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CCIP Note #468

Re: Federal Low-Income Count System (FLICS) Spring Reporting for All Community Schools and Spring OAASFEP 2021 Conference Announcement
Date: March 23, 2021
To: Treasurers and Consolidated Application Contacts for Public School Districts and Community Schools

FLICS Data for All Community Schools Should be Reviewed by April 16, 2021

The Federal Low Income Counting System (FLICS) EMIS Level 2 Report is available now for both community schools and public districts to allow them to review economically disadvantaged community school student data from the School Options Enrollment System (SOES). Anyone with access to the EMIS Data Collector can view the report.

Public districts have until **Friday, April 9, 2021** to place flags error flags in the SOES module. Community schools will have until **Friday, April 16, 2021** to resolve error flags within the SOES Module that are preventing economically disadvantaged students from being allocated Title I-A funds.

In November 2019, an EMIS Level 2 Report replaced the Federal Low-Income Count System (FLICS) Module. All reporting and verification will be done through EMIS, and data updates are displayed on the Level 2 Report. Counts of students who have met the criteria necessary to be allocated funding for Title I, Title II, and IDEA are now available on an ongoing basis by viewing the EMIS Level 2 FLICS report.

Based on the community school enrollment data, Title I-A and Title II-A funds are deducted from the student's 2019-2020 district of residence and reallocated to the community school where the student is enrolled as of October 2020. Additional instructions regarding the review of the FLICS Report and a timeline for review can be found here.

FLICS data in Spring 2021 will be used during the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 allocations for districts. **Community schools will have until April 16, 2021 to review the FLICS Report and resolve error flags that are preventing economically disadvantaged students from being allocated funds.**

EMIS related questions should follow the normal path for getting assistance with EMIS reporting. The first point of contact should be the EMIS coordinator, followed by the Information Technology Center, then the EMIS Helpdesk, and finally ODE EMIS directly.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the FLICS process or FLICS Report instructions, please contact one of these consultants at the Office of Federal Programs or federalprograms@education.ohio.gov:

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Spring OAASFEP 2021

Save the date for the spring 2021 virtual Ohio Association of Administrators of State and Federal Education Programs conference taking place April 22-23, 2021. The spring conference offers important information and updates on administering federal education programs. The association encourages superintendents, treasurers, school district Title coordinators and other school officials to attend.

Conference details are available here. Registration is available here. Please send questions about the conference to info@oaasfep.org.