

MCASE Goal #2 To-Do's 1/20/14

9/19/14

Frank Podobnik

- > Clarify monetary incentives to recruit and retain SLP's, SPED & Schl.Psy's.
 - > Michelle and Lori will put together sheets listing incentives for SLP's, Psy's & SPED Tchrs. They'll send the sheets to SAM and then on to Directors.
- > Reintegrate MCASE into Higher Ed Consortium re: Teacher Prep (Cedar Center??)
 - 9/19 MT has been awarded the Cedar Grant and will be able to align tchr. prep programs to licensure standards.
- > Develop and offer Classroom Management training for newer SPED staff
 - 9/19 OPI/Ruth beginning new induction program for SPED tchrs. In writing IEP's, Behavior programming... Assessment?? is a topic of discussion with IHE's. Michelle notes that Ron L. is attempting to get some more SPED topics included in gen.ed. prep.
 - ?? Kathleen questioned if we need to develop a list of topics/competencies that we should use in speaking to gen.ed students. And MCASE rep to HE Consort. Could present it to them. Len will send out email to all MCASE to initiate this process, and work with Kathleen.

Michelle & Chris, Lisa Debi, Jennifer (Executive Board)

- > Clarify OPI collaboration with MCASE Executive Board to discern needed focused direction/training. Michelle will work to schedule time with OPI on this goal.

LORI & Sylvia

- > Meet with EDU faculty at Dillon to introduce MCASE's SPED Competencies list

Leonard Orth

- > Send our current list of competencies to all MCASE members for update suggestions
- > Send Competencies to all SPED IHE programs including a local MCASE contact.
- > Offer MCASE members as guest speakers to IHE SPED classes
- > Dale L. will work with Gary/SAM to ensure the Competencies list is available in the SAM site and notify Directors.
- > Ensure minutes from committee mtgs. are posted in SAM site.

Kathleen Nerrison

- > Will work with UofM to develop integral competencies of School Psy's. Kathleen is speaking to the Psy students every year; she will send out a call for competencies that should be emphasized. Frank is working with the program to speak re: Psy roles in schools around MT.

Lori Ruffier

- > & Chris Merriman Working with UofM to teach SLPs how to navigate AIM system
 - Lori is doing this annually and Doug noted that OPI gave them access to "the AIM sandbox". Directors can ask Mary Graf for access to this Sandbox/training site.

> Attend all SPED Tchr. Prep programs to teach AIM? Lori is trying to do so with UofM. Anne says several IHE's have access, but actual use is unclear. Anne offers an open forum to IHE's/students to conduct mini-intro's to AIM.

Chad Berg

> Speak to Gen.Ed. faculty/students at MSU re: SPED competencies
> Collaborate with Ron Laferriere to prepare MSU School Admin faculty and students re: SPED Competencies Len will work with Ron, Michelle & Chad to contact UofM, MSU & Rocky programs.

Christine Merriman

> Send committee members a draft list of SPED competencies for SLP students She did this and will resend it to Len.

Susan Bailey-Anderson

> How c/should MCASE work with CSPD to ensure these competencies are focus of training
> Invite/involve/scholarship pre-service teachers to CSPD events