

Montana FY26 End-of-Year Report

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Provide the State Council meeting date(s) and documentation:	• 30 JULY 2025 • 4 NOV 2025 • 15 APR 2026
Cases and Inquiries	• Montana has had no cases or inquiries that have risen to the Commissioner level.
Training and Education	• In FY2026, the Commissioner and State Council did not organize training or education for partners within Montana. Schools applying for Purple Star coordinated directly with the MIC3 National Office for compact training.
Briefs, Communications, and Presentations	• Distributed information on the Compact to members of Montana's State Legislature. • Coordinated with the Defense State Liaison Office to brief in April MIC3 meeting to discuss educational initiatives for upcoming legislative session.