

Draft Policy

Compliance

Significant Disproportionality Policy

LEAs identified as Significant Disproportionality through the compliance process with the California Department of Education are required to set aside 15% of federal IDEA funds (resource 3310 & 3315) for Comprehensive Coordination of Early Intervening Services (CCEIS) within the LEA. This reduces the revenue for the SELPA by removing these funds from the allocation model. The Glenn SELPA is still required to meet MOE without these funds as revenue.

For the Glenn County SELPA allocation model this reduction of revenue will be deducted from the Direct Instruction Services (DIS) column of the model. The DIS calculation distributes the revenues and the costs across all districts based on the total number of students served through the GCOE programs. For the purpose of LEAs in Significant Disproportionality the reduction in revenue will be shared by all districts in the allocation model. When closing books for SELPA each year an LEA is in Significant Disproportionality any excess funds in the "Legal Services" budget (add resource), not to exceed \$10,000, will be applied to this shortfall.

LEA in Significant Disproportionality will be required to offer any professional development, resources or other information generated through the development and implementation of the CCEIS plan to all LEAs in the county free of cost.

LEAs are expected to correct the Significant Disproportionality identification in 2 fiscal years from the time of approval of the CCEIS plan by the CDE. LEAs that remain in the Significant Disproportionality process after 2 fiscal years will have the cost of the 15% of IDEA funds applied directly to the LEA and not the SELPA allocation model unless agreed upon by the SELPA Governance Board.