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The National Institute of Justice is the research and development agency of the U.S. Department of Justice, established to prevent and reduce crime and to improve the criminal justice system. Specific mandates established by Congress in the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended, and the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 direct the National Institute of Justice to:

- Sponsor special projects and research and development programs that will improve and strengthen the criminal justice system and reduce or prevent crime.
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- Creation of a corrections information-sharing system that enables State and local officials to exchange more efficient and cost-effective concepts and techniques for planning, financing, and constructing new prisons and jails.
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Introduction

Dear Colleague,

Criminal justice professionals fighting to stem the tide of drugs and crime in their communities are faced with tough decisions every day. They need the best information available to guide their decisionmaking. The National Institute of Justice is mandated to help provide that information by putting its research, development, and evaluation findings into the hands of those who can put them into active use.

This NIJ Publications Catalog is one vehicle for communicating available information. The Catalog lists publications and videotapes produced by the National Institute of Justice between 1985 and June 1994. Its purpose is to help criminal justice policymakers, professionals, and researchers locate and obtain research and evaluation results relevant to their concerns.

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The NIJ Publications Catalog listing of National Institute of Justice publications and videotapes produced between 1985 and June 1994 is divided by subject. For each publication the title, author, date of publication, number of pages, NCJ number, and availability are stated. Most of the items are free; others are available for a nominal fee. All can be obtained through the order form at the back of the Catalog.

The National Institute of Justice produces several publication series.

Research and Evaluation Reports present comprehensive reviews of the results of NIJ-sponsored research and development projects. Often they include a description of the research methodology and a review of the literature in addition to findings and recommendations. Research and evaluation findings are sometimes presented as Executive Summaries for criminal justice professionals who want to keep informed but do not have time to read the full report.

Issues and Practices in Criminal Justice explore program options and management issues based on a review of research and evaluation findings, operational experience, and expert opinion. The intent is to give criminal justice managers and administrators information to help them in planning, implementing, and improving programs and practices.

Research in Brief (RIB) synthesizes recent research and evaluation results and summarizes the key findings in 6- to 12-page documents. RIB's offer quick overviews to policymakers, professionals, and researchers. One series of RIB's, Evaluation Bulletins, reports the results of evaluations of specific programs on drug control in States and local communities.

Research in Action (RIA) offers overviews of research activities such as noteworthy demonstration programs.

Construction Bulletins summarize case studies of progressive techniques for constructing correctional facilities.

Program Focus presents case studies of criminal justice practices.

Perspectives on Policing present reports from the Executive Session on Policing, cosponsored by the National Institute of Justice and Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government, and held with some of the leading figures in American policing. These 8- to 16-page bulletins highlight issues of importance to the improvement and future of policing.

AIDS Bulletins present short, nontechnical summaries of important information on AIDS and related justice policies.

Crime File Videotapes and Study Guides present unrehearsed panel discussions by criminal justice experts on 32 critical issues facing the public. The Study Guides, which supplement most videotapes, present background information and explain the issues surrounding the topic. Crime File is designed for a diverse audience including educators, policymakers, professionals, and the public.

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