The MEP Written Evaluation Report: Requirements and Exemplars

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Agenda / Objectives

• OME will share the requirements for a written evaluation report.
• A panel of MEP directors will present exemplars for the requirements of a written evaluation.
• Participants will have an opportunity to ask questions about the MEP written evaluation report of the panel and OME.
• Participants will be able to use information in the presentation to develop a written evaluation report that is both compliant and may contribute to the improvement of MEP services and performance results.
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ANNUAL MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES:

THE STATE MEP COLLECTS PERFORMANCE RESULTS DATA ON STATE PERFORMANCE TARGETS IN READING/LANGUAGE ARTS, MATHEMATICS AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, DISAGGREGATED BY PFS, OTHER MIGRANT, AND NON-MIGRANT.
Kentucky AMOs

- The Commonwealth of Kentucky determines the AMOs for all students using the formula below.
- The baseline rate (34% in this example) is subtracted from 100 (100 - 34 = 66), then divided by 2 (66/2 = 33) and added back to the baseline score (34 + 33 = 67). This results in a state five-year delivery goal of 67%. For annual progress goals we divide the growth by 5.
Reading & Math AMO

• KYMEP used the same formula to determine the AMO for all migrant students
• Combined reading and math
• Increase the average combined reading and mathematics proficiency ratings for all students in the non-duplicated gap group from 33.0% in 2012 to 66.5% in 2017.
New AMOs

• Increase the K-PREP Reading migrant student percent proficient to 65.6 percent for elementary school students and 63.9 percent for middle school students by SY 2018-19.

• Increase the K-PREP Mathematics migrant student percent proficient to 64.3 percent for elementary school students and 62.7 percent for middle school students by SY 2018-19.
Figure 7. KPREP Performance Level Results for Migrant Students, Reading, 2012-2014

PFS 2011-2012
- Novice: 61%
- Apprentice: 26%
- Proficient: 13%

PFS 2012-2013
- Novice: 61%
- Apprentice: 28%
- Proficient: 8%
- Distinguished: 3%

PFS 2013-2014
- Novice: 44%
- Apprentice: 35%
- Proficient: 18%
- Distinguished: 3%

Not PFS 2011-2012
- Novice: 41%
- Apprentice: 28%
- Proficient: 25%
- Distinguished: 4%

Not PFS 2012-2013
- Novice: 40%
- Apprentice: 30%
- Proficient: 25%
- Distinguished: [VALUE]

Not PFS 2013-2014
- Novice: 34%
- Apprentice: 30%
- Proficient: 30%
- Distinguished: [VALUE]

Source: KDE. Note: Results are shown for grades 3-8. Note: bars are in the same order from left to right as the legend.
MEASURABLE PROGRAM OUTCOMES:

THE STATE MEP COLLECTS PERFORMANCE RESULTS DATA ON MEASURABLE PROGRAM OUTCOMES ESTABLISHED IN THE SERVICE DELIVERY PLAN, DISAGGREGATED FOR PFS AND NON-PFS MIGRANT STUDENTS.
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OME’s Continuous Improvement Cycle (CIC)

- Comprehensive Needs Assessment (Study/Pre-plan)
- Program Evaluation (Evaluate)
- Implement Service Delivery Plan (Do/Deliver)
- Service Delivery Plan (Plan)

Flow: Guide - Incorporate
Minnesota’s CIC Plan

2016-17 – CNA Update & Evaluation
2017-18 – SDP Update & Evaluation
2018-19 – Evaluation
# How Were the MPOs Developed?

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| SDP Meeting #1 9/24/13 | 1) Understand how the program planning process interacts with the state SDP  
                          2) Create strategies for meeting migrant student needs  
                          3) Prioritize strategies and identify required and optional strategies  
                          4) Review and decide on next steps toward determining the major components of the SDP | • Reviewed the findings from the CNA process  
                                                                                          • Established work groups for: Reading/Mathematics; Graduation/Out-of-School Youth; and School Readiness  
                                                                                          • Using recommended solutions from the CNA, work groups revised language to incorporate into strategies for the SDP; full group discussed work group recommendations |
| SDP Meeting #2 11/19/13 | 1) Review and arrive at consensus on strategies and measurable program outcomes (MPO)s  
                           2) Identify resources needed to address the strategies  
                           3) Discuss evaluation planning and tools to measure MPO progress  
                           4) Discuss next steps in developing SDP | • Discussed process (or program implementation) objectives and outcomes (performance)  
                                                                                          • Created MPOs for each of the strategies |
| SDP Meeting #3 1/14/14 | 1) Finalize MPOs  
                          2) Identify resources needed to address the strategies  
                          3) Discuss evaluation planning and tools to measure MPO progress  
                          4) Discuss next steps in developing the SDP and communicating SDP priorities to the MEP | • Finalized the MPO language and added needed resources to complete the SDP planning chart  
                                                                                          • Discussed professional development needs for MEP staff to implement priorities  
                                                                                          • Identified strategies to include meaningful parent input into the SDP  
                                                                                          • Developed ideas for ensuring accountability for local implementation |
How MN Measures Progress toward the MPOs

• The annual evaluation of the Minnesota MEP looks at the progress toward each MPO, with results disaggregated by PFS and non-PFS students.

• Minnesota has **10 MPOs**: 2 for Reading, 2 for Math, 4 for Support Services, and 2 for High School Graduation/Services to OSY.
How MN Measures Progress toward the MPOs, Cont.

• A Data Checklist helps MEP staff know what data needs to be collected for each MPO.

• The checklist lists all data to be collected for the MPOs.

• Information on the checklist includes MPOs addressed, persons responsible, person completing the form, when to complete, who to submit the form to, and due dates.
# 2017 Annual MEP Evaluation

## Evaluation Surveys/Forms to be Submitted by Projects

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*Link to Form 2: [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MNStaffSurvey2017](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MNStaffSurvey2017)

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MPO Data Submitted by Local Projects

- Surveys (MEP staff and student/OSY)
- Parent education evaluations
- Reading and math pre/post-test scores, and secondary student/OSY hours/credits on the Summer Program Services Report
- Fidelity of Strategy Implementation (FSI) ratings of summer reading and math curriculum and instructional strategies
- OSY Lesson Assessment pre/post-tests
Example of How MPO Data is Presented in the Evaluation

Exhibit 26
Percent of Migrant Students Improving Reading Skills by Grade Level
How are the MPOs Revised?

• The Minnesota MPOs are revised at annual Evaluation Planning Team (EPT) meetings.
• The EPT reviews the results evaluation from the previous year and amends the MPOs as needed.
• The group also reviews the implementation evaluation from the previous year and amends the strategies as needed.
Changes Made

• The EPT received a handout showing the Minnesota MEP’s progress toward the 2016 Measurable Program Outcomes (MPOs). They then reviewed each MPO and the results for the last two years to determine if any of the MPOs need to be revised.

• The group also received two other handouts to use as a reference during the review of the MPOs (progress toward the 2015 Minnesota MEP MPOs, and the Minnesota MEP Alignment Chart).

• The group’s revisions to the MPOs are reflected in all Minnesota MEP documents that contain the MPOs (e.g., application, SDP, evaluation data collection charts, alignment chart, evaluation plan).
Changes to MPOs 1.1 and 2.1?

- **MPO 1.1**: By the end of the 2017 summer migrant program, 90% of summer sites will rate their implementation of standards-based reading curriculum and instructional strategies at “Succeeding” or “Exceeding” on the FSI.

- **MPO 2.1**: By the end of the 2017 summer migrant program, 90% of summer sites will rate their implementation of standards-based math curriculum and instructional strategies at “Succeeding” or “Exceeding” on the FSI.
Lessons Learned

• MEP staff need guidance on selecting appropriate curriculum-based reading and math assessments for summer programs.

• Continually using MPO results to inform the program has helped improve services to migrant students and ensure that services meet student needs.
DISAGGREGATED PERFORMANCE RESULTS:
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Agenda / Objectives

• Georgia’s Systems of Continuous Improvement
• Disaggregated Performance – State Assessments
• Disaggregated Performance – Local Assessments
• Disaggregated Performance – Within MEP Funded Service Delivery
Georgia’s Systems of Continuous Improvement
Single Comprehensive Needs Assessment

2017-2018 District Report

Appling County

Comprehensive Needs Assessment

Elementary School End-of-Grade Milestones

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Source: GOSA Georgia Milestones End-of-Grade (EOG) Assessments report.
State Assessment: Migrant Compared to Non-Migrant

### CRCT Math

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### 3rd Grade CRCT Math: 3.65 percent Gap

- Migrant 3rd Grade: 77.07%
- Non-Migrant 3rd Grade: 80.72%

- Gap: 3.65%
State Assessment:
Migrant PFS Compared to Non-PFS

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Comparison of MEP PFS to MEP Non-PFS on Local Assessments and Classroom Performance

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MEP Funded Services

K-12 Migrant Students Served with Reading Support

Priority for Service (PFS) | NON-PFS
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567 | 1318

% of Reading Implementation Plans Meeting/Exceeding Project Goal 2015-2016

80 | 85 | 90 | 95 | 100
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86.84%
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IMPLEMENTATION RESULTS: THE STATE MEP PROVIDES SPECIFIC IMPLEMENTATION RESULTS THAT DEMONSTRATE THE LEVEL OF FIDELITY IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REGULAR YEAR AND SUMMER/INTERSESSION ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES CONTAINED WITHIN THE SDP.
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OME Guidance

States should report the *purpose* of the evaluation, *methodology* for what data were collected and how they were collected, *results of the implementation evaluation*, *results* for PFS and other migrant students, and the *implications* for making decisions about the program (*Guidance*, Chapter VIII, D2).
Implementation

• MEP results based on performance measures, state performance targets, and measurable program outcomes (MPOs) should be examined every year (Guidance, Chapter VIII, C5).

• The MEP should examine program implementation within the first or second year of the program and every two-three years thereafter. (Guidance, Chapter VIII, C5).
Evaluating Implementation

• An implementation evaluation, also known as formative evaluation, examines how well a program is carried out to meet the needs of migrant students.

• It disaggregates state assessment data and measurable program outcomes (MPOs) in order to determine the impact of the MEP on PFS students (34 C.F.R. Section 200.84; Guidance, Chapter VIII, C8).

• Implementation evaluation focuses on the extent to which programs are delivered as intended and that MEP intentions were actually carried out in practice.
Evaluating Implementation

• A useful evaluation is one that generates reliable information about the quality of program implementation and the results that have been accomplished through MEP program activities.

• Implementation question is an evaluation question that addresses the extent to which a strategy is implemented.

Example:
How does the state determine that it has effectively implemented other requirements of the program and state-level activities, especially for Priority for Services (PFS) students?
Fidelity of Implementation-Indicators

• All personnel involved implement the strategies with fidelity according to the research, carrying out responsibilities by their proposed timelines.

• All personnel use clearly defined protocols to collect and review formative implementation data to identify unintended consequences.

• Program leaders consider adjustments guided by implementation data while maintaining the integrity of results/outcomes.
Fidelity of Implementation-Indicators

Based on implementation science, program team and leaders *examine the evidence* regarding a process being in place to monitor fidelity of implementing the non-negotiable elements/outcomes of the program, including timelines and responsibilities.
Fidelity of Implementation-Questions

• What is the evidence regarding positive or negative unintended consequences that may have occurred, if any?

• What do implementation data and student achievement results suggest for implementing or modifying the program?

• Will these adjustments affect the integrity of the results?
IMPLICATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: THE STATE MEP PROVIDES IMPLICATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF SERVICES, BASED UPON IMPLEMENTATION RESULTS AND PERFORMANCE RESULTS DATA.
Implications and Recommendations

Indiana MEP Evaluation

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Agenda / Objectives

• Introduction to Indiana Migrant Education Evaluation Results
• Implications
• Recommendations
Indiana Migrant Education Evaluation Plan

• Posted on IDOE website at:
Recommendations

1. Explore alternatives to Lexile level scores for migrant students in grades K-1 and middle and high school.

- Migrant Regional Centers (MRCs) are investigating new formative assessment tool for K-1
- MRCs are implementing an individual OSY profile and service plan
- Increased focus on college and career tech education for secondary and OSY
2. Provide training to regions regarding parent involvement that incorporates educational strategies for reading and math, strategies for preparing children for kindergarten, and helping secondary students graduate.

- Guidance released by state regarding process to strengthen regional PACs
- IMEP Counselor will work with parents and secondary students toward completion of graduation plans and increase parent understanding of graduation and high school equivalency requirements
- PAC meetings and parent meetings include a section about implementing education strategies in the home
3. Provide professional development on strategies for supporting English learners.

- Implemented webinars and in-person trainings to increase utilization of EL-specific tools and strategies in myON reading software
- EL instructional PD and breakout sessions at statewide MEP Tech Summit
- Increased focus on EL instructional PD provided to all teachers in MEP program
4. **Increase the scope of services and interstate coordination for high school students and OSY following successful models.**

- MRCs asked to identify secondary and OSY programming in grant applications to IDOE
- Statewide MEP counselor hired in spring of 2017
  - Will assist in efforts to coordinate credit accrual and facilitate graduation plans for secondary and OSY students
- Expanding online program that allows students to gain certification and educational credits online in partnership with Mexican universities
  - Students are able to gain primary, secondary, university, and CTE credits and certifications
5. **To the extent possible, regions providing early childhood education should recruit and hire staff with early childhood training for summer programs.**

- Indiana is participating in the PreK CIG
- Updated PFS definition to include students who were not proficient on the school readiness assessment
- Increased training for teachers and tutors in early childhood education best practices
- MRCs asked to identify ECE programming in grant applications to IDOE
Questions for the Panel

• If you have a question, please write in the chat box the question, or raise your hand in the chat box, and we will call on you.

• Panel members will take questions for as long as time allows.
Thank You!!

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Thank You!!!

We hope you enjoyed this webinar. Please take a moment to fill out a short poll about your experience.

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