

Topical Heading

Special Education

Program Title

Special Education—State Personnel Development Grant Program

Also Known as

Formerly known as Special Education—National Activities—State Improvement; State Improvement Grant Program

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.323A

Administering Office

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

Who May Apply (by category)

State Education Agencies (SEAs)

Who May Apply (specifically)

SEAs of the 50 states, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, or an outlying area (American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands) may apply.

Current Competitions

FY 2007 application deadline: March 27, 2007.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2005 \$50,652,512

Fiscal Year 2006 \$50,146,470

Note: FY 2006 funds will be used to fund 2007 awards.

Fiscal Year 2007 Awards Information

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 28

Average New Award: \$1,000,000

Range of New Awards: \$500,000–\$4,000,000, statutory minimum and maximum (in the case of the 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico and \$80,000 in the case of an outlying area.

Number of Continuation Awards: 23

Average Continuation Award: \$930,870

Range of Continuation Awards: \$500,000–\$1,850,000

Note: The range of continuation awards does not include the outlying areas.

Legislative Citation

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Secs. 651–655

Program Regulations

EDGAR

Program Description

This program assists SEAs in reforming and improving their systems for personnel preparation and professional development in early intervention, education, and transition services in order to improve results for children with disabilities.

Types of Projects

Awards provide funds to SEAs to carry out the purposes of the program.

Education Level (by category)

Early Childhood, K-12

Subject Index

Disabilities, Early Childhood Education, Educational Improvement, Professional Development, Special Education

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