

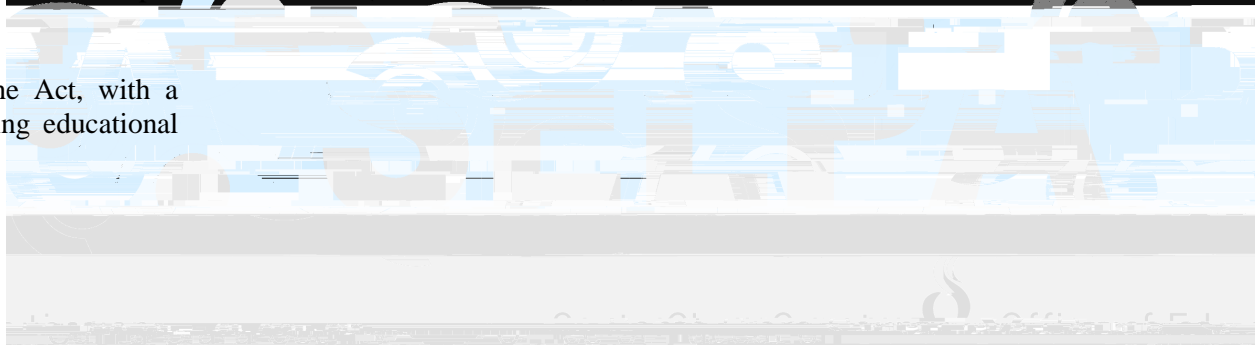
**SANTA CLARA COUNTY
NORTH WEST SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA**

PROGRAM COMPLIANCE MONITORING AND SUPPORT

The Santa Clara North West Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) assures access to special education and services for all students with disabilities residing in the geographic areas served by member districts. The Governance Council Superintendents, member Local Education Agency (LEA) administrators, and the SELPA Executive Director are responsible for monitoring the completed plan to verify that each participating LEA carries out the duties and responsibilities assigned to it within the plan. A combination of factors must be reviewed to determine the quality of a program or service or the degree to which an agency is compliant with the intentions of the law. As the State monitors LEAs and takes action to encourage and enforce compliance, it is incumbent upon the SELPA to precede State sanction with prevention and intervention activities. Through monitoring of the practices of LEAs, the SELPA can support LEA efforts with targeted prevention activities and appropriate intervention when necessary.

States are required to establish measurable and rigorous targets for the indicators established by the Secretary under the priority areas contained in the statute and regulations.

These are specified in the Act (20 U.S.C. 1416 (a)(2)) and must be on:



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