

**Guam Department of Education
Compliance Monitoring Office**

Special Education Compliance Summary Data
for the April 15, 2025 Guam Education Board Meeting

The Compliance Monitoring Office reviews the **Part B** data available through the special education student data management system as a means to monitor the schools for the following IDEA compliance requirements: **Initial Evaluations*, Eligibility Determination, timely IEPs, timely Reevaluations, LRE- the provision of related services, and Secondary Transition (*high schools only*).

Monitoring is conducted on an **annual basis**. Schools & the Division of Special Education have one year (from the date findings were issued) to correct and close any findings of noncompliance timely. Updated verifications are conducted **quarterly** to track the progress or lack thereof, leading up to the one year timeline; and beyond, if needed (*see quarterly verification schedule below*):

Time period: Verification	
January - March: April	April - June: July
July - September: October	October - December: January

Before an identified area of noncompliance can be verified as corrected, child specific noncompliance must be corrected, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of the school or noncompliance was subsequently corrected.

Additionally, the school &/or Division must demonstrate correct implementation of the identified area of noncompliance by correctly implementing the applicable compliance requirement through subsequent data on the specified timeline for correction. Data reports for the subsequent data (*new files*) must reflect 100% compliance in the identified area of noncompliance.

[OSEP QA23-01]

I. Division Level Noncompliance

a) Longstanding:

- Child Find: timely initial assessments within 60 calendar days **next verification: 06/02/2025*

II. Offsite Noncompliance:

- Noncompliance for the current 2024 time period
(one year timeline to correct: June 29, 2025)

**next verification: 06/02/2025*

1. Elementary Schools: 4/26 (15%) schools are pending correction of noncompliance findings relative to the following area(s):

CL Taitano	Eligibility Determination		DL Perez	Eligibility Determination
LBJ	Eligibility Determination		Price	<i>Pending *initial evaluations</i>

2. Middle Schools: 1/8 (13%) schools are pending correction of noncompliance findings relative to the following area(s):

AIJMS	Timely IEPs		FBLG	Timely IEPs Timely Reevaluations
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III. Dispute Data [time period: 7/1/2024 - present (04/07/2025)]

- Mediation = None
- Formal State Complaints = 4
 - C 2025-001= 1 finding of noncompliance= Corrective Action Plan: completed & closed 02/25/2025.
 - C 2025-002= *pending completion of investigation*; 60 day timeline: 05/30/25.
 - C 2025-003= *pending completion of investigation*; 60 day timeline: 06/02/25.
 - C 2025-004= *pending completion of investigation*; 60 day timeline: 06/03/25.
- Request for Due Process = 8
 - DP 2025-01: **resolved** via Resolution Agreement
 - DP 2025-02: **resolved** via Resolution Agreement
 - DP 2025-03: **resolved** via Resolution Agreement
 - DP2025-04: **withdrawn** (12/10/2024)
 - DP2025-05: **resolved** via Resolution Agreement
 - DP2025-06: **resolved** via Resolution Agreement
 - DP2025-07: received 03/17/25 and is *currently in resolution period*.
 - DP2025-08: received 03/24/25 and is *currently in resolution period*.

The Compliance Office continues to monitor the implementation of active Mediation and Resolution Agreements.

The Compliance Monitoring Office (CMO) conducts off-site reviews of **PART C** by utilizing compiled data available through the Special Education Student Data Management System of the Guam Early Intervention Program for compliance with the following requirements:

Status updates as of 04/08/2025:

Data reports have been requested from Special Education Data Office relative to Part C Indicators #1, 7, 8, and additional related requirements that have been identified as the priority areas for the time period *September 1, 2024 - March 31, 2025*.

Once data reports are received and analyzed, new findings of noncompliance will be issued for Part C programs. The data from the Part C monitoring will be provided to the board upon its completion.

1) Indicator #1: Timely Services – Infants and toddlers with Individualized Family Service Plans (IFSPs) receive intervention services on their IFSPs in a timely manner.

Time Period: September 1, 2024 – March 31, 2025

2) Indicator #7: 45-Day Timeline – Initial evaluation, assessment and an initial IFSP meeting was conducted within the 45-Day Timeline.

Time Period: September 1, 2024 – March 31, 2025

3) Indicator #8: Transition to Preschool – All children exiting Part C received timely transition planning to support the child's transition to preschool and other appropriate community services by their third birthday.

Time Period: September 1, 2024 – March 31, 2025

4) Early Intervention Services – The lead agency must ensure the development, review, and implementation of an individualized family service plan or IFSP developed by a multidisciplinary team, which includes the parent.

Time Period: September 1, 2024 – March 31, 2025

***The Compliance Monitoring Office is available to provide an in-depth comprehensive overview training relative to Special Education's Part B & Part C Monitoring.**