

**Topical Heading**

Special Education

**Program Title**

# Special Education—National Activities—Technical Assistance and Dissemination

**Also Known as**

Special Education—Technical Assistance and Dissemination to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities

**CFDA # (or ED #)**

84.326

**Administering Office**

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

**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)**

SEAs, LEAs, public charter schools that are LEAs under state law, IHEs, other public agencies, private nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations, outlying areas (American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands), freely associated states, and Indian tribes or tribal organizations may apply.

**Current Competitions**

FY 2007 application deadline for Center for Early Childhood: Social Emotional Development (# 84.326B): May 7, 2007; for Technical Assistance Center on Response to Intervention (# 84.326E): May 4, 2007; and for Model Demonstration Centers on Early Childhood Language Intervention (# 84.326M): May 4, 2007.

FY 2007 application deadlines are at various times throughout the year. For information on competitions under # 84.326, please check the U.S. Department of Education's forecast of funding opportunities Web site at: <http://www.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>, which is updated several times during the year.**Type of Assistance (by category)**

Discretionary/Competitive Grants, Contracts, Cooperative Agreements

**Appropriations**

Fiscal Year 2005	\$52,396,448
Fiscal Year 2006	\$48,903,030
Fiscal Year 2007	\$48,903,000

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

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 6

Average New Award: \$955,000

Range of New Awards: \$600,000–\$2,800,000

Number of Continuation Awards: 77

Average Continuation Award: \$500,000

Range of Continuation Awards: \$150,000–\$3,000,000

**Legislative Citation**

*Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Sec. 663; 20 U.S.C. 1463*

**Program Regulations**

*EDGAR*

**Program Description**

The purpose of this program is to promote academic achievement and improve results for children with disabilities by providing technical assistance, model demonstration projects, dissemination of useful information, and implementation activities that are supported by scientifically based research.

**Types of Projects**

The program supports technical assistance, dissemination, and model demonstration activities.

**Education Level (by category)**

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

**Subject Index**

Disabilities, Early Intervention, Intervention, Special Education, Technical Assistance

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