

Federal and State Roles in Cyber Crime Investigation and Prosecution

MICROMODULE

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Description

This Lesson focuses specifically on domestic cyber crimes. For jurisdictional reasons that are explained throughout this course, federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies and the Department of Defense are tasked with cyber operations and cyber threat response in all matters involving national security and terrorism. State agencies assist with early identification and cyber threat information sharing with federal agencies, but with a few exceptions, federal agencies take jurisdictional precedence with these categories of cyber threats.

Outcomes

remember and understand

Students will be able to understand how it is the nature of the cyber threat that ultimately determines federal or state jurisdiction

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Students will be able to identify when federal law preempts state jurisdiction

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Students will be able to define how federal and state agencies share cyber threat information

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Students will be able to explain how federal and state laws create jurisdiction for different types of cyber crimes

remember and understand

Students will be able to understand how federal and state agencies work together to combat cybercrime

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Students will be able to understand the difference between federal and state jurisdictional authority to investigate and prosecute cybercrimes