

April 2019 SISEP eNote

Supporting Systems for Effective Practices in All Settings:

Collaborative Partnership between the SISEP Center and the National Center for Special Education in Charter Schools

Establishing purposeful, active, and effective implementation capacity of educators and their leaders is essential to improving education in **all** learning contexts. The SISEP Center recognizes this need and has begun partnering with the <u>National Center for Special Education in Charter Schools</u>



(NCSECS) to empower Charter Management Organizations (CMOs) with implementation best practices.

The National Center for Special Education in Charter Schools works with states, charter authorizers, special education and charter school advocates, and other stakeholders to improve access to needed supports, create effective approaches and environments for learning, and address barriers that impede students with disabilities receiving effective educational programs.

NCSECS' Mission

The mission of NCSECS is to ensure that students with diverse needs are able to fully access and thrive in charter schools.

NCSECS' Guiding Priorities



Communicate vital facts to policy makers, advocates and authorizers about the status and progress of students with disabilities in charter schools

Inform policy so states can address barriers and create opportunities for charter schools to provide effective



instructional and individualized support to students with disabilities



Develop coalitions and essential partnerships to both protect student rights and honor choice, autonomy and accountability



Create opportunities for provision of exemplary services for diverse learners in the charter sector

Together the SISEP/NCSECS partnership will focus on developing capacity in a mutually selected Charter Management Organization to develop and refine roles, structures, and processes that lead to full and sustained use of evidence-based practice for students with disabilities.

Keep your eye out for more information as the exploration work with CMOs continues. We are excited to participate in this work so that effective systems and practices can support learning for all students regardless of their educational setting.





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