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SAFETY AND INJURY PREVENTION

Objectives

- Discuss the impacts of CCDBG Act of 2014 on health and safety requirements
- Participants will learn about current safety issues
- How to prevent and respond to these issues in their centers

New CCDBG Act of 2014 Requirements

- Establish health and safety requirements in 10 different topic areas.
- Child care providers must receive pre-service and ongoing training on such topics.
- Conduct criminal background checks for all child care staff members, including staff members who don't care directly for children.
- Certify child care providers will comply with child abuse reporting requirements.
- Conduct pre-licensure and annual unannounced inspections of licensed CCDF providers and annual inspections of license-exempt CCDF providers.
- Establish qualifications and training for licensing inspectors and appropriate inspector-to-provider ratios.
- Have standards for CCDF providers regarding group size limits and appropriate child-to-provider ratios based on the age of children in child care.
- Emergency preparedness planning and statewide disaster plans for child care.

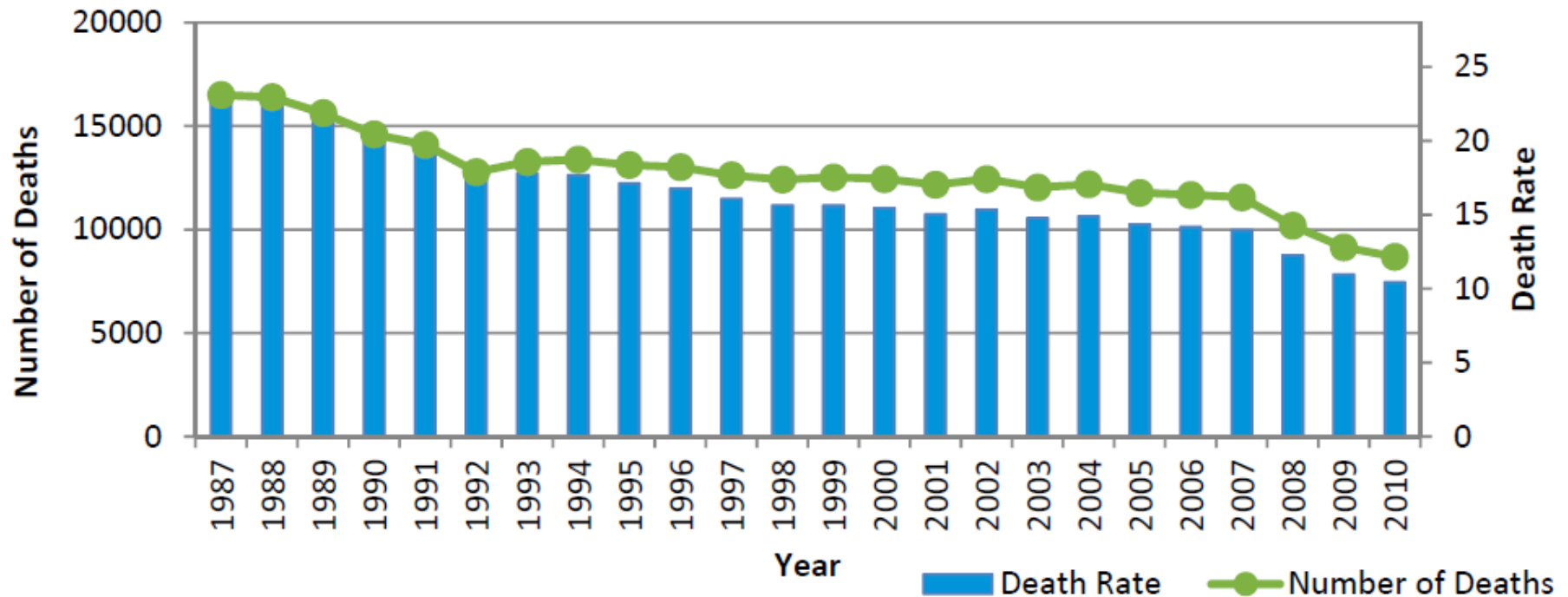
Reauthorization Categories

- Environmental hazards
- Disease Control
- Safe sleeping
- Medication
- Food safety
- Abuse
- Emergency preparedness
- Hazardous materials
- Safe transportation
- First aid
- Supervision
- **Training in all the above!**

5 Leading Causes of Death

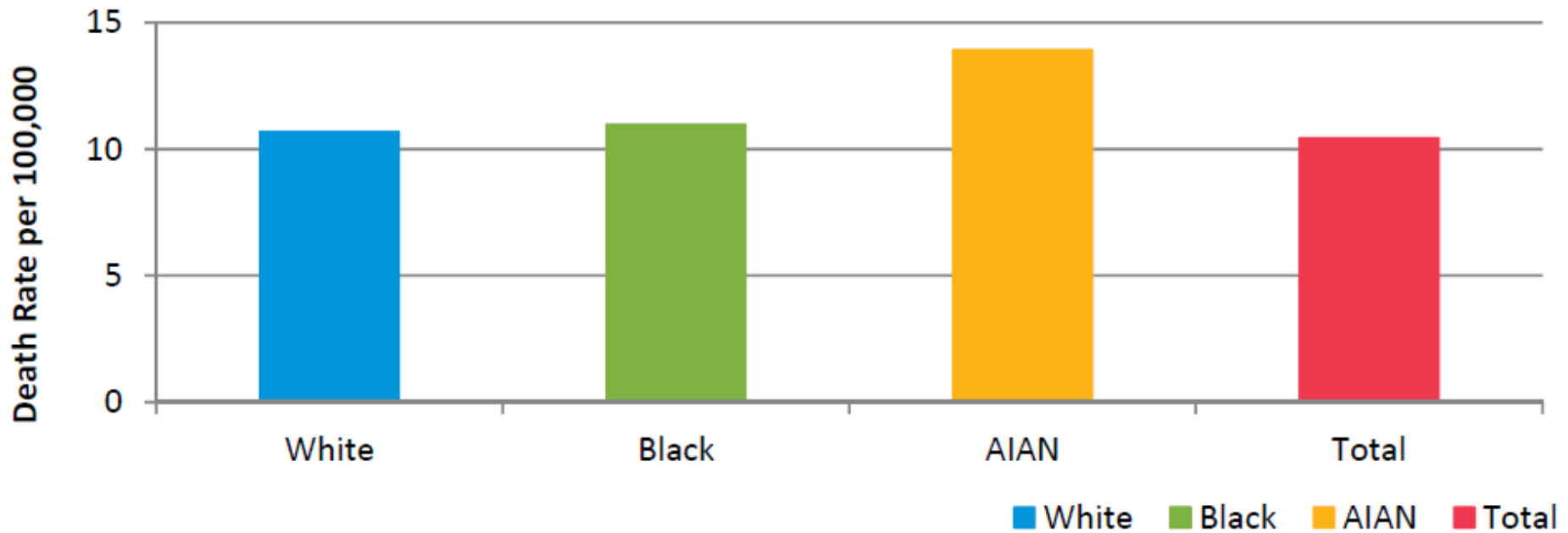
Rank	Age <1	Ages 1-4	Ages 5-9	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-19
1	Suffocation 905 (81.5%)	Drowning 436 (31.3%)	MV Traffic 354 (46.7%)	MV Traffic 452 (51.1%)	MV Traffic 2,895 (63.8%)
2	MV Traffic 76 (6.8%)	MV Traffic 343 (24.6%)	Drowning 134 (17.7%)	Drowning 117 (13.2%)	Poisoning 744 (16.4%)
3	Drowning 39 (3.5%)	Fire/burn 151 (10.8%)	Fire/burn 89 (11.7%)	Suffocation 48 (5.4%)	Drowning 301 (6.6%)
4	Fire/burn 22 (2.0%)	Suffocation 134 (9.6%)	Suffocation 31 (4.1%)	Fire/burn 46 (5.2%)	Other Land Transport 104 (2.3%)
5	Environment 22 (2.0%)	Pedestrian, Other 103 (7.4%)	Other Land Transport 26 (3.4%)	Other Land Transport 42 (4.7%)	Pedestrian, Other 73 (1.6%)

Unintentional Injury Fatalities & Death Rate (19 years and under)

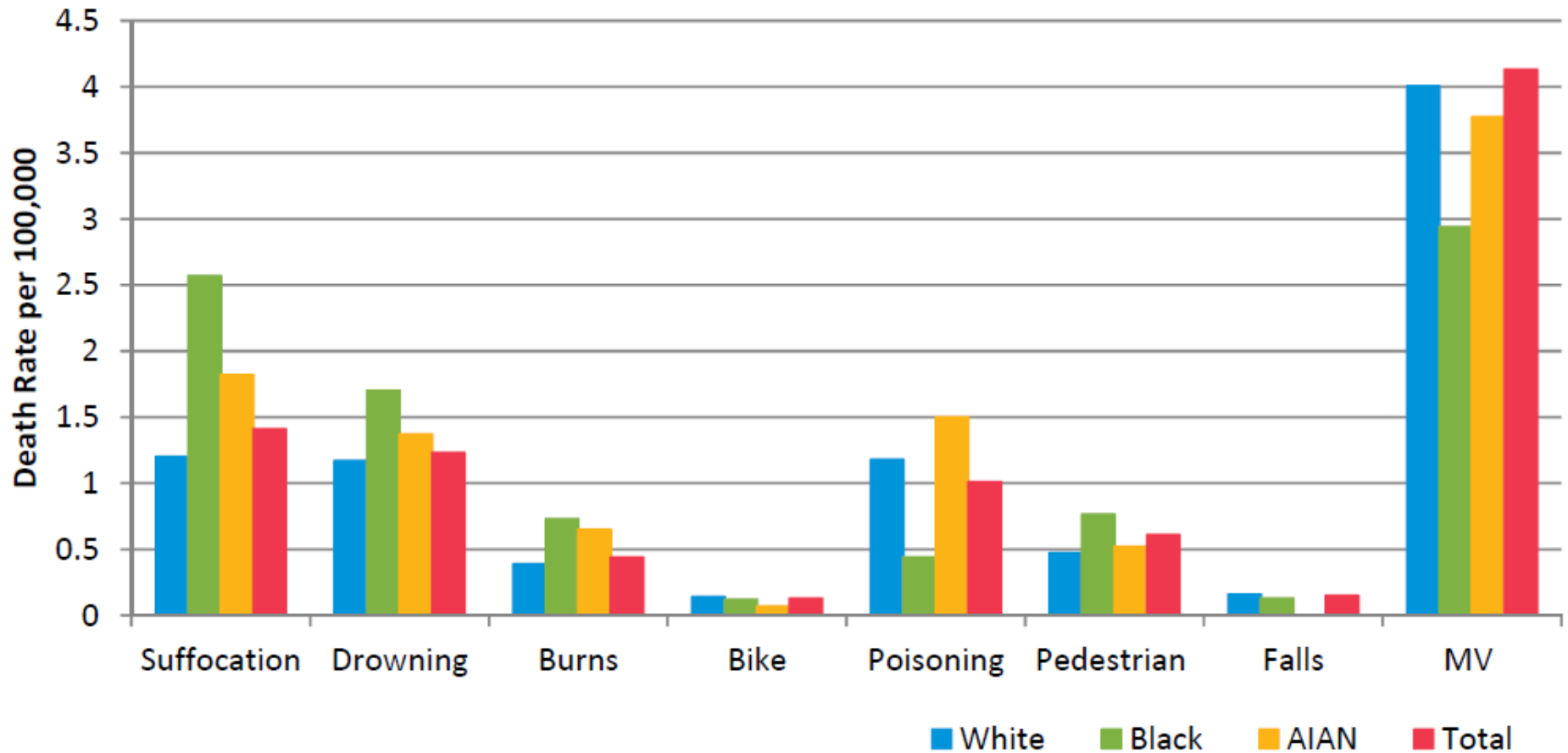


NOTE: Between 1987 and 2010

Unintentional Injury Rate by Race

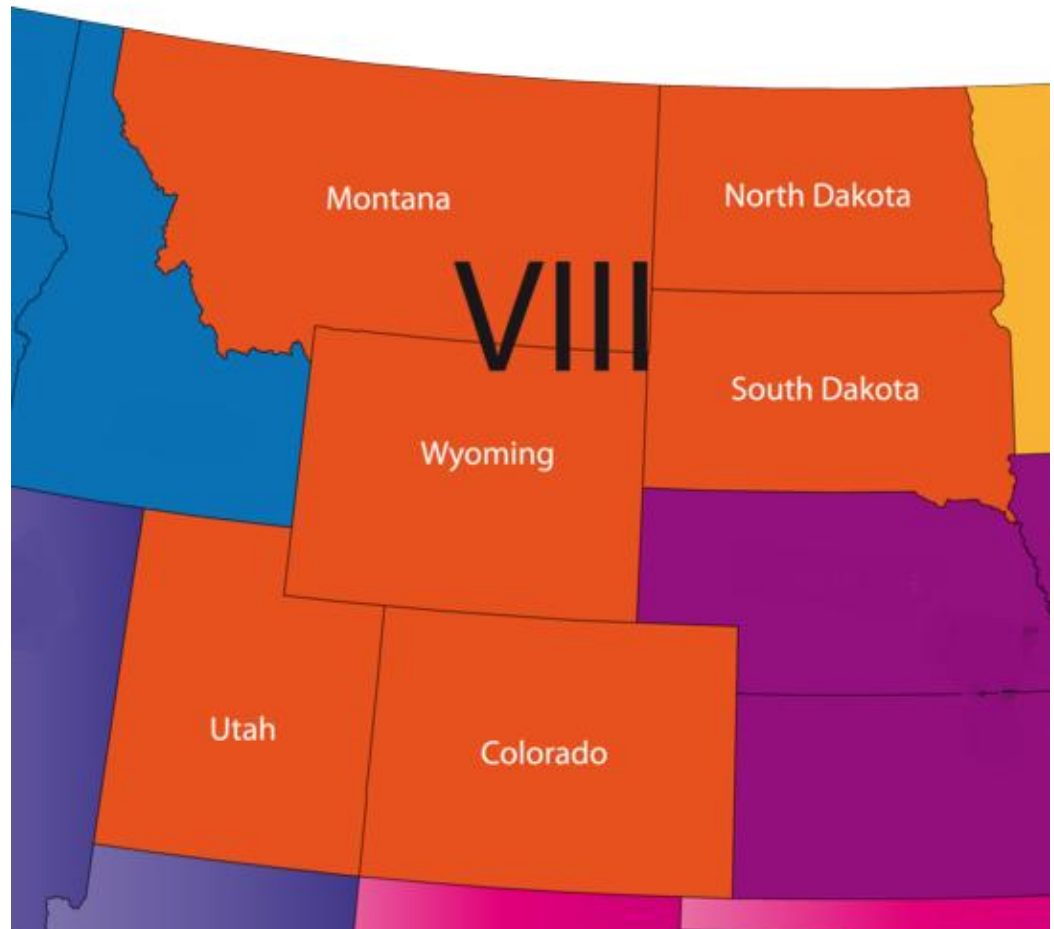


Unintentional Injury Rate by Race and Risk

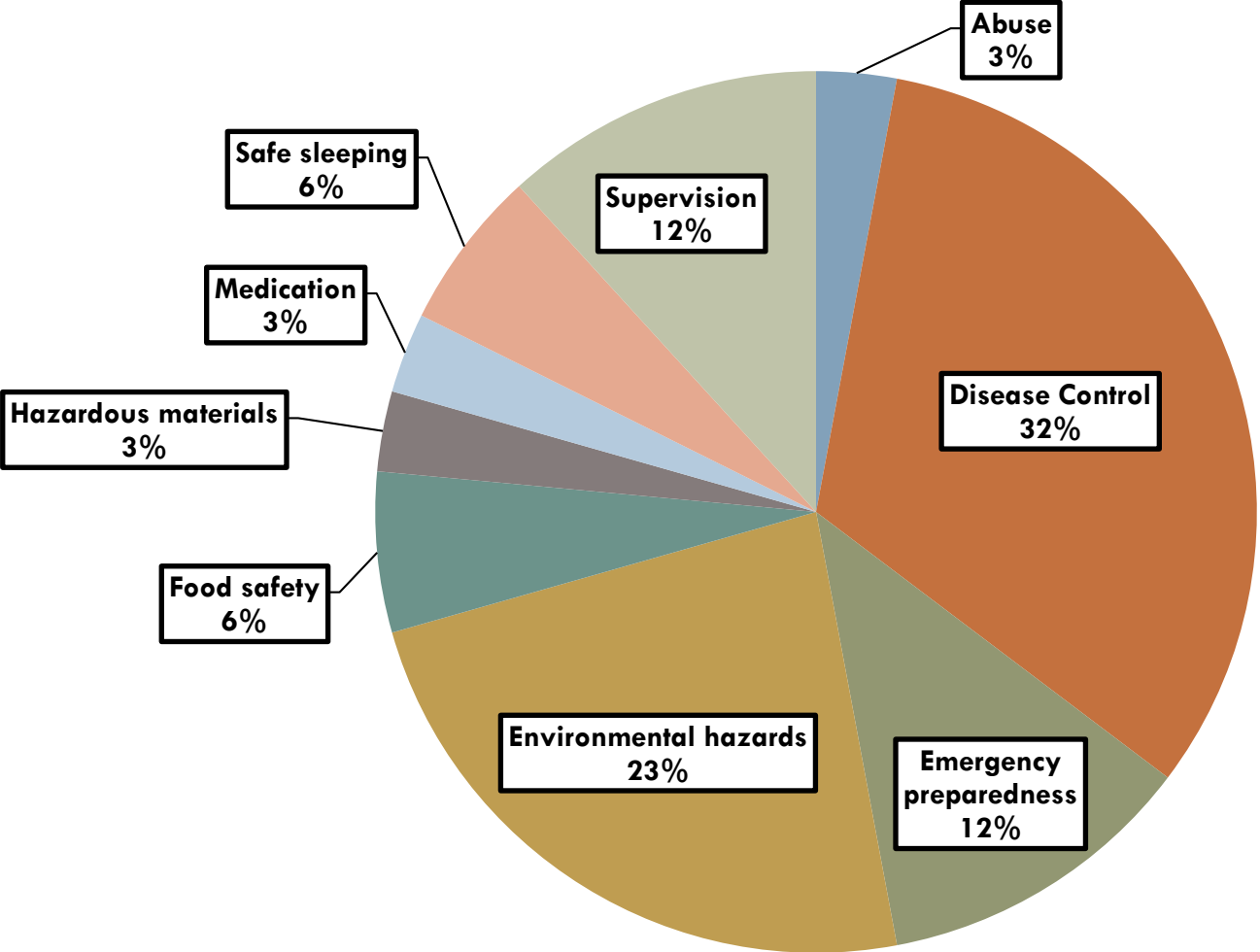


Perspectives on Issues

- Public health
- Human services
- Fire safety
- Policy



Reauthorization Issues



Disease Control

- Covering coughs and sneezes
- Hand washing
- Logging of illnesses
- Obesity
- Proper sanitizing
- Sick child policies
- Well child checks

Environmental Hazards

- Age-appropriate playground equipment
- Lead
- Lead-based paints
- Natural elements
- Prohibited animals
- Radon
- Sharp objects
- Upkeep and maintenance

Emergency Preparedness

- Exit signs
- Identifying information
- Smoke detectors
- Window size

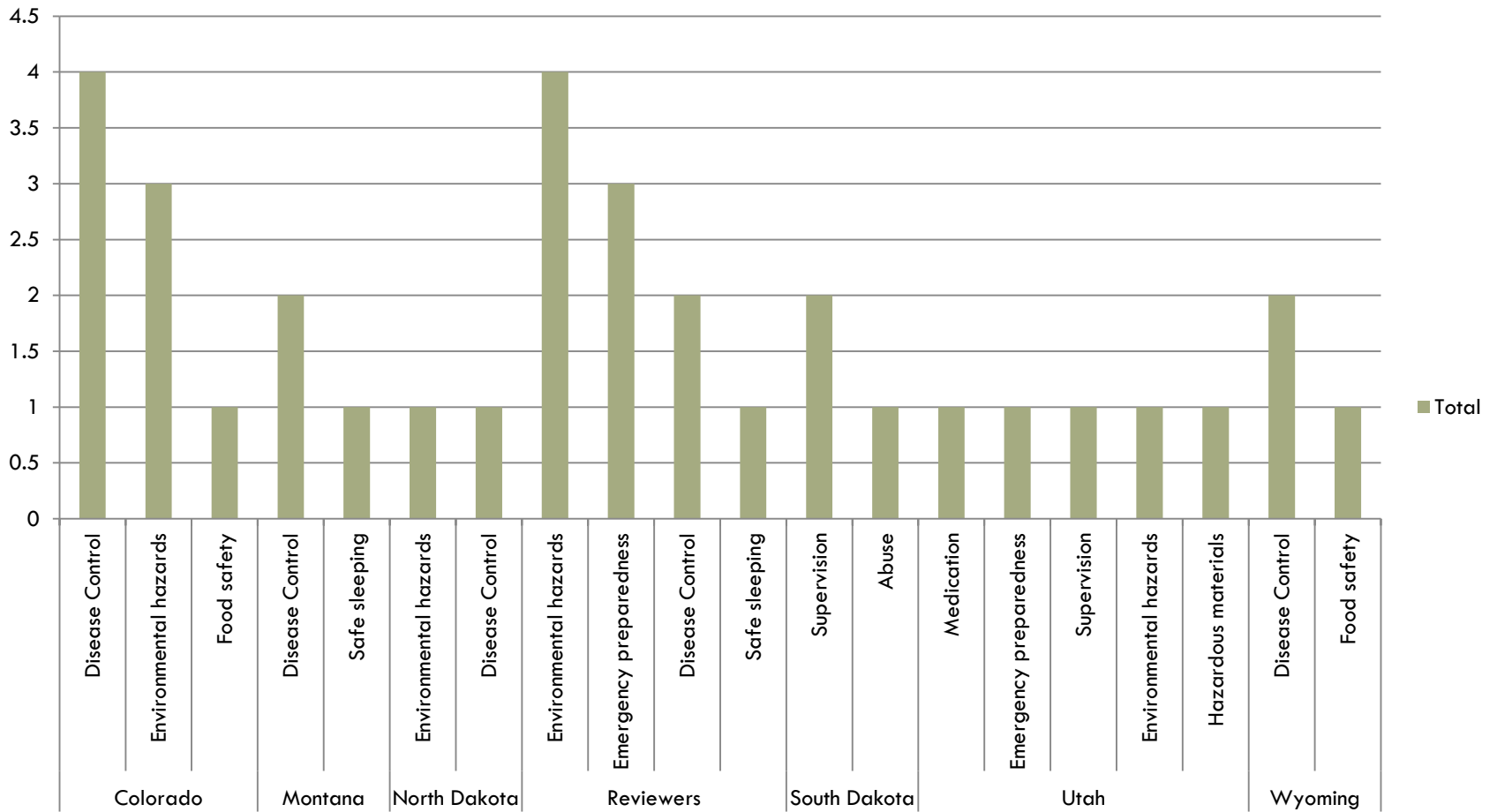
Supervision

- Supervision
- Inappropriate staff-to-child ratios
- Line-of-sight supervision on playgrounds

Other Issues

- Food safety
- Safe sleeping
- Hazardous materials, abuse, medication

Who Said What...?



What Is Your Reality?

Focus!

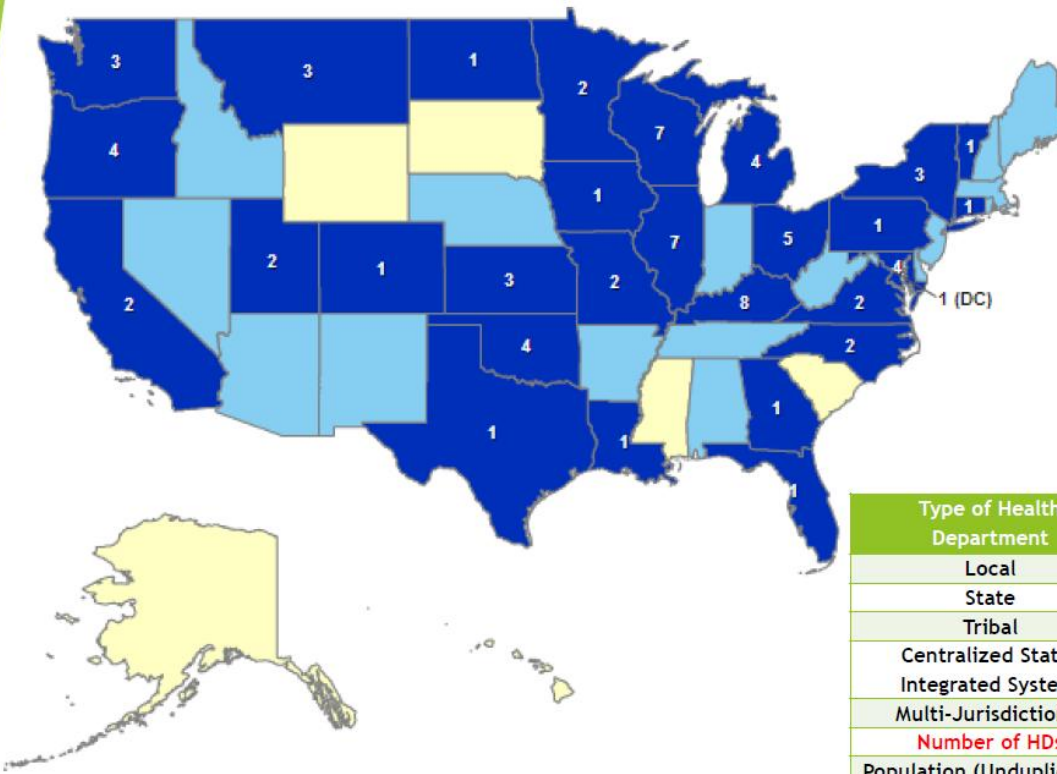
- What is currently required by regulation?
 - ▣ Regulation vs. Standards
- What is relevant to your center and families?
 - ▣ Talk to each other
 - ▣ Talk to your families
 - ▣ Talk to community partners

What Can You Do?

- Plan
- Do
- Study
- Act

Public Health Partners

Accreditation Activity as of October 2015



Type of Health Department	Accredited	In Process	Total in e-PHAB
Local	70	158	228
State	9	23	32
Tribal	.	3	3
Centralized States Integrated System ¹	.	67	67
Multi-Jurisdictional	.	8	8
Number of HDs	79	259	338
Population (Unduplicated)	120,690,197	107,025,674	227,715,871

Applicant Names Are Kept Confidential

¹Single accreditation for multiple health departments

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