

Date: August 25, 2022

Welcome and Introductions

Overview and Norms

- The Texas Education Agency (T.E.A.) is conducting webinars to share information directly with Local Education Agency (L.E.A.) special education leaders. T.E.A. will use these webinars to review and discuss guidance, Frequently Asked Questions (F.A.Q.s), and other materials that have been pushed into the field or are in development that relate to students with disabilities and special education.
- T.E.A. will also use tools within the system including polling and multiple-choice questioning to gather feedback on clarity of materials and opportunities to improve future iterations of content.
- T.E.A. will not take live questions in these webinars, we will collect questions and use them to generate future guidance materials, F.A.Q.s and support documents.

Announcements

Legal Framework Announcement - The Legal Framework webpage will be unavailable for maintenance and upgrades from September 1st-21st. Due to this, extensions for completing assurances, or uploading LEA Special Education Policies and Procedures will not be available past the August 31st deadline.

The platform will be available to search citations and look up information, but LEAs will not be able to upload any documents or see their assurances until the update is complete.

Discussion Items

- SLP Master's Degree Distance Venue Tuition Reimbursement Program for students from small and rural LEAs – Dr. April Estrada, ESC 10, and Dawn Vanderhule, TEA
- ~~Dyslexia Updates – Deanna Clemens, TEA, and Michelle Reeves, TEA~~ Tabled until Sept. 8, 2022
TEA/LEA Webinar
- SPP Data Collection – Tammy Pearcy and Zane Wubbena, TEA

Next Meeting

- September 8, 2022