

Topical Heading

Special Education

Program Title

Special Education—Studies and Evaluations

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.329

Administering Office

Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

Who May Apply (by category)

Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs), Local Education Agencies (LEAs), Nonprofit Organizations, Other Organizations and/or Agencies, State Education Agencies (SEAs)

Who May Apply (specifically)

Public agencies, outlying areas (American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands), freely associated states, Indian tribes, tribal organizations, and for-profit organizations, if appropriate, may apply.

Current Competitions

To be determined.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants, Contracts, Cooperative Agreements

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2005	\$0
Fiscal Year 2006	\$9,900,000
Fiscal Year 2007	\$9,900,000

Note: Prior to FY 2005, this program was funded from funds set aside under the Special Education—Grants to States program (# 84.027). Funds carried over from FY 2004 supported continuations in FY 2005 and a congressionally mandated study of students assessed against alternative achievement standards. In FY 2006, this program moved organizationally from the Office of Special Education and Rehabilitation Services (OSERS) to IES, as directed by statute.

Fiscal Year 2007 Awards Information*Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.*

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 3

Range of New Awards: \$1,000,000–\$4,000,000

Number of Continuation Awards: 4

Range of Continuation Awards: \$100,000–\$1,600,000

Legislative Citation*Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Sec. 664; 20 U.S.C. 1464 (Formerly authorized under IDEA, Sec. 674; 20 U.S.C. 1474.)***Program Regulations***EDGAR; FAR***Program Description**

The program is designed to assess progress in implementing *IDEA*, including the effectiveness of state and local efforts to provide: (1) free appropriate public education (FAPE) to children with disabilities and (2) early intervention services to infants and toddlers with disabilities.

Types of Projects

This program supports studies, evaluations, and assessments.

Education Level (by category)

Early Childhood, Elementary, K-12, Middle School, Postsecondary, Pre-K, Preschool, Secondary

Subject Index

Disabilities, Early Intervention, Intervention, Special Education

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