



Indiana Mandated Standards

This section of the Indiana Law Enforcement Accreditation Program deals with legal requirements that are compulsory for Indiana law enforcement agencies. The requirements for Indiana Mandated Standards are that law enforcement agencies seeking accreditation through the Indiana Law Enforcement Accreditation Commission (ILEAC) have a written directive that addresses each requirement that is listed below.

This list of standards is not intended to be all inclusive of the legal requirements of law enforcement agencies. However, for the purpose of the Indiana Law Enforcement Accreditation Commission (ILEAC), each participating agency will only be responsible for preparing a written directive for those listed.

900101. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with rules established by the Indiana Law Enforcement Training Board under IC 5-2-1-9 of the Indiana Code regarding minimum standards for all law enforcement officers including:

- a. Qualifications of instructors at approved law enforcement training schools;
- b. Basic training requirements for continued employment;
- c. Mandatory in-service training; and
- d. Executive training (if applicable)

900102. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 5-2-4 of the Indiana Code regarding the collection and storage and maintenance of criminal intelligence information.

900103. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 5-2-7-1 of the Indiana Code regarding the need to take fingerprint samples from individuals arrested and charged with reportable offenses as outlined in IC 10-13-3-18.

900104. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 9-26-2 of the Indiana Code regarding the duties of law enforcement officers and accident reports to include:

- a. Requiring an investigation under criteria set by IC 9-26-2-1;
- b. Forwarding the written accident report within 24 hours of completing the investigation (IC 9-26-2-2); and
- c. Enforcement of traffic regulations and financial responsibility provisions as directed by IC 9-26-2-4

900105. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 9-30-2-2 of the Indiana Code regarding the prohibition of officers to make arrests or issue summons for violations of Indiana law or local ordinance regulating the operation of a motor vehicle on an Indiana highway.

900106. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with Title 31, Article 33 of the Indiana Code regarding the investigation of reports of suspected child abuse or neglect to include:

- a. Investigation of the report if an offense is believed to have occurred (IC 31-33-8-2);
- b. Take, or cause to be taken, color photographs if appropriate (IC 31-33-8-3);
- c. Reporting to the appropriate prosecutor's office (IC 31-33-8-4)
- d. Documentation of the investigation (IC 31-33-8-10);
- e. Notification and release of information to the department of child services on incidents where a child may be the victim of child abuse or neglect (IC 31-33-8-11)

900107. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 31-37-5 of the Indiana Code regarding taking a child into custody to include:

- a. Court orders (IC 31-37-5-2);
- b. Release or detention of a child taken into custody without a court order (IC 31-37-5-3); and
- c. Notification of parent or guardian

900108. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 31-39-3 of the Indiana Code regarding access and confidentiality of juvenile records.

900109. A written directive regarding the State requirement that law enforcement agencies comply with IC 31-39-5 of the Indiana Code regarding the photos and fingerprints of children taken into custody.

900110. A written directive defines the legally mandated powers and duties of each category of sworn agency personnel as identified in Title 36 of the Indiana Code.