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CCIP Note #410

Re: Error in IDEA Allocations: Pending Final IDEA Part B Allocations (Sections 611 and 619)
Date: April 25, 2019
To: Consolidated Funding Application Contacts, Superintendents/CCIP Authorized Representatives and Treasurers/CCIP Fiscal Representatives of Public Schools, Community Schools, STEM Schools, and ESCs

The purpose of this memo is to inform you the Ohio Department of Education discovered an error in the IDEA Part B reallocation formula and is working on a correction. You will see updates in the CCIP that may affect your district's allocations of IDEA Part B funds.

As you are aware, the Ohio Department of Education posted State Fiscal Year 2019 preliminary allocations in the CCIP in June 2018. Preliminary allocations are based on a conservative estimate of Ohio's IDEA Part B award from the U.S. Department of Education.

In early April 2019, the Department released adjusted allocations based on updated student counts to ensure compliance with IDEA Part B regulations. Incorrect data was used in computing these allocations.

Please disregard the amounts posted on April 10, 2019. The Department apologizes for any inconvenience and confusion this may have caused and is working to finalize the calculations that will be uploaded into the CCIP in the next several days.

Once the revised allocations are uploaded, consolidated applications in "Final Approved" status automatically will be changed to "Revision Started." Districts and community schools can submit revisions incorporating the adjustments or wait until carryover funds are loaded after their FY19 Final Expenditure Reports are approved.

The Department is committed to ensuring districts and community schools receive their proper subgrants under IDEA Part B and are positioned to meet the needs of their students with disabilities. We are examining our processes to minimize the likelihood that such an error occurs in the future.

If you have questions regarding your district's final allocations, you may contact the following staff members:
State Support Team Regions 1, 2, 7, 13 – Jerahn Hyman, (614) 466-9523
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Thank you for your understanding in this matter. You are valued and appreciated.