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General Comment

The removal of barriers at polling sites is one of the main strategies to get people with disabilities to go out and vote. The Americans with Disabilities Act (1990) provides guidelines for polling sites that if implemented by election officials, voters with disabilities would be motivated to vote in person. We are recommending NIST should fund the necessary research to address cybersecurity as well as developing the technology to enable people who are blind, visually impaired, or with dexterity issues to be able to vote privately and independently.

Attachments

NIST Comments