

Education and Outreach

Library Services & Content Management
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Interagency Depository Seminar
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Who we are

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What we do



Conferences

- Interagency Depository Seminar
 - Every summer
- Depository Library Council Meeting and Federal Depository Library Conference
 - Every fall



Biennial Survey of Depository Libraries



- Used to fulfill the Title 44 requirement to report on conditions every two years
- Conducted in odd numbered years
- Used to gather information on the status and needs of depository libraries

“Frontline” communication



- Answer questions
- Address concerns
- We’re here to help!

Investigate patron complaints

- Required by law to allow free, public access
- Only applies to depository materials
- Patrons must follow behavior policies
- Safety of staff, users, collections, and facilities is also very important



Public Access Assessments

- Fulfills the Title 44 requirement to investigate the conditions of depository libraries
- Determine whether libraries are complying with legal requirements and program regulations
- Conducted over the telephone
- Conducted on state-by-state basis



When to communicate with us

- Your library is considering changes to your FDLP operations
- You have questions about FDLP tools and services
- You need clarification about *Legal Requirements and Program Regulations of the Federal Depository Library Program*
- You have questions about public access
- Your library does something outstanding
- Any time you have a question or concern!

How to communicate with us

- By e-mail: fdlpoutreach@gpo.gov
- By phone: 202-512-1119
- AskGPO

