phone line connection has been made, the spooled fingerprint imaging records are downloaded through the phone line to the vendor's central site into the AFIP database.
- For AFIP portable units, the local office must manually plug the portable unit into the AFIP workstation. This is the cable extending from the back of the desktop PC.

The user downloads the spooled fingerprint imaging records into the AFIP workstation. The records are then unspooled from the workstation by the vendor.

WARNING

Only use the designated cable on the AFIP portable units. Never disconnect the desktop PC phone line.