HOW TO SURVIVE A FEDERAL PROGRAMS MONITORING WITHOUT LOSING YOUR MIND-WELL, MAYBE...



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WHY ME?

The ESEA requires that all districts receiving federal funds be monitored regularly.

This review should cover both financial and programmatic areas.

By rule this monitoring should be every three years, and more often for those deemed "high risk."

Most MT districts will be monitored every seven years

We are not picking on you!



MONITORING PROCESS

Approximately thirty districts are selected each spring for the upcoming year.

Half will be monitored in the fall and the other half in the spring.

Districts are notified in September and January.

Documents are uploaded into the OPI web app-no more mailing portfolios!

Many parts are supplied by the OPI!!!



PROCESS CONTINUED...

The materials are reviewed by an OPI staff member, and a report is issued.

This report contains the findings, corrective actions, and timelines for response.

After all findings have been corrected, the district is notified, and the process is over.



MONITORING TOOL

Tool consists of these sections:

- Common Compliance
- Comprehensive Support and Improvement*
- Targeted Support and Improvement*
- Parental Right-To-Know
- Schoolwide Programs*
- Targeted Assistance Programs*
- Parent and Family Engagement
- Participation of Children Enrolled in Private Schools
- McKinney-Vento Homeless Act
- McKinney-Vento Homeless Act subgrantees*
- Title II-Improving Teacher Quality*
- Title III-English Learners*
- Title IV-Student Support and Academic Enrichment*

*Not all districts will complete these sections



OPI MONITORING WEB APP

Web app links:

Common Compliance: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas

Title I, Part A: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Title-I-Part-A

Title II, Part A: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Title-II-Part-A

Title III: https://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Title-III-English-Learners

Title IX, McKinney-Vento: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Title-IX-McKinney-Vento-Homeless

Title I Private School Participation: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Private-School-Participation

Title IV-A, SSAE: http://opi.mt.gov/Title-Monitoring-Common-Compliance-Areas/Title-Monitoring-Title-IV-Part-A



QUESTIONS?





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