



# SAP & SICC Newsletter

The State Advisory Panel (SAP) & State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC) Newsletter

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## In the Know

This periodic newsletter is intended to address the information and communication needs of:

- SAP members and State Education Agency (SEA) staff
- SICC members and Lead Agency (LA) staff
- Individuals interested in learning about the functions of SAPs and SICC

### Contact Us

If you have a response, resource, or question to share or ask, send to: [info@stateadvisorypanel.org](mailto:info@stateadvisorypanel.org)

<https://collab.osepideasthatwork.org/SAP-SICC>

### In future newsletters look for:

- Approaches for engaging many voices in the mission of SAPs and SICC
- Tips for effective meetings
- Resources for conducting SAP and SICC work
- Updates on useful OSEP information for SAPs and SICC
- Strategies for making an impact

## Question to Ponder

Are you planning an upcoming virtual stakeholder meeting? How do you plan to authentically engage members?

There are two tools to help you get ready! These resources will provide information on technology features and key actions to take before, during, and after meetings to engage stakeholders in discussions.

- [Preparing for your Next Virtual Stakeholder Meeting](#), the Center for IDEA Early Childhood Data Systems (DaSy)
- [Tool to Support Effective Virtual Stakeholder Meetings](#), the National Center for Systemic Improvement (NCSI)

## Try this Resource

The Center for Technical Assistance for Excellence in Special Education (TAESE) has created a resource [Advisory Panel Effective Practices and Indicators for Success](#) based on the extensive experience of the Center's former Executive Director and current Director of Technical Assistance, John Copenhaver. This resource will be highlighted during our April webinar.

## What's New

### New Webinar Recording Posted

January 28, 2021: Authentic Stakeholder Engagement

Webinar Presentation:

<https://vimeo.com/505850510>

### Upcoming Webinar Best Practices in SAP and SICC Work

April 29, 2021 at 12:30pm-  
2:00pm ET:

[Register Now](#)

IDEA State Advisory Panels (SAP) and State Interagency Coordinating Councils (SICC) advise and assist the state education agency/state lead agency in the performance of their responsibilities as outlined in IDEA to address the needs of infants, toddlers, children and youth with disabilities.

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