Record Nr. UNINA9910465383103321 Autore Meade Benjamin <1981-> **Titolo** Moral communities and jailhouse religion: religiosity and prison misconduct / / Benjamin Meade Pubbl/distr/stampa El Paso, Texas:,: LFB Scholarly Publishing LLC,, 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 1-59332-780-3 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (254 p.) Collana **Criminal Justice** Disciplina 365/.6430973 Prisoners - Religious life - United States Soggetti Prison psychology - United States Criminals - Rehabilitation - United States Prison discipline - United States Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Sommario/riassunto Meade examines the relationship between religiosity and inmate misconduct. The most important aspect of his work is an attempt to resolve unanswered questions in the existing research about the religiosity-inmate misconduct relationship using a national sample of inmates and rigorous statistical techniques. His basic thesis is that the mixed findings across studies may be attributed to issues concerning selection bias and/or contextual differences in religiosity across facilities. The findings from the studies indicate that selection bias could result in an underestimation of the magnitude of