



2023 OSEP
Leadership and
Project Directors'
Conference

July 24-26, 2023
Crystal Gateway Marriott
Arlington, VA



Monday, July 24, 2023

8:45 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. ET (1 hour 45 minutes)

Welcome and Opening Remarks and Keynote Presentation

[Opening Remarks Video Archive](#)

[PowerPoint Presentation – Welcome and Opening Remarks](#)

[Keynote Video Archive](#)

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. ET (30 minutes)

Break and Solo Presentations

Title of Session

Materials Provided

Improving Your State's Part C System: Lessons Learned From DMS

[PowerPoint](#)

New Flexibilities for Implementing Medicaid in Schools

None

The Role of Cognitive Load Theory in Selecting, Designing, and Implementing Instruction for Students and Teachers

None

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. ET (1 hour 15 minutes)

Implementation Showcases

Title of Session

Materials Provided

Successfully Partnering With Families Adds Credibility and Authenticity to Our Work and Fosters a Safer Environment for Active Family Engagement, Effectively Paving a Path to Empowerment for All Families

[Handout](#)

The Consortium Approach to Doctoral Training: Lessons Learned

[PowerPoint](#)

National Center on Improving Literacy– Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network (NCIL-PaTTAN): Implementing Evidence-Based Literacy Practices Systemwide

[PowerPoint](#)

Retaining Special Education Personnel at All Levels: Georgia's Approach

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[Handout](#)

National- and State-Level Partnerships: Fostering Inclusive Early Learning Opportunities Through Accessibility Practices

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[Handout](#)



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Implementation Showcases Continued

Moving States, Local Programs, and Early Childhood Environments
From “Yes, But” to “Both, And” to Achieve Transformational Inclusive
Change

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

Dispute Resolution and DMS: An Interactive Discussion Panel
Featuring the Perspectives of Part B/Part C Programs, The Center for
Appropriate Dispute Resolution in Special Education (CADRE), ECTA,
and OSEP

[PowerPoint](#)

Developing a State Comprehensive System of Personnel Development
(CSPD)

[PowerPoint](#)

Moving Toward Meaningful Inclusion for Students With Significant
Cognitive Disabilities

[PowerPoint](#)

12:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. ET (2 hours 30 minutes)

Lunch and Live Poster Session Setup
No materials

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. ET (1 hour)

State Team Meetings A
No materials

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. ET (1 hour)

Program Area Meetings A
No materials

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. ET (1 hour)

Poster Sessions and Technology Demonstrations
No materials

3:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ET (15 minutes)

Break and Micro-Solo Presentations
No materials



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4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. ET (1 hour)

Talk Sessions

Title of Session

Materials Provided

The Power of Data: OSEP's Reflections and Considerations for the State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report

[PowerPoint](#)

Increasing Equity Through Stage-Based Implementation of Universal Design for Learning (UDL) in Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)

[PowerPoint](#)

The Case for Flexibility in Schoolwide Evidence-based Literacy Practices: Navigating Negotiables and Non-Negotiables

[PowerPoint](#)

Fostering Educator Expertise through Practice-based Preparation

[PowerPoint](#)

Data Sharing Under IDEA and the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout 1](#)

Prioritizing Equity-Mindset Practices in Technical Assistance Services

[PowerPoint](#)

Enhancing Equitable Access to and Participation in Early Intervention

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

How Do State Policies and Practices Support COS Family Engagement?

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

5:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. ET (1 hour)

Break and Micro-Solo Presentations

No Materials



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5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. ET (1 hour)

Meetups and Workshops

Title of Session

Materials Provided

Accessibility Awareness As an Organizational Approach

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

Data Visualization: A Workshop in Bringing Evaluation Data to Life

[PowerPoint 1](#)
[Handout](#)

Using the Personnel Development Program Data Collection System (PDPDCS): Tips, Tricks, and Demos

[PowerPoint](#)

Leading Continuous Reading Improvement Within a Schoolwide System

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout 1](#)
[Handout 2](#)

Boosting Access to Positive Parenting for Families

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

DMS Monitoring Cohort 2 Meeting

None

Lessons Learned: How States Successfully Implement Coaching

[PowerPoint](#)
[Handout](#)

Integration of School- or Program-Based Mental Health Supports

None

American Rescue Plan (ARP) Funds – Insights and Lessons Learned from Part C

None

Implementation Science in Doctoral and State Leadership Programs

None

DeafBlind Projects Connecting with Information, Strategies and Stories

None

Parent Center Directors and Staff of Color

None

Part B Data Managers Chat About Data Quality and Other Important Issues

None

All Things State Advisory Panel (SAP) and State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC)

None