

**286—1.6(256) Collection policy of the library.** Purpose is to define the intended coverage and clientele; establish collection management and selection policies; provide staff with the means to ensure consistency, responsiveness, and wise use of funds in collection building; assist in development of performance measures; establish priorities to guide budget allocations and cataloging and preservation decisions; and document the library's commitment to intellectual freedom.

SEE: Collection Policy. State Library of Iowa, May 28, 1993.