

Who We Are

Founded in 1951, the Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) is **the professional home** for over 2000 practicing applied epidemiologists working at the state, local, tribal and territorial levels, as well as federal, academic, corporate and non-profit settings. In addition, CSTE represents the interests of State Epidemiologists from all 50 U.S. states and the U.S. territories, comprising the Council. Our subcommittees and workgroups provide members an opportunity to shape the future of public health applied epidemiology practice and policy.



Epidemiology/Surveillance Programs

CSTE convenes applied epidemiologists in state and local public health agencies to provide a critical forum for collaboration, policy direction and innovation. This collaboration ensures a more effective public health response and better-informed prevention planning.



Workforce Development

CSTE supports workforce development by providing training, mentorship and leadership opportunities for applied epidemiologists. Fellowship programs administered by CSTE also strengthen the workforce and provide support to health departments. We regularly assess national epidemiology capacity to identify gaps and recommendations for improving the public health workforce.



Membership

CSTE's individual members are applied public health epidemiologists working in various settings throughout the nation, including student members from universities across the U.S., early career professionals and senior epidemiologists. Our members have surveillance and epidemiology expertise in a broad range of specializations, including infectious diseases, occupational health, environmental health, chronic diseases, and more.

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