

Wednesday, August 23, 2023 | 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.

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Welcome & Introductions

- Mohammed Choudhury, State Superintendent of Schools
- Liz Zogby, Special Education Policy & Advocacy

Public Comment

- Registered guests

Overview of Workgroup Responsibilities

- Establish Workgroup
- Make recommendations on improving the education of students receiving special education
- Submit initial, interim, and final reports

Guiding Question #1

- *What is the state of students with disabilities in Maryland?*

State of Special Education Data Dive

- Disaggregated enrollment data by system and school – race, EL, FARMS, by disability category
- Disaggregated results data by disability status

Summary of Previous Recommendations

- Instruction
- Teacher Quality
- Accountability: Monitoring and Data Collection
- Disproportionality
- Funding
- Family Engagement

Guiding Question #2

- How do we overcome persistent barriers to effective implementation?

Expert Presentation

- Case Study: Reducing Overidentification and Increasing Achievement

Future Meetings and Next Steps

- Timelines/Due Dates
- Meeting Schedule