Monday Message
August 22, 2022

**Special Education Module**

**Federal Reporting Office Hours**
As a reminder, the Federal Reporting Office Hours are open from at 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM on the first Wednesday of each month. Please contact Khalilah O’Farrow-Boulware at khalilah.ofarrow@dpi.nc.gov if you have any questions. To join in and ask any questions about upcoming federal reporting, please use the following link: [https://ncgov.webex.com/meet/khalilah.ofarrow](https://ncgov.webex.com/meet/khalilah.ofarrow).

*Note: This message is a repeat of the August 17, 2022 Director’s Weekly Message.*

**Indicator 11**
All Public-School Units are responsible for certifying Indicator 11: Child Find in ECATS. The certification schedule for Indicator 11 begins October 3, 2022 and is due by close of business October 31, 2022.

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**Indicator 12**
Indicator 12 must be submitted via spreadsheet by all Traditional Public-School Units prior to the due date of October 31, 2022. Charter Schools and State Operated Programs do not need to submit an Indicator 12 spreadsheet this year. The Indicator 12 spreadsheet can be accessed from the ECATS Reporting website at: [https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/classroom-resources/exceptional-children/every-childaccountability-tracking-system-ecats/reporting](https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/classroom-resources/exceptional-children/every-childaccountability-tracking-system-ecats/reporting). Please email all completed Indicator 12 spreadsheets to ecindicators@dpi.nc.gov.

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**Indicator 14**
Selected Public-School Units are responsible for documenting post school outcomes survey data in ECATS for each student that graduated, dropped out, received a certificate, or aged out during the 2020-21 school year as reported in the 2020-21 Exit Report. All Post-School Outcome survey data are to be entered in ECATS by
September 16, 2022. Your cooperation in meeting the deadline for data submission is greatly appreciated. The ECATS Reporting site has access to multiple resources on Indicator 14, including the recorded Indicator 14 training session. You can access these resources from the following link: https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districtsschools/classroom-resources/exceptional-children/every-child-accountability-tracking-system-ecats/reporting.

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Important Federal Reporting Reminder: Submission Timeliness
If your district does not certify the data required for Indicators by the due date, your data may be certified by state staff. The integrity of the data is always at risk when the Department of Public Instruction must finalize the data for your district.

MTSS Module

ECATS MTSS Module Updates
Please click here for the ECATS MTSS Module August Updates.

ECATS MTSS Module Updates
PCG and the IABS team are excited to announce refinements to the Intervention and Progress Monitoring Tool management process. LEAs will have the capability to add, delete, and manage their own interventions within the ECATS EWS interface beginning summer 2022. LEAs will have the capability to select the progress monitoring tools that appear on their site during a window this summer and early fall. Support sessions (content repeated) will be offered for MTSS contacts during August. Session dates, times, and meeting links and additional ECATS MTSS Updates are in the August MTSS ECATS Updates.

Aimsweb: LEA Code Update
LEAs must ensure their LEA code in aimswebPlus is correctly configured. Any account manager can set the value for the District Abbreviation field by editing the record for the district from the District List screen within aimswebPlus.

For previous issues of the ECATS Monday Message, please visit https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/classroom-resources/exceptional-children/every-child-accountability-tracking-system-ecats/monday-messages.