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MEMORANDUM

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents
   Public School Academy Administrators

FROM: Linda Forward
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SUBJECT: Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Reporting of Data

The federal regulations implementing the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act* (IDEA) at §300.602(b)(1)(i)(A) require public reporting on the performance of each local education agency on the targets established in the State Performance Plan (SPP) for each of the priority areas (Part B: Ages 3 through 21) in Michigan.

The SPP for Part B of the IDEA 2004 (ages 3 through 21) is comprised of results and compliance indicators. The United States Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs, requires that each state report district level data. The 2015 Public Reporting data are from the 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 school years. The Part B indicators predominantly reflect data your district submitted to the state. For Part B, the following indicators are being publicly reported:

- Indicator 1 - Graduation
- Indicator 2 - Dropout
- Indicator 3 - Statewide Assessment
- Indicator 4A - Suspension/Expulsion
- Indicator 4B - Suspension/Expulsion by Race/Ethnicity
- Indicator 5 - Educational Environments: Ages 6-21
- Indicator 6 - Early Childhood Educational Environments: Ages 3-5
- Indicator 7 - Preschool Outcomes
- Indicator 8 - Facilitated Parent Involvement
- Indicator 9 - Disproportionate Representation (Child with a Disability)
- Indicator 10 - Disproportionate Representation (Eligibility Categories)
Indicator 11 - Child Find  
Indicator 12 - Early Childhood Transition  
Indicator 13 – Secondary Transition  
Indicator 14 – Postsecondary Outcomes

For a two week period beginning approximately May 13, 2015, local educational agencies, public school academies, and intermediate school districts will be able to preview district level data for children and students ages 3 through 21.

By June 1, 2015, the district level data will be available at: www.mischooldata.org. Links to the MI School Data Portal will also be available through the Michigan Department of Education website.

Interested individuals without internet access will be directed to the Center for Educational Networking for paper copies of district data. They may also contact their local or intermediate school district for this information.

Please address any questions or concerns regarding the Public Reporting of Part B Indicators (ages 3 through 21) to:

- Julie Trevino at (517) 241-0497 or Jayme Kraus at (517) 373-0346
- or send an email to: MDE-SPP-Public-Rep@michigan.gov

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