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# SUMMER TRANSITION INSTITUTE

*"The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly:  
Student-focused Transition"*



JUNE 6-9, 2010

Sagebrush Inn, Taos,  
N.M.



**Who should attend?** For best results, come as a team – including transition specialists, special education directors and teachers, school administrators, parents, youth, adult agency partners, and other transition team members

**Purpose:** to assist local transition teams to improve their youths'/young adults' outcomes in line with these State Performance Plan Indicators:

Ind. 1 - Graduation rates (on the right graduation options)

Ind. 2 - Dropout rates

Ind. 13 – Quality, comprehensive transition planning in the IEP

Ind. 14 – Post-school outcomes (working, learning, living)

## TENTATIVE "ROUNDUP" SCHEDULE:

Sunday June 6 - 4:30-6:30pm:  
3:30-6:30:

Early registration; Transition 101 for newcomers  
*PRECONF. WORKSHOP* - "Student Involvement in Transition  
Programming: Reaching the Summit Out West" – Dr. Jim Martin

to be scheduled:

**Session on Data Review for Program Improvement**

Monday June 7 - 8:15-6:30

Keynote, sessions, team planning, reception

Tuesday, June 8 - 8:30-4:30

Content sessions and team planning time

4:45-5:45

Family Forum

Wednesday, June 9 – 8:00-12:00

Team sessions, report-outs, wrap-up

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- STATEWIDE TRANSITION COORD.COUNCIL (STCC)

## EXPECTED OUTCOMES – Participants will develop:

- Capacity to write/implement quality IEPs compliant with Indicator 13
- Ability to use SPP Indicator 13 data to improve student outcomes
- Increased capacity to implement transition assessments, use their results and evidence-based strategies, and create programs that engage students to succeed in school and improve their post-school outcomes
- Access to agency and family involvement strategies and resources
- Enhanced access to and use of transition-related resources
- Completed 2010-11 Action Plan for improving transition services/outcomes

## HOW TO REGISTER - 2 STEPS – DEADLINE May 17:

1. Complete the attached registration form (also online at [nmtransition.org](http://nmtransition.org)).
2. Send with \$30 payment to Summer Institute/REC 6, 1500 S. Avenue K, ENMU Station 9, Portales, NM 88130, or email to [cwilcox@rec6.net](mailto:cwilcox@rec6.net) or fax to 575/562-4460.
3. Without prior registration and payment, a trained facilitator for your team and institute materials (print and CD) cannot be guaranteed.

## HOW TO RESERVE A ROOM:

THE SAGEBRUSH INN has rooms from \$69 to \$119 plus tax [1-800-428-3626 or EMAIL [sagebrush@newmex.com](mailto:sagebrush@newmex.com).]

COMFORT SUITES' rooms are \$79-99 plus tax [1-888-751-1555]. QUALITY INN's rooms are \$79-99 plus tax [575-758-2200 or 800-228-5151]. Rates include lodging and a full cook-to-order hot breakfast each morning. Please notify group of \$2.00 per person, per day for breakfast wait staff gratuity.

## HOW TO PREPARE:

School folks bring data for Indicators 1, 2, 13, and 14, plus academic achievement & discipline data for 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders with IEPs. Agency reps, families, and other partners bring ideas, strategies, agency brochures, applications, resources, and other key information. Folks new to transition can either review “Overview of Transition” short course in advance (at <http://nmtransition.org>) or attend “Transition 101” session on Sunday afternoon.

*Please wear your Western attire!*

QUESTIONS REGARDING REGISTRATION or CONTENT?

Contact Ginger Blalock at [blalock@unm.edu](mailto:blalock@unm.edu) or 505/400-3992

QUESTIONS REGARDING TAOS?

Contact Cheryl Hamilton at [LegalJHam@msn.com](mailto:LegalJHam@msn.com) or 575/737-9732

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### REGISTRATION FORM (Please Print)

DISTRICT/COMMUNITY/AGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ROLE(S):  Educator  Parent  Self-advocate  Agency partner  Exhibitor

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE(S): \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL(S): \_\_\_\_\_

Any special accommodations needed? PLEASE LIST: \_\_\_\_\_

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I am interested in attending preconference workshop on student involvement in transition programming:  Yes  No

PO #: \_\_\_\_\_

Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

***\$30 FEE REQUIRED; COSTS PRIMARILY SUPPORTED BY NMPED  
Special Education Bureau***

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