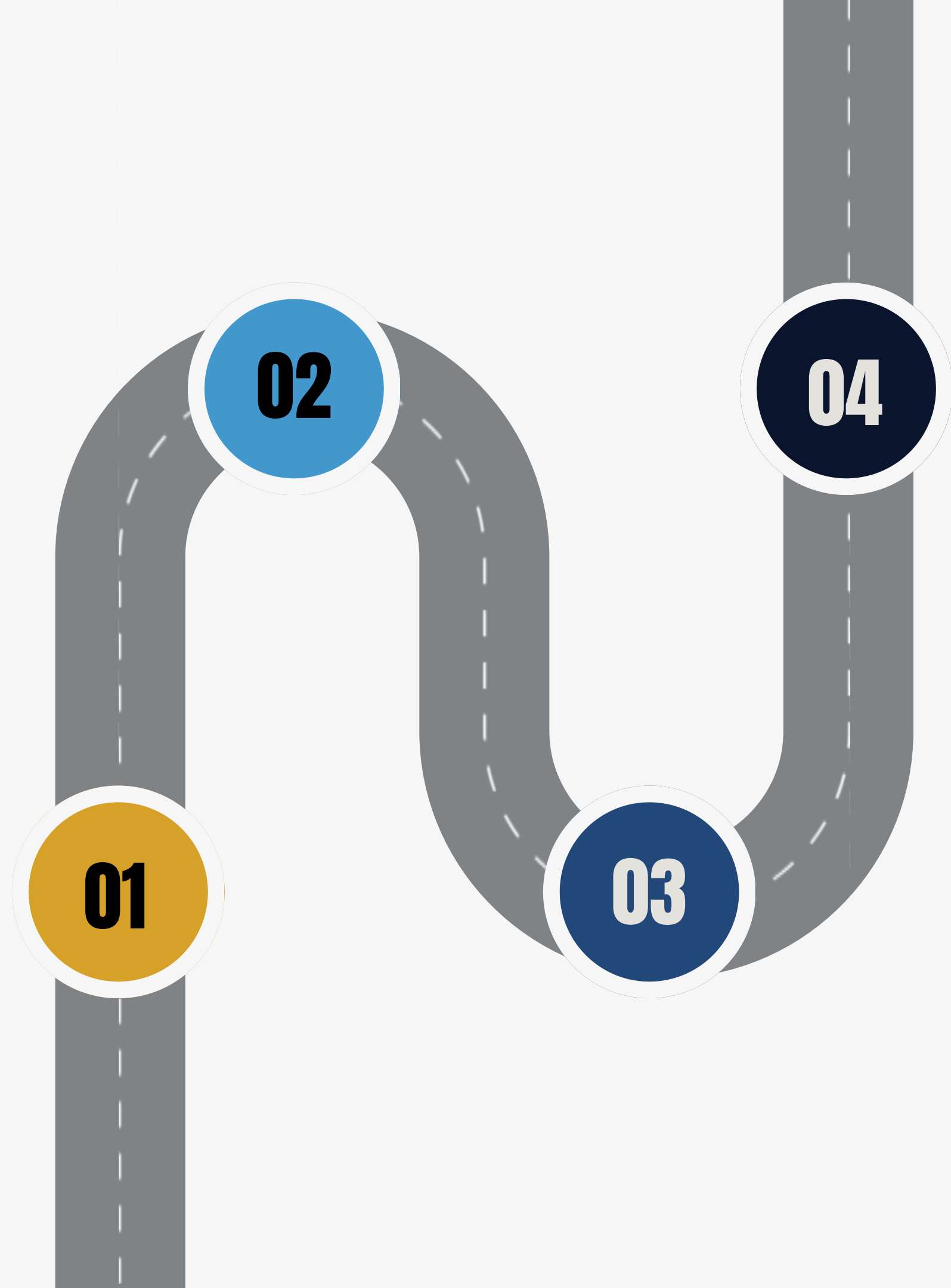




ICE & The Inmate Release Process

When is an Inmate Released into ICE Custody and How Does It Work?

01

Inmate Intake

When an inmate is being booked into jail, a search is conducted of various law enforcement databases to determine if there are any outstanding warrants for the individual from other agencies. If ICE has issued a warrant for the individual, it is noted at this time.

02

Release Process

Once a judge has ordered the release of the inmate, the release process begins. This process can take up to eight hours. During this process, any outstanding warrants that were discovered during intake are reviewed.

03

Agency Notifications

If the individual has an outstanding warrant, the responsible agency is contacted & a potential transfer of custody is arranged. If ICE is responsible for the warrant, they are notified about the individual's release.

04

Transfer of Custody

ICE must assume custody of the individual within the eight-hour release timeframe. If they do not, the individual is free to go.