

South Dakota Advisory Panel on Children with Disabilities

AGENDA

MacKay Building: 800 Governors Drive; Pierre, SD
Library Commons Conference Room
April 7, 2021 9:00am – 4pm CT

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 Priority:

Improving information dissemination and the communication gap between State Education Agency (SEA), school districts and parents for students with disabilities.

Agenda:

Agenda Item	Presenter	Comments/Documents
Call meeting to order and Introductions	Chairperson – Erin Schons	
Approval of the agenda	Advisory Panel	Agenda
Approval of the minutes	Advisory Panel	Meeting Minutes
Public Comment	If you are interested in providing public comment, please send notification to Wendy.Trujillo@state.sd.us or call (605)773.3678	

Agenda Items Cont...	Presenter	Comments/Documents
Department of Education Updates	Linda Turner Wendy Trujillo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legislative Wrap-Up • Federal Budget • Upcoming resignations • Couple volunteers for Stakeholder group – target setting for new SPP Package
10am – 11am State Systemic Improvement Plan (Indicator 17)	Brandi Gerry	
12:30 – 1 (flexible) DOE Secretary Introduction	Tiffany Sanderson	DOE Secretary Introduction
Priority Area: Improve Communication & Resource Gap	Panel Members	Report out findings Discuss next steps
Meeting Take Away for Annual Report	Advisory Panel	
Next Meeting and Agenda Items	Advisory Panel	
Adjournment	Advisory Panel	

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