



## ICBS Re-engineering Project (ICBS-R)

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### Information Paper

**Subject:** Minimum hardware and software requirements for the re-engineered ICBS

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In order to prepare for implementation of the re-engineered ICBS, cache managers should identify the need for any computer upgrades, replacements or additions so that host agencies can consider them during their budget planning process. For increased efficiency and more real-time accuracy, the data entry for several cache processes will move from the cache office to the warehouse floor area in the new system. Many caches without a PC in the warehouse will see advantages to installing one (or more) there.

The following table describes the recommended minimum hardware/software requirements for personal computers to be operated by ICBS users in cache offices or warehouses:

<b>Processor*</b>	Pentium or higher 1 GHZ or faster
<b>Disk Space*</b>	Minimum 40 Gigabyte
<b>Memory (RAM)*</b>	1 Gigabyte
<b>Operating System</b>	Windows 2000 (with service pack 2), or Windows XP (with service pack 2)
<b>Browser</b>	Internet Explorer 6.0 (with service pack 1)
<b>Monitor and Video Card</b>	Capable of 1280 x 1024 resolution
<b>Keyboard</b>	Microsoft compatible keyboard
<b>Mouse</b>	Microsoft compatible mouse or pointing device

\*ICBS has no absolute minimum for these three items. This minimum configuration is a general recommendation for PCs that will be running the Windows 2000 or XP and an internet browser.