



OKLAHOMA
Education

Oklahoma IDEA-B Advisory Panel
Meeting Agenda

Date: February 9, 2024

Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Location: Oklahoma State Department of Education

9:00 – 11:00

New Member Orientation – Norm Ames, Director for the Technical Assistance for Excellence in Special Education (TAESE)

11:00 – 12:00

Lunch on your own

12:00 – 12:45

Dispute Resolution School Year 2022 – 2023 – Shea Stark, Program Manager of Regulatory Compliance in Special Education Services

12:45 – 1:45

Agency, Division, & Special Education Services Updates – Sherri Coats, Program Director of Special Education Services

1:45 – 2:10

State Systemic Improvement Plan (SSIP) – Alexa Hudak, Program Manager of SSIP

2:10 – 2:40

Priority Setting – Michelle Keiper, Chair

2:40 – 2:50

Public Comment

2:50 – 3:00

Adjourn



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State Advisory Panel Duties Under IDEA

In accordance with the federal regulations in IDEA, the Governor, or his/her designee, is required to appoint members of the Special Education Advisory Panel (SEAP). The following are Advisory Panel duties according to the IDEA.

- a) Advise the OSDE, SES of unmet needs within the State in the education of children and youth with disabilities. (34 CFR 300.169(a))
- b) Comment on any rules or regulations proposed by the State regarding the education of special education students. (34 CFR 300.169(b))
- c) Advise the Office of Special Education in developing evaluations and reporting such information as may assist the State in its data requirements under Section 618 of the IDEA. (34 CFR 300.169(c))
- d) Advise the Office of Special Education in developing corrective action plans (CAPs) to address findings identified in federal monitoring reports under Part B of the IDEA. (34 CFR 300.513(d) and 300.514(c))
- e) Advise the Office of Special Education in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for special education students. (34 CFR 300.169 (e))
- f) Provide the Advisory Council with the due process hearing (DPH) findings and decisions and make those findings and decisions available to the public. (CFR 300.513(d) & 300.514(c))
- g) Waiver of non-supplant requirement. The State must consult with the Advisory Panel regarding provisions of Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE). (34 CFR 300.164(c)(4))
- h) Advise the Office of Special Education as it monitors special education programs in local education agencies (LEAs) and private schools.