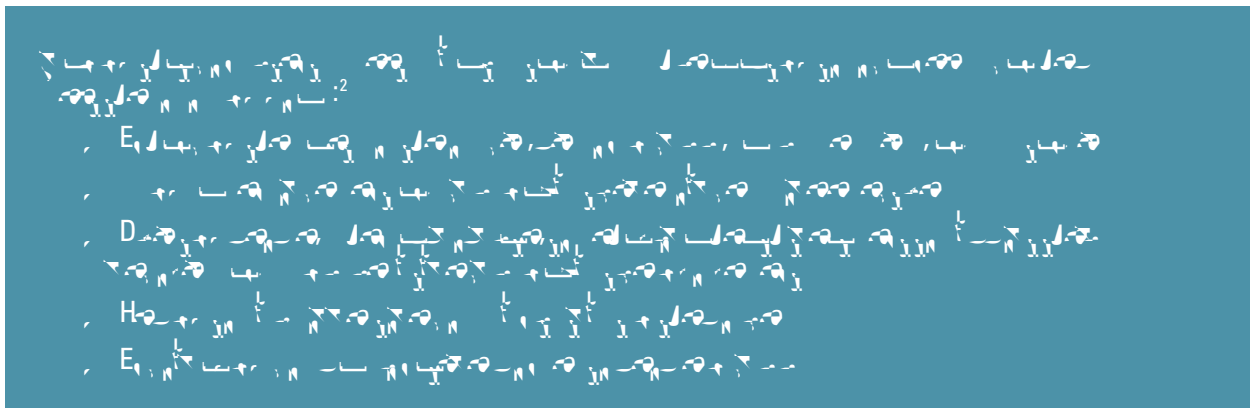




The Variability in Law Enforcement State Standards:

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As the nation's law enforcement agencies continue to evolve, the need for a national standard for law enforcement training and certification becomes increasingly apparent. The International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards & Training (IADLEST) and the Justice Center, The Council of State Governments, have joined forces to address this issue. This report, "The Variability in Law Enforcement State Standards," provides a comprehensive overview of the current state of law enforcement training standards across the United States. It identifies the challenges associated with the lack of a national standard and offers recommendations for how to address these challenges. The report is a valuable resource for law enforcement agencies, state governments, and the public alike.



The report identifies several key areas of variability in law enforcement training standards across the United States. These include the length of training programs, the content of training, and the methods used to assess training. The report also identifies the challenges associated with the lack of a national standard, including the difficulty of comparing standards across states and the potential for inconsistent training quality. The report offers several recommendations for how to address these challenges, including the development of a national standard, the creation of a national certification program, and the establishment of a national training center.

The Role of States in Law Enforcement Training

The report also discusses the role of states in law enforcement training. It notes that while the federal government has a role to play in setting national standards, it is ultimately the states that are responsible for implementing and enforcing these standards. The report offers several recommendations for how states can better coordinate their training efforts, including the creation of state training councils and the establishment of state training centers.

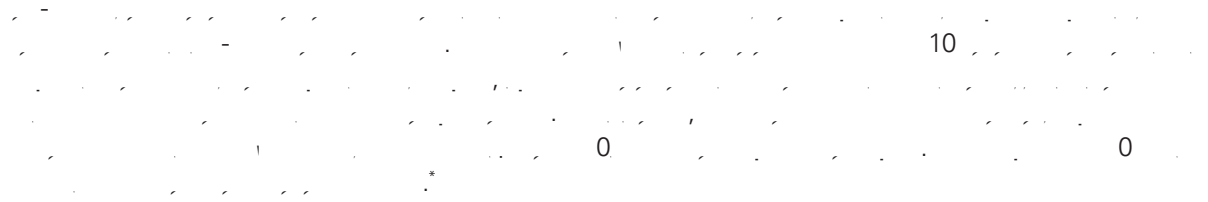
* The report is a collaborative effort of the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards & Training (IADLEST) and the Justice Center, The Council of State Governments. The report is available for free download at www.justicecenter.org.

FIG. 1. STATES WITH TRAINING STANDARDS FOR RESPONDING TO PEOPLE WITH MENTAL ILLNESSES AND FOR DE-ESCALATING ENCOUNTERS

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FIG. 2. FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE CHANGES TO STATE STANDARDS ON MENTAL HEALTH AND DE-ESCALATION TRAINING

States' Entry-Level Training: Duration, Content, and Delivery



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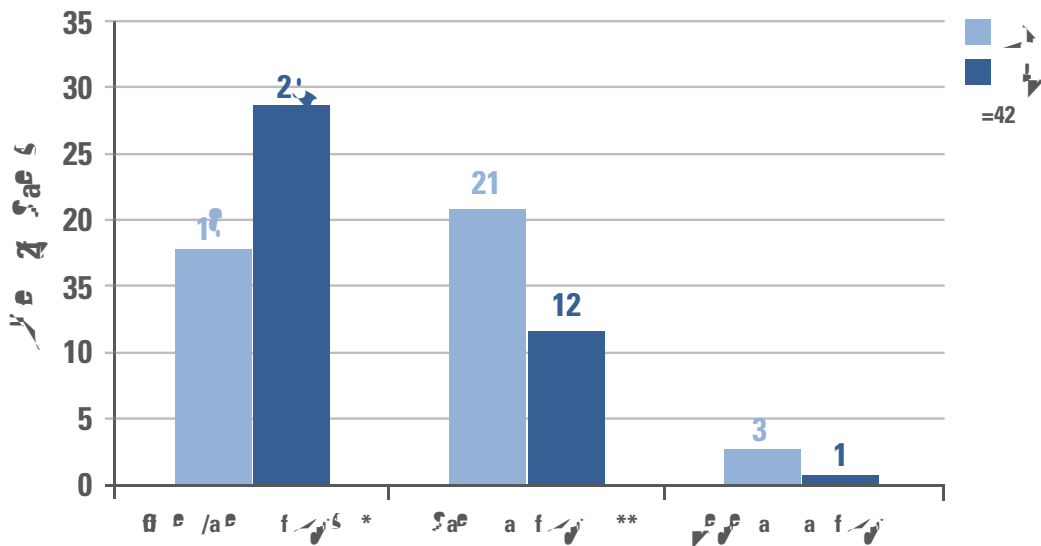
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* States that selected "Officer/agency funds it" did not also have state or federal grants available.
 ** States that selected "State grant funding" or "Federal grant funding" include both partial and full funding support for training.

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Endnotes

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