

Oklahoma IDEA-B Advisory Panel Meeting Agenda

Date: December 5, 2024

Time: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Location: Francis Tuttle Technology Center – Rockwell Campus, Room D1870A

1:00 - 1:05

Welcome – Sherri Coats, Program Director, Special Education Services

1:05 - 2:30

Fiscal Management – Karen Howard, Program Manager, Finance

2:30 - 2:45

District Data Packets – Travis Thompson, Project Manager, Data

2:45 – 3:00

50th Anniversary of IDEA – Sherri Coats, Program Director, Special Education Services

3:00 - 3:45

Priority Workgroups – Michelle Keiper, Chair

3:45 – 3:55

Public Comment

3:55 – 4:00

Adjourn



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.