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TO: School District Superintendents
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SUBJECT: State Performance Plan Data Requirements – Postsecondary School Survey –
Cohort 1 (POSTS)

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act of 2004 (IDEA) requires each state to determine, for the state as a whole, the extent to which students are achieving transition outcomes as stated in their Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) ([State Performance Plan – Indicator 14](#)).

To meet this federal reporting requirement, once over a five-year period, each local educational agency (LEA) is required to survey all students with IEPs who graduate, dropout, or age out. The Pennsylvania Post-School Outcome Surveys (PaPOS) will be used to gather this data. The random sampling process used to assign each LEA to one of the five years in each cycle ensures that the LEAs selected each year are representative of the state as a whole with regard to LEA size, disability category, ethnicity, gender, and exiting status.

During the 2020-2021 school year, LEAs assigned to Target Sampling Year 1 completed the exit survey. The LEAs assigned to PaPOS Target Year 1 need to be aware of the following points as they must fulfill the post-survey requirements during the 2021-2022 school year:

- No earlier than one year after the student left school and no later than September 30, 2022, the LEA must administer the PaPOS post survey to former students who had an IEP and who graduated, dropped out, or aged out at the end of the 2020-2021 school year. (These former students should have been administered the exit survey in Spring of 2021). All this information will be entered by your LEA through the Leader Services online system.
- Intermediate Unit and Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network (PaTTAN) transition consultants will monitor the LEA's progress and assist as needed with the PaPOS procedure.
- The Pennsylvania Department of Education's Bureau of Special Education will provide LEAs with training on the implementation and electronic submission of the PaPOS Target Year 1 via a webinar on April 19, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Please register for this webinar at [PaTTAN - Session-36729](#).

For questions about this process, please contact Elaine Neugebauer, Educational Consultant at the PaTTAN-Pittsburgh Office, at (800) 446-5607, ext. 6867 (inside PA) or eneugebauer@pattanpgh.net.

Your assistance in assuring compliance with this requirement is greatly appreciated.

The following LEAs are assigned to 2021-22 PaPOS Target Sampling Year 1:

AUN	Local Education Agency
103020603	Allegheny Valley SD
108070502	Altoona Area SD
127040703	Ambridge Area SD
117080503	Athens Area SD
109530304	Austin Area SD
103020753	Avonworth SD
108561003	Berlin Brothersvalley SD
115210503	Big Spring SD
109420803	Bradford Area SD
122091352	Bristol Township SD
106330703	Brockway Area SD
107650703	Burrell SD
117081003	Canton Area SD
103021603	Carlynton SD
122092102	Central Bucks SD
127042003	Central Valley SD
101631803	Charleroi SD
123461302	Cheltenham Township SD
125231303	Chichester SD
102020001	City CHS
103021903	Clairton City SD
108071504	Claysburg-Kimmel SD
124151902	Coatesville Area SD
101261302	Connellsville Area SD
103022103	Cornell SD
105251453	Corry Area SD
106611303	Cranberry Area SD
107651603	Derry Area SD
120483302	Easton Area SD
114062003	Exeter Township SD
111292304	Forbes Road SD
119583003	Forest City Regional SD
103023912	Fox Chapel Area SD
103024102	Gateway SD
105253903	General McLane SD
110173003	Glendale SD
115222504	Halifax Area SD
103024603	Hampton Township SD
118403003	Hanover Area SD
105254353	Harbor Creek SD
115222752	Harrisburg City SD
103024753	Highlands SD
128323303	Homer-Center SD
127044103	Hopewell Area SD
101303503	Jefferson-Morgan SD
109243503	Johnsonburg Area SD
111312804	Juniata Valley SD
113362940	La Academia: The Partnership CS
104433903	Lakeview SD
113363603	Lampeter-Strasburg SD
113364002	Lancaster SD
113384603	Lebanon SD
117414203	Loyalsock Township SD
113364403	Manheim Central SD
128325203	Marion Center Area SD
125235502	Marple Newtown SD
126510002	Mastery Charter High School
104435003	Mercer Area SD
123465303	Methacton SD

108565203	Meyersdale Area SD
115226103	Millersburg Area SD
129544703	Minersville Area SD
103026303	Montour SD
104375302	New Castle Area SD
107656303	New Kensington-Arnold SD
108565503	North Star SD
112674403	Northeastern York SD
113385003	Northern Lebanon SD
118406003	Northwest Area SD
107656502	Norwin SD
121136503	Palmerton Area SD
108116003	Penn Cambria SD
113365203	Penn Manor SD
122098103	Pennridge SD
107657103	Penn-Trafford SD
105250001	Perseus House CS of Excellence
101636503	Peters Township SD
110177003	Philipsburg-Osceola Area SD
120455203	Pleasant Valley SD
120455403	Pocono Mountain SD
123466403	Pottstown SD
112675503	Red Lion Area SD
104435303	Reynolds SD
119357003	Riverside SD
114067503	Schuylkill Valley SD
116557103	Selinsgrove Area SD
116496603	Shikellamy SD
123467103	Souderton Area SD
112676203	South Eastern SD
115218303	South Middleton SD
127047404	South Side Area SD
116197503	Southern Columbia Area SD
108077503	Spring Cove SD
120456003	Stroudsburg Area SD
115228303	Susquehanna Township SD
115506003	Susquenita SD
129547603	Tamaqua Area SD
124157802	Tredyffrin-Easttown SD
106169003	Union SD
112289003	Waynesboro Area SD
121397803	Whitehall-Coplay SD
118409203	Wyoming Area SD
112679403	York Suburban SD
126512870	Youth Build Philadelphia CS

Targeted Philadelphia SD

Creative and Performing Arts
 Edison HS/Fareira Skills
 Lankenau HS
 Motivation HS
 Overbrook HS
 Roxborough HS
 Science Leadership Academy
 Swenson Arts & Technology HS
 The SD of Philadelphia Virtual Academy
 The U School: Innovative Lab
 The Workshop School

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