

Nassau's Real-Time Crime Center — The Bahamas' AI-Enabled Facial-Recognition and Gunshot-Detection Policing Network

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Bahamas

Quality score: 47/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

The Royal Bahamas Police Force runs Nassau's Real-Time Crime Center: 750+ cameras, BriefCam facial recognition and ShotSpotter gunshot detection. A vendor case study cites fewer fatal traffic incidents (69 to 33); independent press flags unresolved accuracy and privacy concerns.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	1/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability beyond pilot	2/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-08

[Royal Bahamas Police Force \(RBPF\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-08

[Office of the PM, Bahamas — PM Davis remarks on RBPF facial recognition \(Jan 2024\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-08

[Biometric Update — Bahamas, Guyana eye facial recognition surveillance projects \(Feb 2024\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-08

[Milestone Systems — Bahamas Police customer story](#) — accessed 2026-08-08

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