

Region 16 SSA Action Plan - Identification and Recruitment of Migrant Students

OBJECTIVE I Region 16 MEP SSA districts will participate in training for recruiters and eligibility reviewers.											
Action	Staff Responsible	Timeline	Resources	Documentation	Formative Evaluation Review			Summative Review			
					Nov	Mar	June	Yes	Aug		
A. District identified Recruiters and Eligibility Reviewers will complete on-line Identification and Recruitment (ID&R) training offered through Project Share.	All recruiters and eligibility reviewers for the Migrant Education Program (MEP).	As available or by deadline set by TEA.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children	Sign-in Sheet, Certificate of Attendance, State ID&R Test	Considerable Prog.	___	___	___	Accomplished	___	
					Some Progress	___	___	___			Yes
					No Progress	___	___	___			No
					Discontinue	___	___	___			___
OBJECTIVE II Region 16 MEP SSA districts will actively identify and recruit all eligible migrant children residing in their districts' boundaries.											
Action	Staff Responsible	Timeline	Resources	Documentation	Formative Evaluation Review			Summative Review			
					Nov	Mar	June	Yes	Aug		
A. Meet with all district ID&R staff (eligibility reviewers, recruiters and clerks) to brainstorm and plan recruitment strategies to include in ID&R Plan.	All district recruiters and eligibility reviewers for the MEP.	By August 31	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	agenda, staff assignments, calendar	Considerable Prog.	___	___	___	Accomplished	___	
					Some Progress	___	___	___			Yes
					No Progress	___	___	___			No
					Discontinue	___	___	___			___
B. Finalize all forms, documents and logs. Disseminate and train on all forms, logs, etc. that will be used by MEP ID&R staff.	MEP administrators, recruiters and eligibility reviewers for the MEP.	By August 31	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	agenda, handouts	Considerable Prog.	___	___	___	Accomplished	___	
					Some Progress	___	___	___			Yes
					No Progress	___	___	___			No
					Discontinue	___	___	___			___
C. Make recruiter assignments, making sure to account for year-round, ongoing recruitment efforts regarding recruiting in school/campus, community, growers, out-of-school youth including pre-school-aged children and other state and federal agencies that serve migrant families.	All district recruiters and eligibility reviewers for the MEP.	By August 31	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar, TEA Agricultural Map	staff assignments, contact log, list of local farmers/agribusiness contacts, utility contacts, social services contacts	Considerable Prog.	___	___	___	Accomplished	___	
					Some Progress	___	___	___			Yes
					No Progress	___	___	___			No
					Discontinue	___	___	___			___
D. Conduct ID&R for Potentially Eligible Migrant Children: Contact potentially eligible migrant families using door-to-door recruitment efforts, by conducting family surveys during school registration, etc. Targeting both enrollees and non-enrollees (ages 0-21). Complete COEs as needed. Share copies of COEs with appropriate entities as listed on COE.	MEP recruiters	Throughout the year. Make initial outreach efforts by Sept. 30	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	Contact Logs, COEs, Supplemental Documentation Form, completed family surveys	Considerable Prog.	___	___	___	Accomplished	___	
					Some Progress	___	___	___			Yes
					No Progress	___	___	___			No
					Discontinue	___	___	___			___

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E. Conduct Annual Initial Contact for Currently Eligible Migrant Children: Contact families of currently eligible migrant students to determine if new qualifying moves have occurred. Complete new COEs as needed. Share copies of COEs with appropriate entities as listed on COE.	MEP recruiters	By August 31	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	Contact Logs, Family COE Report, COEs, Supplemental Documentation Form	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
F. Recruiter completes COE and accompanying COE Supplemental Documentation Form for all families with new QADs. Submit completed COE and Coe Supplemental Documentation Form to eligibility reviewer for review.	MEP recruiters	Within 3 days of parent signature.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	COE, Supplemental Documentation Form	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
G. Eligibility reviewer reviews COE and accompanying COE Supplemental Documentation Form for all families with new QADs. Return COE and COE Supplemental Documentation Form to recruiter if additional information is needed. Submit to NGS Terminal Site after eligibility review is completed.	MEP eligibility reviewers	Within 5 days of parent signature.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	Copies of COEs, Supplemental Documentation Form, Eligibility Reviewer signature	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
H. Conduct residency verification. Verify continued residency for all currently eligible migrant children who have not made a new qualifying move (QAD) during the current reporting period.	MEP recruiters	Sept 1-Nov 1 ~~~~~ ~~~~~ Also for 2-yr-olds turning 3, after 3rd birthday.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	Residency Verification entry made on all COEs, contact log, Residency Verification entry on NGS	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
I. Coordinate with Region 16 Out of School Youth Recruiter to identify OSY within the LEA's boundaries.	MEP recruiters	Throughout the year.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, Migrant Calendar	COE, Supplemental Documentation Form	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____

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OBJECTIVE III Region 16 MEP SSA member districts will access and utilize the State MEP Agricultural Map.										
Action	Staff Responsible	Timeline	Resources	Documentation	Formative Evaluation Review			Summative Review		
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A. Make contact with potential growers. Make recruiter assignments for contacting growers within district's boundaries regarding hiring practices, crops and growing seasons.	All recruiters and eligibility reviewers for the MEP.	Contact all growers within the district boundaries by Nov. 1.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, TEA website	list of local farmers/agribusiness contacts, contact logs, grower/employer survey/letter	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
B. Develop calendar and maps. Develop profiles/calendar reflecting major crops, seasons, hiring practices by growers, etc. Develop maps for recruiters highlighting all areas/neighborhoods where migrant families reside.	MEP administrators and recruiters.	By Dec. 1 and update on on-going basis throughout the year.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, TEA website	list of local farmers/agribusiness contacts, contact logs, grower/employer survey/letter responses, recruiter assignments	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
OBJECTIVE IV Region 16 MEP SSA member districts will lead interagency coordination.										
Action	Staff Responsible	Timeline	Resources	Formative Evaluation	Formative Evaluation Review			Summative Review		
					Nov	Mar	June		Aug	
A. Network with agencies that serve migrant families. Coordinate/network with local/regional organizations that provide services to migrant workers and their families by meeting with staff and sharing information with entities listed on the back of the COE.	MEP administrators and recruiters.	Make initial outreach efforts by Sept. 30 and continue on-going efforts throughout the year.	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, back of COEs	list of local contacts for support, medical, transportation, and legal services	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____
OBJECTIVE V Region 16 MEP SSA member districts will assure quality control.										
Action	Staff Responsible	Timeline	Resources	Documentation	Formative Evaluation Review			Summative Review		
					Nov	Mar	June		Aug	
A. Develop written procedures that outline ID&R quality control within the LEA.	MEP administrators, recruiters, eligibility reviewers and other MEP staff.	By Aug. 31	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children	copy of written procedures	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____	Accomplished Yes No	____ ____ ____

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B. Forward COEs with more than one required comment to ESC for review. Follow protocol for COEs that warrant further review by the ESC and/or State MEP as outlined in the ID&R Manual.	Eligibility reviewers, MEP administrators, and ESC MEP contact when appropriate	Ongoing throughout the year	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children	COEs, Supplemental Documentation forms, contact logs	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	Accomplished Yes No	___ ___ ___
C. Monitor and address ongoing training needs for ID&R. Work with regional ESC to provide training support to MEP recruiters, eligibility reviewers and other MEP staff as specific needs are observed throughout the year.	All MEP staff	As needed throughout the year	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, ESC staff	email/phone contact log of communication between ESC and district contacts	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	Accomplished Yes No	___ ___ ___
D. Maintain up-to-date records on file. Maintain updated active and inactive records. File COEs in alphabetical order by current mother's last name and retain records for seven (7) years from the date eligibility ends.	All MEP staff	Ongoing throughout the year	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, COEs	COEs, Supplemental Documentation forms	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	Accomplished Yes No	___ ___ ___
E. Coordinate with ESC for annual eligibility validation. Validate eligibility through re-interview process according to instruction set forth by TEA.	ESC, MEP staff	January-June	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children, COEs	COEs, Supplemental Documentation forms, Eligibility Validation forms, contact log of re-interviews	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	Accomplished Yes No	___ ___ ___
OBJECTIVE VI Region 16 MEP SSA member districts will evaluate their MEP.										
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A. Evaluate ID&R efforts for subsequent planning. Gather and analyze data and input from various MEP stakeholders to incorporate appropriate changes into subsequent ID&R plan for continuous improvement.	All MEP staff Others: Local Migrant Parent Advisory Council (PAC)	By June 30	Texas Manual for ID&R of Migrant Children	Evaluation results from MEP staff, PAC Minutes, reduction in misidentified children, findings and action steps	Considerable Prog. Some Progress No Progress Discontinue	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	___ ___ ___ ___	Accomplished Yes No	___ ___ ___