OVER IDENTIFICATION AND DISPROPORTIONALITY POLICY

It shall be the policy of the Napa County SELPA and its member local educational agencies to prevent inappropriate disproportionate representation by race and ethnicity of students with disabilities.

The Napa County SELPA member local education agencies shall, with SELPA assistance, monitor student trends with the intent of averting inappropriate, disproportionate representation by race and ethnicity of students with disabilities with respect to identification, educational placement and disciplinary actions.

The SELPA shall provide the following assistance:

- Student trend data pertinent to the disproportionate calculation as reported through CASEMIS/CALPADS to the California Department of Education.
- Provide up-to-date training and information provided to the SELPA by the California Department of Education.
- Continue to inform member districts concerning responsibilities related to the potential transfer of local assistance funds to reduce disproportionality under the Early Intervening requirement of IDEA.

Legal References:
EDUCATION CODE
56205 (a)
FEDERAL REFERENCES
20 USC section 1412(a) (1) (24)
34 CFR 300.646
34 CFR 300.173

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