REGIONAL DEPOSITORY MODELS
CONTINUING THE DISCUSSION

Regionals by library type

Academic library
31

State library
12

Public library
3
Current breakdown – 46 regionals

7 multi-state regionals

- Connecticut State Library – Rhode Island
- University of Florida – Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands
- University of Hawaii, Manoa – American Samoa, Guam and Micronesia
- University of Maine, Orono – New Hampshire and Vermont
- University of Maryland – Delaware and D.C.
- University of Minnesota – Michigan and South Dakota
- Washington State Library – Alaska
Current breakdown – 46 regionals

4 states with 2 regionals
- Alabama
- Louisiana
- Texas
- Wisconsin

1 state with a shared regional
- North Dakota

29 regionals that serve a single state
- 3 states have shared regional arrangements
  - Missouri
  - Oregon
  - Tennessee

- Other states may have smaller-scale SHAs
Proposed regional models

- **Fully cataloged regionals**
  - ALL tangible regional collections would be fully cataloged and inventoried

- **More multi-state regionals**
  - Regions or consortia would determine the number of regionals necessary to serve their users

- **Eliminate regionals entirely**
  - Separates collection development and management from public service

Does not require Title 44 change

- **Multi-state regionals**, so long as the entire regional collection resides in the regional’s home state

- **Selective Housing Agreements (SHAs)** to have other libraries in the regional’s home state house parts of the regional collection

- **Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)** to share reference service
May require Title 44 change

- Two designated regionals in one state sharing the regional collection
  - Must have senatorial approval (e.g. North Dakota)
- Multi-state regionals, where the regional collection resides in multiple states
  - e.g. Kansas-Nebraska proposal

Requires Title 44 change

- More then two regionals in one state
- Eliminate regionals and transfer responsibilities to separate entities
- Keep less than the full regional collection
- Substitute electronic documents not approved by the SuDoc
Discussion topics

- The use of Selective Housing Agreements
- Catalog records for pre-1976 documents
- To inventory or not to inventory?
- Other regional model-related topics?

Thank you!

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