

SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY PANEL MEETING



Chairperson
Mark Krogstrand

Vice Chairperson
Nora Svatos

Panel Functions

- Advise the SEA of unmet needs within the State in the education of children with disabilities
- Comment publicly on any rules or regulations proposed by the state regarding the education of children with disabilities
- Advise the SEA in developing evaluations and reporting on data to the Secretary under section 618 of the Act
- Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in Federal monitoring reports under Part B of the Act
- Advise the SEA in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for children with disabilities
- Review and comment on final due process hearing findings and decisions
- Advise on eligible students with disabilities in adult prisons- The advisory panel also shall advise on the education of eligible students with disabilities who have been convicted as adults and incarcerated in adult prisons

Panel Priorities

- State Performance Plan
- Child Find
- Ensuring quality service providers are available to children with disabilities

Agenda
October 5th, 2009

7:00 AM	Begin boarding shuttle
8:30 AM	Wind Cave Tour
10:00 AM	Return to Girls' Camp at STAR Academy
11:00 AM	Lunch
	Group Photo

12:15 PM - 12:30 PM	Welcome
Opening Remarks	Department of Education
Call the meeting to Order	Chairperson: Mark Krogstrand Vice Chairperson: Nora Svatos
	Introduction of Members
Action Item	Approval of the Agenda
Action Item	Approval of June 24 th , 2009 Minutes
	Public Comment

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	National Updates
	Presented by John Copenhaver, Mountain Plains Regional Resource Center
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emerging Issues
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations

1:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Special Education Programs
	Presented by Alicia Schoenhard and Ann Larsen, SD Dept. of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Updates
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations

2:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Break
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2:15 PM - 2:45 PM	Micky Wienk
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Response to Intervention (RtI) Year 2 Data Report
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations

2:45 PM - 3:15 PM	ARRA
	Presented by Ann Larsen, SD Dept. of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

October 6th, 2009

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Title II Federal Visit
	Presented by Alicia Schoenhard, SD Dept. of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Findings
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Vocational Rehabilitation
	Presented by Bernie Grimme, SD Dept. of Human Services
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Updates
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Miscellaneous Topics
 <p>Miscellaneous Topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South Dakota Scorecard
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board of Ed Rules updates
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membership Contact List
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kids Included Together (KIT) video
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miriam Kurtzig Freedman Books
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proclamation - October, Parent Involvement Month
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

9:30 AM - 9:45 PM	Break
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9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Adult Transition Program
	Presented by Lillie Pendleton and Margie Morrison
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

10:45 AM - 11:30 AM	Yearly Planning
	Review Existing Priorities
	Establish new goals and priorities
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

11:30 AM - 11:45 AM	Schedule Upcoming Meeting
Upcoming Meeting	• Propose Dates and Locations for upcoming year
	• Proposed Agenda Items for Next Time
	• Propose Guest Speakers/Topics
11:45 AM	Adjourn
Action Item	

Reminder

Next Meeting: We will meet at _____ on January _____, 2010