

March 20, 2014

Dr. David Cox Superintendent Allegany County Public Schools P. O. Box 1724 Cumberland, MD 21502

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Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/

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# Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators Allegany County Infants and Toddlers Program for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

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	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
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			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	P Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	99.1%	100%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	%0'66	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%6'86	98.0%
3.0	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	54.17%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	20.0%	18.8%
Y,	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	72.88%	No		76.5%	75.0%
30	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	57.14%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	70.0%	41.9%
ac .	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	70.00%	No		70.6%	62.5%
30	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	68.29%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	81.8%	46.2%
3	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	71.67%	No		76.5%	73.2%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	IS helped them know	81.0%	95.5%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	88.0%	95.5%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	%0.67	%0.76	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	87.8%	95.4%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	IS helped them help and learn	89.0%	95.2%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	88.9%	95.3%
5	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	4.59%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	2.89%	2.16%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	4.67%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	4.38%	4.82%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the tial IFSP was within of referral	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

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	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes	3	100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	٧٥٥		%8 96	91 7%
20	and not more than nine months, prior to	100/0	W 00T	S		200	
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	83.3%	100%





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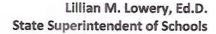
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2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	rith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	95.1%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.0%	94.5%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	90.67%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	94.9%	93.6%
3A	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	62.99%	No		%8.59	60.1%
ď	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	94.53%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	%9.96	95.0%
38	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	63.59%	No		67.3%	60.8%
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	94.08%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	94.9%	93.3%
٦ <u>.</u>	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	61.58%	ON		%0.99	57.3%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	92.9%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.0%	92.8%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them Id's needs	%0.67	93.3%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	88.4%	94.6%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	92.3%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.4%	93.6%
ī	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	1.37%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	1.22%	1.20%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	4.17%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	4.06%	4.21%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the Sial IFSP was within of referral	100%	%9.66	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	%0.96	99.3%

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		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
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V 0	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vec		100%	100%
Yo	days, and not more than nine months,	2001	2001	3			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		2000
8B	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Correction of noncompliance must		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	700	N C	occur.	99.2%	99.1%
٥	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	20.00	2			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	7000	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	91.7%	100%
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Dr. Oxiris Barbot Health Commissioner Baltimore City 1001 E. Fayette Street Baltimore, MD 21202

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As a result of the accountability shift to an increased emphasis on results, a local Infants and Toddlers Program's determination status may be impacted in the future. Decisions regarding State targets and local determination criteria will be made in the coming months through broad stakeholder input, including local Directors of Special Education, local Infants and Toddlers Program Directors, local Preschool Coordinators, and the State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC).

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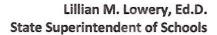
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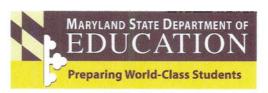
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100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	Target	State	Part C A
91.5%	3.09%	1.78%	98.0%	96.9%	97.0%	38.16%	51.60%	37.62%	44.98%	59.47%	57.71%	96.2%	92.8%	Results	FFY 2012 Local	\nnual SPP
No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Met	Target	Performa
Correction of noncompliance must occur.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Correction of noncompliance must occur.		Action Required	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
99.2%	3.48%	1.84%	93.1%	93.7%	92.0%	52.8%	57.3%	48.4%	58.0%	50.8%	55.8%	95.0%	96.9%	2010	Previou FFY	
96.4%	3.24%	1.53%	96.9%	95.1%	96.3%	50.9%	57.1%	40.7%	50.0%	55.3%	58.0%	97.5%	94.9%	2011	Previous Results FFY FFY	

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00	and not more than nine months, prior to	TOO.70	99.5%	NO		TOO.%
	the toddler's third birthday					
9	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data				Submit all data, including programmatic	
14		100%	91.7%	No	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	75.0%
					accurate manner.	





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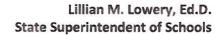
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2	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.4%	57.32%	No		%4.69	65.4%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	%0.96	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.5%	94.3%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them Id's needs	79.0%	95.1%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.3%	93.4%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	%8:96	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	95.1%	93.5%
5	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	1.43%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	1.51%	1.71%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	3.49%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	3.80%	3.79%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	s for whom the ial IFSP was within	100%	%2'96	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	93.2%	96.1%

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		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
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2	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2/11/2	2			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
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March 20, 2014

Ms. Nancy Highsmith Interim Superintendent Calvert County Public Schools 1305 Dares Beach Road Prince Frederick, MD 20678

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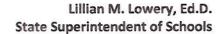
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100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	State Target		Part C /
100%	3.92%	1.82%	88.5%	90.1%	87.8%	65.71%	68.33%	70.00%	72.92%	71.43%	58.54%	98.2%	99.5%	Local Results	FFY 2012	Annual SPP
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100%	2.26%	0.88%	91.1%	93.3%	91.1%	66.7%	76.9%	59.1%	70.6%	66.7%	68.9%	96.9%	99.4%	2011	Previous Results	

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March 20, 2014

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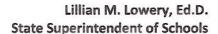
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	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012		Position Descriptor	Previou	Previous Results
Rest	Results Indicator Comp	Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	P Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	%0.09
Yr.	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	90.48%	Yes		100%	83.3%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	%8.3%	94.74%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	80.08
38	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	85.71%	Yes		100%	83.3%
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	89.47%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	81.8%
عر ا	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	71.43%	No		100%	83.3%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	IS helped them know	81.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	90.5%	100%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	%0.67	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	89.5%	%0.06
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5	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	served as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	1.18%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	2.76%	2.53%
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	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
8B	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vac	a	100%	100%
2	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2007	5		200	
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data				Submit all data, including programmatic		
14		100%	91.7%	No	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	91.7%	91.7%
					accurate manner.		





March 20, 2014

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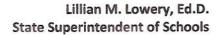
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			Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	rt C Annual SPP Performance Report			
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results	
Rest	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	oliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY	
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× c	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	64.44%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	78.9%	67.9%	
Y C	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	%98.29	No		79.5%	67.0%	
90	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	70.21%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	73.9%	71.4%	
gc	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	68.35%	No		75.6%	67.0%	
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	70.75%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	%0:59	74.5%	
٠,	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	63.31%	No		70.0%	73.2%	
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	95.6%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.4%	%8.96	
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them ild's needs	79.0%	94.3%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.9%	94.8%	
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	93.8%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.5%	94.6%	
r.	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	2.20%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	1.90%	1.91%	
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	3.41%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	2.72%	3.05%	
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	s for whom the tial IFSP was within	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	99.4%	

		Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		STATE OF THE PERSON NAMED IN
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Rest	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	45 days from the date of referral						
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
Vo	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	700%	70001	207		70001	100%
70	days, and not more than nine months,	2007	100%	ទ		2001	×001
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes	S	100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	1000/	1000/	202		1000/	1000/
2	and not more than nine months, prior to	00T	%00T	20		2001	000T
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data				Submit all data, including programmatic		
14		100%	91.7%	No	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	100%	100%
					accurate manner.		





March 20, 2014

Dr. D'Ette W. Devine Superintendent Cecil County Public Schools 201 Booth Street Elkton, MD 21921

Dear Dr. Devine:

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Division of Special Education/Early Intervention Services (DSE/EIS) is required to make determinations annually on the performance of each local Infants and Toddlers Program using one of the following four determination categories: "Meets Requirements," "Needs Assistance," "Needs Intervention," or "Needs Substantial Intervention" [34 CFR §§303.700 and 300.703]. The MSDE, DSE/EIS uses a results-based rubric for specific indicators to evaluate each local Infants and Toddler's Program performance in meeting the State's targets for Federal fiscal Year (FFY) 2012 (2012-2013 fiscal year). Attached please find the FFY 2012 Determination Overview that identifies the Part C Indicators used to assign a local determination and the FFY 2012 Local Determination Scoring Criteria. The attached FFY 2012 Annual Data Table on SPP/APR Part C Indicators provides a three-year data analysis and required actions for the Cecil County Infants and Toddlers Program. Based on the FFY 2012 data, as well as information obtained through monitoring and complaint investigations, the Cecil County Infants and Toddlers Program has achieved the determination status of "Meets Requirements."

The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

- Improving child outcomes;
- · Providing access to and participation in community settings with nondisabled peers; and
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Thank you for your hard work and commitment to excellence, equity, and efficiency. The MSDE is committed to supporting the efforts of the Cecil County Infants and Toddlers Program to improve results for infants, toddlers, and preschool age children with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or wish to request technical assistance, please do not hesitate to call me at 410-767-0238.

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/

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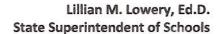
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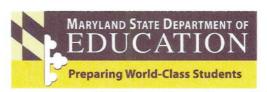
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#### Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Cecil County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 FFY 2012

			Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Resu	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	liance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	99.3%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	87.50%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	87.5%	75.9%
Y'S	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	86.36%	Yes		69.4%	70.5%
C	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	88.89%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	93.1%	75.4%
90	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	84.85%	Yes		69.4%	70.5%
Ú.	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	87.04%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	75.9%	84.8%
2	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	71.21%	No		63.9%	69.2%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	91.6%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	%6.96
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them Id's needs	%0.67	91.3%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	96.7%	93.2%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	92.2%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%8.96	98.4%
S	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	0.95%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	%68.0	0.93%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	3.51%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	3.42%	2.92%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the tial IFSP was within of referral	100%	%2'.26	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	100%	99.2%

		Part C /	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previous	Previous Results
Resi	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local Results	Target Met	Action Required	FFY 2010	FFY 2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for	9			Compliant. No required action.		
40	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Voc		100%	100%
W O	days, and not more than nine months,	8,00T	200T	S			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vac		98.2%	100%
٥	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2001	3			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%





March 20, 2014

Dr. Kimberly Hill Superintendent Charles County Public Schools P. O. Box 2770 (Fed Ex. Etc. to 5980 Radio Station Road) LaPlata, MD 20646

Dear Dr. Hill:

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Division of Special Education/Early Intervention Services (DSE/EIS) is required to make determinations annually on the performance of each local Infants and Toddlers Program using one of the following four determination categories: "Meets Requirements," "Needs Assistance," "Needs Intervention," or "Needs Substantial Intervention" [34 CFR §§303.700 and 300.703]. The MSDE, DSE/EIS uses a results-based rubric for specific indicators to evaluate each local Infants and Toddler's Program performance in meeting the State's targets for Federal fiscal Year (FFY) 2012 (2012-2013 fiscal year). Attached please find the FFY 2012 Determination Overview that identifies the Part C Indicators used to assign a local determination and the FFY 2012 Local Determination Scoring Criteria. The attached FFY 2012 Annual Data Table on SPP/APR Part C Indicators provides a three-year data analysis and required actions for the Charles County Infants and Toddlers Program. Based on the FFY 2012 data, as well as information obtained through monitoring and complaint investigations, the Charles County Infants and Toddlers Program has achieved the determination status of "Meets Requirements."

The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Local Infants and Toddlers Programs are strongly encouraged to work closely with their Local Interagency Coordinating Council (LICC) to perform an analysis of local data and infrastructure. The analysis should guide the development of strategies for data-informed decision-making, increased parent partnerships, strategic collaboration, and the use of evidence-based practices to improve the results for infants, toddlers, and young children with disabilities and their families. As we implement this shift in focus to results-driven accountability, the MSDE, DSE/EIS will provide State and local professional learning opportunities.

Thank you for your hard work and commitment to excellence, equity, and efficiency. The MSDE is committed to supporting the efforts of the Charles County Infants and Toddlers Program to improve results for infants, toddlers, and preschool age children with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or wish to request technical assistance, please do not hesitate to call me at 410-767-0238.

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/

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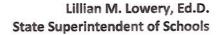
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# Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Charles County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

			Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	rt C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Resu	Results Indicator Comp	Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	%0.66	99.5%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%8.86	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	62.90%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	%0.92	44.1%
A.	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	62.24%	No		72.3%	61.2%
e.	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	62.67%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	78.1%	46.6%
200	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	59.18%	No		70.2%	57.9%
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	71.08%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	78.1%	56.2%
ر ا	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	56.12%	No		72.3%	29.0%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	%8.98	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%2'96	89.4%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them ild's needs	79.0%	92.5%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%2'.26	88.9%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	92.5%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	95.3%	89.7%
ហ	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	1.83%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	1.83%	1.21%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	2.78%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	3.02%	2.73%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the tial IFSP was within of referral	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

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	SDD/ADB Indicators		FFY 2012			Previous	Previous Results
Rec	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
E WES		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
VO	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vec		100%	100%
Y O	days, and not more than nine months,	2007	2001	3			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		100000000000000000000000000000000000000
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Yes		100%	95.7%
٥	and not more than nine months, prior to	200	200	)			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	75.0%	100%
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March 20, 2014

Dr. Henry V. Wagner, Jr.
Superintendent
Dorchester County Board of Education
700 Glasgow Street
Cambridge, MD 21613

Dear Dr. Wagner:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent

Division of Special Education/

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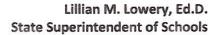
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## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Dorchester County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

			Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012		4	Previous	Previous Results
Resu	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	oliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	P Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	88.89%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	73.3%
3A	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	87.50%	Yes		82.4%	76.2%
4	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	%0:06	%0.08
38	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	93.75%	Yes		45.0%	81.0%
Ç.	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	86.67%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	94.1%	64.7%
عر ع	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	68.75%	No		20.0%	61.9%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	IS helped them know	81.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.4%	100%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	79.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	88.6%	100%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	IS helped them help and learn	89.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.7%	100%
rc.	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	served as a sulation birth to one	1.50%	0.82%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	1.95%	1.58%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	e served as a oulation birth to 3	3.00%	2.31%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	3.35%	3.05%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the itial IFSP was within of referral	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

		Part C ⊿	nnual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	CDD/ADB Indicators		FFY 2012			Previous	Previous Results
Poer	Besults Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
WC3W		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
VO	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	٨٩٧		100%	100%
¥0	days, and not more than nine months,	2007	2001	3			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
0	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vec		92.3%	100%
٥	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2001	3			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	83.3%	83.3%
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March 20, 2014

Dr. Barbara Brookmyer Health Officer Frederick County 350 Montevue Lane Frederick, MD 21702

Dear Dr. Brookmyer:

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Division of Special Education/Early Intervention Services (DSE/EIS) is required to make determinations annually on the performance of each local Infants and Toddlers Program using one of the following four determination categories: "Meets Requirements," "Needs Assistance," "Needs Intervention," or "Needs Substantial Intervention" [34 CFR §§303.700 and 300.703]. The MSDE, DSE/EIS uses a results-based rubric for specific indicators to evaluate each local Infants and Toddler's Program performance in meeting the State's targets for Federal fiscal Year (FFY) 2012 (2012-2013 fiscal year). Attached please find the FFY 2012 Determination Overview that identifies the Part C Indicators used to assign a local determination and the FFY 2012 Local Determination Scoring Criteria. The attached FFY 2012 Annual Data Table on SPP/APR Part C Indicators provides a three-year data analysis and required actions for the Frederick County Infants and Toddlers Program. Based on the FFY 2012 data, as well as information obtained through monitoring and complaint investigations, the Frederick County Infants and Toddlers Program has achieved the determination status of "Meets Requirements."

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Marcella E. Trancykowski

Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/

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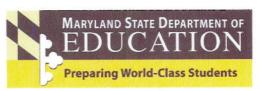
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## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators Frederick County Infants and Toddlers Program for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

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	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Resu	Results Indicator Comp	Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
-	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	%2'66	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	100%	98.9%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	%9.66	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	89.68	98.2%
•	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	56.52%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	64.2%	52.9%
Y C	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	68.42%	ON		66.7%	%6:69
a c	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	%8.3%	70.16%	oN	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	75.0%	64.4%
36	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	61.99%	ON		54.9%	57.7%
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	64.58%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	73.1%	64.0%
ر د	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	52.63%	No		65.7%	64.8%
44	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	95.1%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	94.9%	96.7%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	%0.67	93.8%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.5%	96.4%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	IS helped them help and learn	89.0%	94.8%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	91.6%	95.9%
ī.	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	1.40%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	2.22%	2.02%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	2.81%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities	3.46%	3.33%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	s for whom the tial IFSP was within	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

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	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previous Results	Results
Rest	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	45 days from the date of referral						
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
۷٥	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vac		100%	100%
Yo	days, and not more than nine months,	P/00T	2001	5			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vac	1	100%	100%
2	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2001	3			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%



March 20, 2014

Dr. Janet Wilson
Superintendent
Garrett County Board of Education
40 South Second Street
Oakland, MD 21550

Dear Dr. Wilson:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Thank you for your hard work and commitment to excellence, equity, and efficiency. The MSDE is committed to supporting the efforts of the Garrett County Infants and Toddlers Program to improve results for infants, toddlers, and preschool age children with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or wish to request technical assistance, please do not hesitate to call me at 410-767-0238.

Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/ Early Intervention Services

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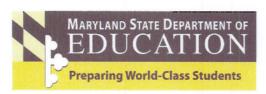
## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Garrett County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

			Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012			Previous	Previous Results
Resu	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	liance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	83.3%
3A	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	85.19%	Yes		100%	72.7%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	100%
88	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	88.89%	Yes		100%	72.7%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	87.5%
၁င္က	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	81.48%	Yes		100%	%9.69
44	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	IS helped them know	81.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	%8.96
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	%0.67	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	IS helped them help and learn	89.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
ro.	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	served as a ulation birth to one	1.50%	3.07%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	1.35%	0.35%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	4.08%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	1.78%	2.31%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	s for whom the tial IFSP was within of referral	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

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		Part C	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012		A conference of the state of	Previous	Previous Results
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		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
0.0	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vec		100%	100%
¥ o	days, and not more than nine months,	7007	2001	3			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.	9	
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
0	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vec		100%	100%
2	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	200	3			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data				Submit all data, including programmatic		
14		100%	91.7%	No	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	83.3%	83.3%
					accurate manner.		

#### Lillian M. Lowery, Ed.D. State Superintendent of Schools



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March 21, 2014

Mrs. Barbara P. Canavan Interim Superintendent Harford County Public Schools 102 South Hickory Avenue Bel Air, MD 21014-3731

Dear Mrs. Canavan:

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Division of Special Education/Early Intervention Services (DSE/EIS) is required to make determinations annually on the performance of each local Infants and Toddlers Program using one of the following four determination categories: "Meets Requirements," "Needs Assistance," "Needs Intervention," or "Needs Substantial Intervention" [34 CFR §§303.700 and 303.703]. The MSDE, DSE/EIS uses a results-based rubric for specific indicators to evaluate each local Infants and Toddler's Program performance in meeting the State's targets for Federal fiscal Year (FFY) 2012 (2012-2013 fiscal year). Attached please find the FFY 2012 Determination Overview that identifies the Part C Indicators used to assign a local determination and the FFY 2012 Local Determination Scoring Criteria. The attached FFY 2012 Annual Data Table on SPP/APR Part C Indicators provides a three-year data analysis and required actions for the Harford County Infants and Toddlers Program. Based on the FFY 2012 data, as well as information obtained through monitoring and complaint investigations, the Harford County Infants and Toddlers Program has achieved the determination status of "Needs Assistance, Year Two."

For the last consecutive two (2) years, the Harford County Infants and Toddlers Program determination status has been "Needs Assistance." For FFY 2012, "substantial compliance" was not attained for either timely service initiation or 45-day timeline. It is important to note, however, that the Harford County Infants and Toddlers Program has corrected noncompliance for both of these indicators in FFY 2013. The Harford County Infants and Toddlers Program and the DSE/EIS will continue to jointly develop, implement, and evaluate a comprehensive action plan that identifies targeted assistance, support, and resources. Next steps will be identified in the near future.

The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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As a result of the accountability shift to an increased emphasis on results, a local Infants and Toddlers Program's determination status may be impacted in the future. Decisions regarding State targets and local determination criteria will be made in the coming months through broad stakeholder input, including local Directors of Special Education, local Infants and Toddlers Program Directors, local Preschool Coordinators, and the State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC).

Local Infants and Toddlers Programs are strongly encouraged to work closely with their Local Interagency Coordinating Council (LICC) to perform an analysis of local data and infrastructure. The analysis should guide the development of strategies for data-informed decision-making, increased parent partnerships, strategic collaboration, and the use of evidence-based practices to improve the results for infants, toddlers, and young children with disabilities and their families. As we implement this shift in focus to results-driven accountability, the MSDE, DSE/EIS will provide State and local professional learning opportunities.

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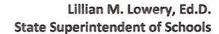
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Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	behaviors	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	and skills	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	emotional skills	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Results indicator - comp	PH	
for whom the ial IFSP was within	served as a ulation birth to 3	erved as a ulation birth to one	S helped them help and learn	S helped them ld's needs	S helped them know	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	ith IFSPs who ural environments	Services	compilance indicator	ators	
100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	Target	Ctata	Part C /
90.6%	4.57%	1.62%	93.7%	91.0%	91.0%	56.54%	76.50%	58.85%	74.52%	58.46%	74.29%	99.5%	91.1%	Results	FFY 2012	\nnual SPP
No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Met	Taract	Performa
Correction of noncompliance must occur.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Correction of noncompliance must occur.		Action Required	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
96.8%	4.04%	1.61%	93.3%	89.6%	90.8%	75.8%	90.2%	65.0%	86.8%	68.7%	82.1%	96.6%	89.9%	2010	Previou	
98.3%	3.83%	1.51%	93.4%	94.1%	91.8%	63.8%	65.7%	56.4%	74.6%	57.3%	73.4%	99.1%	90.5%	2011	Previous Results	

		Part C	Part C Annual SPP Performance Re	Performa	ince Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Resi	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	45 days from the date of referral						
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	1000	1000	V		100%	100%
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	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
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00	and not more than nine months, prior to	T00%	TOO %	Ico		100%	77:0
	the toddler's third birthday						
9	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%





March 20, 2014

Dr. Renee A. Foose Superintendent Howard County Public Schools 10910 Route 108 Ellicott City, MD 21042

Dear Dr. Foose:

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent Division of Special Education/

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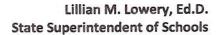
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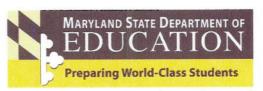
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#### Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Howard County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 FFY 2012

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	SPP/APR Indicators	ators	-	FFY 2012		Action Beauired	Previou	Previous Results
Rest	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	liance Indicator	State	Local	Target	wedan ea	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	%9.66	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	%9.66	99.5%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	ith IFSPs who aral environments	92.0%	97.8%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	%2'66	99.3%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	50.89%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	53.2%	29.9%
3A	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	57.54%	No		48.6%	64.9%
e c	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	52.91%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	%0.09	59.4%
90	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	53.17%	No		47.9%	63.7%
00	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	%60.09	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	55.8%	61.2%
٦ <u>.</u>	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	48.00%	No		%6.09	59.3%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	S helped them know	81.0%	%0.96	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	93.1%	95.8%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	S helped them Id's needs	%0.67	94.6%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	8.06	95.4%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	S helped them help and learn	89.0%	%8.96	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	92.7%	97.3%
5	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	erved as a Lation birth to one	1.50%	%06:0	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	1.36%	1.48%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	served as a ulation birth to 3	3.00%	3.04%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	2.85%	2.91%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	for whom the ial IFSP was within	100%	99.7%	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	%2.66	99.4%

		Part C/	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Rest	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	45 days from the date of referral	6					
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
VO	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vac		100%	100%
40	days, and not more than nine months,	000	9/00T	52		2001	200
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	20%		100%	100%
٥	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2001	<u> </u>	36	200	2001
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data		12		Submit all data, including programmatic		
14		100%	91.7%	8	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	100%	91.7%
					accurate manner.		





March 20, 2014

Dr. Karen M. Couch Superintendent Kent County Public Schools 5608 Boundary Avenue Rock Hall, MD 21661

Dear Dr. Couch:

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Division of Special Education/Early Intervention Services (DSE/EIS) is required to make determinations annually on the performance of each local Infants and Toddlers Program using one of the following four determination categories: "Meets Requirements," "Needs Assistance," "Needs Intervention," or "Needs Substantial Intervention" [34 CFR §§303.700 and 300.703]. The MSDE, DSE/EIS uses a results-based rubric for specific indicators to evaluate each local Infants and Toddler's Program performance in meeting the State's targets for Federal fiscal Year (FFY) 2012 (2012-2013 fiscal year). Attached please find the FFY 2012 Determination Overview that identifies the Part C Indicators used to assign a local determination and the FFY 2012 Local Determination Scoring Criteria. The attached FFY 2012 Annual Data Table on SPP/APR Part C Indicators provides a three-year data analysis and required actions for the Kent County Infants and Toddlers Program. Based on the FFY 2012 data, as well as information obtained through monitoring and complaint investigations, the Kent County Infants and Toddlers Program has achieved the determination status of "Meets Requirements."

The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Thank you for your hard work and commitment to excellence, equity, and efficiency. The MSDE is committed to supporting the efforts of the Kent County Infants and Toddlers Program to improve results for infants, toddlers, and preschool age children with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or wish to request technical assistance, please do not hesitate to call me at 410-767-0238.

Sincerely, Marcella E. Francykowski

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent

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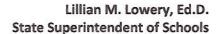
## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Kent County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

			Part C/	Annual SPP	. Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators			FFY 2012			Previous Results	Results
Res	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	ator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
			Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
1	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services		100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	ho ments	92.0%	100%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%	100%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: 1. Exits with Use of social – substantial growth	th I growth	81.1%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	100%
3A	emotional skills 2. Exits within age expectations	thin age	74.3%	100%	Yes		75.0%	75.0%
6	Birth to 3 Outcomes: 1. Exits with Use of knowledge substantial growth	th I growth	86.3%	NA	NA	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	100%
89 89	and skills 2. Exits within age expectations	thin age	70.4%	100%	Yes		75.0%	75.0%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: 1. Exits with Use of appropriate substantial growth	th I growth	87.5%	100%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	100%	100%
၁၄	behaviors 2. Exits within age expectations	thin age	75.9%	100%	Yes		75.0%	100%
44	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	em know	81.0%	NA	NA	Less than 10 reported. Data suppressed.	100%	100%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	em	%0.67	NA	NA	Less than 10 reported. Data suppressed.	<	100%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	em help	89.0%	NA	NA	Less than 10 reported. Data suppressed.	<	100%
rv	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	h to one	1.50%	0.00%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	0.00%	1.04%
9	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	h to 3	3.00%	0.70%	No	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	1.02%	1.53%
7	Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within 45 days from the date of referral	the s within	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%

^ No data submitted

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-	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
Resi	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	FFY
		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
V 0	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	Vec		20.0%	100%
Yo	days, and not more than nine months,	0,001	2001	5			
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
88	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
00	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vec		100%	100%
0	and not more than nine months, prior to	2001	2004	3			
	the toddler's third birthday						
6	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
	Submission of timely and accurate data				Submit all data, including programmatic		
14		100%	83.3%	No	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	83.3%	83.3%
					accurate manner.		





March 20, 2014

Dr. Ulder J. Tillman Health Officer Montgomery County 401 Hungerford Drive, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Rockville, MD 20850

Dear Dr. Tillman:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Thank you for your hard work and commitment to excellence, equity, and efficiency. The MSDE is committed to supporting the efforts of the Montgomery County Infants and Toddlers Program to improve results for infants, toddlers, and preschool age children with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or wish to request technical assistance, please do not hesitate to call me at 410-767-0238.

Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S.
Assistant State Superintendent
Division of Special Education/

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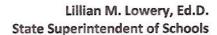
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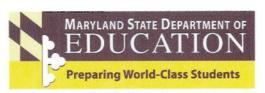
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Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Montgomery County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 **FFY 2012** 

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Percentage of toddlers for whom the evaluation and the initial IFSP was within	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	behaviors	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	and skills	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	emotional skills	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Results Indicator - Comp	景	The second second
for whom the ial IFSP was within	served as a Jation birth to 3	erved as a lation birth to one	S helped them help and learn	S helped them d's needs	S helped them know	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	ith IFSPs who Iral environments	Services	Compliance Indicator	ators	
100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	State Target		Part C /
99.9%	4.10%	1.83%	95.3%	94.7%	94.6%	64.99%	74.50%	65.41%	75.60%	69.58%	61.40%	95.7%	98.7%	Local Results	FFY 2012	Annual SPP
No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Target Met		Performa
Correction of noncompliance must occur.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Correction of noncompliance must occur.		Action Required	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
99.8%	4.66%	1.96%	94.8%	94.5%	94.7%	82.5%	84.8%	72.7%	83.9%	77.6%	74.4%	95.3%	99.1%	2010	Previou	
99.6%	4.19%	1.60%	95.8%	95.8%	96.0%	71.2%	72.9%	66.1%	74.2%	70.7%	60.7%	95.4%	99.5%	2011	Previous Results	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

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	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012		Action Dogwinod	Previous Results	oms
Resu	Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY	
		Target	Results	Met		2010	
	45 days from the date of referral						
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		-
0	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	<		100%	_
OA	days, and not more than nine months,	T00%	TOO.%	ē		TOO.9	
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
8B	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes	-	100%	
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
ŝ	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Vac		99 7%	
00	and not more than nine months, prior to	T00.%	TOO.70	ido		77:27	
	the toddler's third birthday						
9	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	91.7%	$\vdash$





March 20, 2014

Mrs. Pamela Brown-Creekmur, RN Health Officer Prince George's County 1701 McCormick Drive, Suite 200 Largo, MD 20774

Dear Mrs. Brown-Creekmur:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S. Assistant State Superintendent

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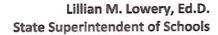
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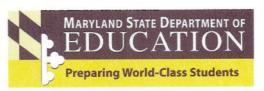
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## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Prince George's County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

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100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	Target	State		Part C /
100%	2.79%	1.23%	96.1%	96.2%	96.6%	56.07%	78.35%	54.47%	73.19%	61.66%	70.43%	98.9%	91.7%	Results	Local	FFY 2012	nnual SPP
Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Met	Target		Performa
Compliant. No required action.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Correction of noncompliance must occur.		Action Required		Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
99.3%	2.57%	1.17%	93.0%	92.5%	93.0%	64.4%	82.9%	55.2%	75.9%	65.4%	76.1%	99.5%	98.6%	2010	FFY	Previou	
99.8%	2.41%	1.15%	96.9%	95.9%	95.9%	54.8%	72.9%	46.6%	71.2%	58.0%	68.0%	95.7%	96.9%	2011	FFY	Previous Results	

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	avillation of tillely and accurate vata	Submission of timely and accurate data	Timely correction of noncompliance	the toddler's third birthday	nd not more than nine months prior to	transition conference was held 90 days,	Percentage of children for whom the	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA	prior to the toddler's third birthday	days, and not more than nine months,	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for	45 days from the date of referral		Results Indicator Compliance Indicator	SPP/APR Indicators	
	100%	10070	100%		100%				100%			TOC/6	100%			Target	State		Part C
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accurate manner.	and fiscal reports, in a timely and	Submit all data including programmatic	Compliant. No required action.		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	occur.	Correction of noncompliance must			Compliant. No required action.				Compliant. No required action.			Action Keduit ed	Action Dogwins	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
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	75.0%	100%	100%		98.7%				100%			F00.%	100%			2011	FFY	Previous Results	





March 20, 2014

Dr. Carol A. Williamson Superintendent Queen Anne's County Board of Education 202 Chesterfield Avenue Centreville, MD 21617

Dear Dr. Williamson:

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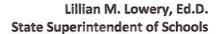
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Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators Queen Anne's County Infants and Toddlers Program for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 **FFY 2012** 

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100%		4.21%	1.73%	100%	97.6%	100%	63.6%	56.5%	48.5%	33.3%	63.6%	50.0%	100%	100%	2011	Previous Results	

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					accurate manner.		





March 20, 2014

Dr. John B. Gaddis Interim Superintendent Somerset County Public Schools 7982-A Tawes Campus Drive Westover, Maryland 21871

Dear Dr. Gaddis:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Marcella E. Francykowski

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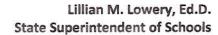
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Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Somerset County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 **FFY 2012** 

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100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	Target	State		Part C /
100%	1.52%	0.86%	NA	NA	NA	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	Results	Local	FFY 2012	Annual SPF
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14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	75.0%	91.7%





March 20, 2014

Dr. Michael J. Martirano Superintendent St. Mary's County Public Schools P. O. Box 641 Leonardtown, MD 20650

Dear Dr. Martirano:

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100%	2.38%	1.27%	94.9%	94.8%	94.9%	60.00%	68.75%	64.00%	73.21%	64.00%	60.00%	100%	96.4%	Local Results	FFY 2012	Annual SPP
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100%	2.69%	0.69%	97.1%	95.8%	97.2%	75.5%	91.2%	75.9%	95.2%	75.9%	83.9%	95.0%	98.6%	FFY 2010	Previou	
100%	2.58%	1.23%	93.3%	91.0%	93.7%	63.9%	73.2%	59.8%	76.3%	69.1%	70.9%	100%	95.5%	FFY 2011	Previous Results	

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March 20, 2014

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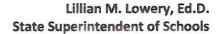
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## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Talbot County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

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100%	3.07%	1.75%	NA	NA	NA	75.00%	91.67%	81.25%	71.43%	68.75%	80.00%	100%	100%	Local Results	FFY 2012	Annual SPI
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100%	3.32%	1.65%	100%	100%	100%	82.6%	100%	79.2%	100%	79.2%	100%	100%	100%	FFY 2011	Previous Results	

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March 20, 2014

Dr. Clayton M. Wilcox Superintendent Washington County Board of Education P. O. Box 730 820 Commonwealth Avenue Hagerstown, MD 21741

Dear Dr. Wilcox:

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Sincerely,

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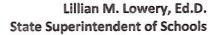
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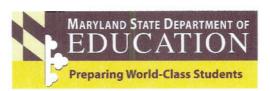
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Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Washington County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 **FFY 2013** 

			Part C /	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report	
	SPP/APR Indicators	ators		FFY 2012	The state of the s	A +ti B > a · ti	Previous Results
Resi	Results Indicator (Comp	Compliance Indicator	State	Local	Target	Action Required	FFY
Mean			Target	Results	Met		2010
-	Timely Delivery of IFSP Services	Services	100%	99.1%	No	Correction of noncompliance must occur.	98.9%
2	Infants and Toddlers with IFSPs who receive services in natural environments	vith IFSPs who ural environments	92.0%	97.2%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	98.6%
	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of social –	1. Exits with substantial growth	81.1%	81.69%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	88.2%
3A	emotional skills	2. Exits within age expectations	74.3%	78.45%	Yes		61.8%
3	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of knowledge	1. Exits with substantial growth	86.3%	87.01%	Yes	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	86.7%
38	and skills	2. Exits within age expectations	70.4%	81.03%	Yes		57.6%
3	Birth to 3 Outcomes: Use of appropriate	1. Exits with substantial growth	87.5%	83.96%	No	No required action. State target based on different methodology.	93.5%
30	behaviors	2. Exits within age expectations	75.9%	61.86%	No		64.7%
4A	Families who report EIS helped them know their rights	IS helped them know	81.0%	94.5%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	97.6%
48	Families who report EIS helped them communicate their child's needs	IS helped them ild's needs	79.0%	94.1%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	98.4%
4C	Families who report EIS helped them help their children develop and learn	IS helped them help and learn	89.0%	92.2%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	100%
UI	Children birth to one served as a percentage of the population birth to one	served as a sulation birth to one	1.50%	2.21%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	2.51%
6	Children birth to three served as a percentage of the population birth to 3	e served as a oulation birth to 3	3.00%	3.51%	Yes	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	2.66%
	Dougators of toddler	Percentage of toddlers for whom the	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%

SPP/APR Indicators  ts Indicator	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report  FFY 2012  State Local Target Target Results Met  100% 100% Yes  Compliant. No required action.  100% 100% Yes  Compliant. No required action.  100% 100% Yes  Compliant. No required action.
Annual SPP Performance Report  FFY 2012  Local Target Results Met  100% Yes  Compliant. No required action.  Submit all data, including programmatic and fiscal reports, in a timely and	Action Required  No required action.  No required action.  No required action.  No required action.  lata, including programmatic aports, in a timely and
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March 20, 2014

Dr. John Fredericksen Superintendent Wicomico County Board of Education P. O. ox 1538 Salisbury, MD 21802-1538

Dear Dr. Fredericksen:

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The criteria for the current assignment of the determination status have been in effect for the last two (2) years and have placed a greater emphasis upon indicators of compliance. We know what is measured is what gets done and, as a result, twenty-one of Maryland's twenty-four local Infants and Toddlers Programs met substantial compliance for each of the six (6) Compliance Indicators (1, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, and 9) in FFY 2012. Moving forward, there will be a shift to a more balanced accountability approach. Critical to the focus and accountability shift is the collaborative work of early intervention leaders to focus on child outcomes and narrow the school readiness gap. Beginning with the FFY 2013 (2013-2014) Part C local determinations, the DSE/EIS will implement a graduated six-year results driven accountability plan in order to concentrate efforts on:

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Sincerely,

Marcella E. Franczkowski, M.S.

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Assistant State Superintendent

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**FFY 2012** 

## Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Wicomico County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

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for whom the ial IFSP was within of referral	served as a lation birth to 3	erved as a lation birth to one	S helped them help and learn	S helped them d's needs	S helped them know	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	2. Exits within age expectations	1. Exits with substantial growth	ith IFSPs who Iral environments	Services	Compliance Indicator	itors	
100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	State Target		Part C A
100%	2.77%	0.79%	97.0%	98.5%	98.5%	74.07%	82.81%	69.14%	87.69%	72.50%	88.52%	100%	100%	Local Results	FFY 2012	nnual SPP
Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NO	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Target Met		Performa
Compliant. No required action.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Compliant. No required action.		Action Required	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
100%	3.16%	1.31%	94.7%	94.7%	94.8%	55.6%	83.3%	51.9%	84.6%	51.9%	84.6%	100%	100%	2010	Previou	
100%	3.41%	2.13%	96.0%	91.3%	93.4%	66.7%	77.6%	66.7%	84.1%	64.9%	84.1%	100%	100%	2011	Previous Results	

		Part C /	Annual SPP	Performa	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report		
	SPP/APR Indicators		FFY 2012			Previou	Previous Results
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		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
	whom an IFSP was developed at least 90	100%	100%	<b>&lt;</b>		100%	100%
ŏA.	days, and not more than nine months,	T00%	T00%	100		10070	1000
	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
	Percentage of toddlers for whom the LEA				Compliant. No required action.		
8B	was notified of potential Part B eligibility	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
	at least 90 days prior to the third birthday						
	Percentage of children for whom the				Compliant. No required action.		
9	transition conference was held 90 days,	100%	100%	Yes		100%	100%
00	and not more than nine months, prior to	TOO.40	TOO.70	ç			
	the toddler's third birthday						
9	Timely correction of noncompliance	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	100%	100%
14	Submission of timely and accurate data	100%	100%	Yes	Compliant. No required action.	91.7%	83.3%



March 20, 2014

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Annual Data on Part C State Performance Plan (SPP) Priority Indicators **Worcester County Infants and Toddlers Program** for the Period July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 **FFY 2012** 

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100%	3.00%	1.50%	89.0%	79.0%	81.0%	75.9%	87.5%	70.4%	86.3%	74.3%	81.1%	92.0%	100%	Target	State	Part C /
100%	2.70%	1.36%	86.4%	86.4%	83.3%	44.44%	50.00%	61.11%	72.73%	66.67%	63.64%	100%	100%	Results	FFY 2012	Annual SPP
Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Met	Taroat	Performa
Compliant. No required action.	Data do not meet the State target.  Continue Improvement Activities.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data do not meet the State target. Continue Improvement Activities.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.		No required action. State target based on different methodology.	Data meet the State's target. No required action.	Compliant. No required action.		Action Required	Part C Annual SPP Performance Report
100%	2.39%	1.78%	85.2%	85.2%	85.2%	53.8%	90.9%	38.5%	75.0%	23.1%	58.3%	100%	100%	2010	Previou	
100%	2.92%	1.40%	94.1%	100%	94.1%	83.9%	76.2%	83.9%	94.4%	77.4%	62.5%	100%	100%	2011	Previous Results	

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No.		Target	Results	Met		2010	2011
	Percentage of toddlers exiting Part C for				Compliant. No required action.		
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	prior to the toddler's third birthday						
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