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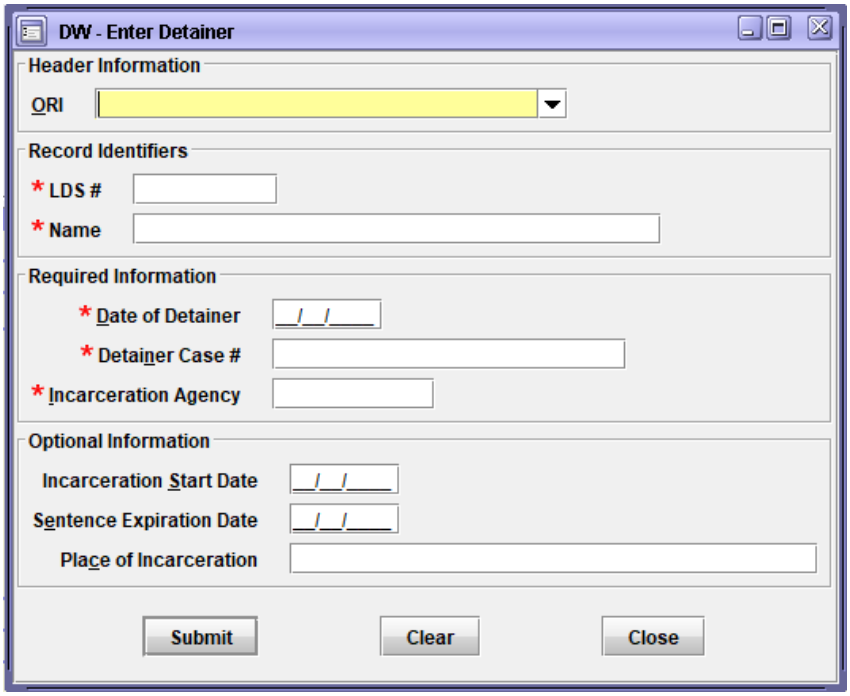
DETAINER TRANSACTION ON LOCATED WANTED PERSON RECORD

WHEN TO USE A DETAINER

Detainer information may be appended to LEADS and NCIC Wanted Person File records in located status. When an inquiring agency receives a positive response, confirms that the subject is identical, the warrant is outstanding, and extradition is authorized, they must perform a locate transaction to place the record in located status. If the locating agency intends to hold the individual on local charges, the locate transaction should indicate detention by placing **DETN in the Extradition (EXT) Field**. The agency of record should append any detainer information to its record *within 5 days* of the locate transaction. Appending a detainer will allow the record to remain in LEADS and NCIC until extradition can occur.



Please contact the Help Desk (866/LEADS-00) with any questions.

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