Types of Criminal Background Checks

Type of Check	Definition	Examples
Criminal Record Screening Certificate (CRSC)	This is a basic police record check that provides criminal convictions.	Financial institutions, municipal and by-law licenses, travel and
Basic check for convictions only	A criminal record check will determine if a person has been convicted of a crime by completing a name- based check against police and court databases.	immigration, and retail industry.
	It is not intended for individuals seeking employment or a volunteer position working with children or vulnerable persons.	
Criminal Record / Vulnerable Sector Check	A vulnerable sector check is to be used by a person applying for a position with a person or organization	Coaches, parent volunteers, sports or school trips, school placements, public
Check for convictions pending or current investigations, and	responsible for the well- being of one or more children or vulnerable	service workers, doctors, nurses, hospital employees, dentists,
present, and/or pending charges. Check for pardoned sex crime convictions	persons, if the position is one of authority or trust relative to those children or vulnerable persons and the applicant wishes to consent	teachers, non-teaching staff in schools (such as janitors and administrative support), early childcare
	to a search being made in criminal conviction records to determine if the applicant has been convicted of a sexual offence listed in the schedule to the Criminal Records Act and has been pardoned.	educators, daycare employees, employees in long-term care facilities that provide health services to vulnerable adults.