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IMPORTANT MONITORING INFORMATION

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## Sent Via Email dina.briones@crystalcityisd.org

Dina Briones, Superintendent Crystal City Independent School District 805 E Crockett St. Crystal City, TX 78839

Subject: Notification of Correction of Noncompliance

Dear Dina Briones:

The purpose of this correspondence is to notify Crystal City Independent School District (ISD) of the correction of noncompliance identified in the 7/27/2023 Targeted Review and the 4/30/2024 Cyclical Review.

Crystal City ISD received notification of noncompliance in a letter dated 7/27/2023 listing the following areas of noncompliance:

- IEP Development: Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional
  Performance
  - 34 Code of Federal Regulations § 300.320(a)(1)
- IEP Development: Measurable Annual Goals
  34 CFR §300.320 (a)(2)(i)
- Transition: Measurable Postsecondary Goals
  19 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 89.1055 (j)(1); 34 CFR § 300.320(b)(1)

On July 31, 2024, Crystal City ISD received notification of continuing noncompliance status when it did not complete its corrective action plan within one calendar year as required by 34 C.F.R. § 300.600(e).

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In addition, Crystal City ISD received notification of noncompliance in a letter dated 4/30/2024 listing the following areas of noncompliance:

- Evaluation: Prior Written Notice
  34 CFR § 300.304(a); 34 CFR § 300.503
- Evaluation: Sufficiently identify and address all needs 34 CFR §300.304(c)(4), (6)
- IEP Implementation: Notice of Procedural Safeguards 34 CFR §300.504
- Properly Constituted ARD: General Education Teacher Participation
  34 CFR §300.321(a)(2); 19 TAC §89.1050(c)(1)(B); Texas Education Code § 29.005(a)
- Properly Constituted ARD: ARD Committee Member Excusal 34 CFR §300.321(e)(2); 34 CFR §300.321(a)(2), (a)(5)
- IEP Content: Schedule of Services and Related Services 34 CFR §300.320(a)(7)
- IEP Development: Present Levels of Academic and Functional Performance 34 CFR § 300.320(a)(1)
- IEP Development: Goal Progress 34 CFR § 300.320(a)(3)(i)
- IEP Development: Progress Report 34 CFR § 300.320(a)(3)(ii)
- IEP Development: Short-term Objectives 34 CFR §300.320(a)(2)(ii)
- IEP Development: Measurable Annual Goals
  34 CFR §300.320 (a)(2)(i)
- Transition: Initial Transition ARD 19 TAC § 89.1055(h); TEC § 29.0111
- Transition: Student Invited to Transition ARD 34 CFR §300.321(b)(1); 34 §300.322(b)(2)
- Transition: Student Preferences and Interests
- 34 §300.322(b)(2)
- Transition: Involvement in the Student's Transition to Life Outside of Public School
- 19 TAC §89.1055(h)(1); TEC §29.011(a)(1)
- Transition: Functional Vocational Evaluation 19 TAC §89.1055(h)(1); TEC §29.011(a)(5)
- Transition: Referral to a Governmental Agency 19 TAC §89.1055(h)(9); TEC §29.011(a)(9)
- Transition: Invitation for Representative of a Participating Agency 34 CFR § 300.321(b)(3); TAC § 89.1050(c)(1)(H)

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- Transition: Involvement in Student Transition by Parent
- 19 TAC §89.1055(h)(2); TEC § 29.011(a); TEC §29.0111
- Transition: Supplementary Aids, Services, and Curricula 19 TAC §89.1055(h)(10); TEC §29.011(a)(10)
- Transition: Measurable Postsecondary Goals 19 TAC § 89.1055 (j)(1); 34 CFR § 300.320(b)(1)
- Transition: Courses of Study
  19 TAC §89.1055 (j)(2); 34 CFR § 300.320(b)(2)

A plan for correction of the noncompliance was included in each of the corrective action plans. Subsequently Crystal City ISD was required to submit documentation to the Texas Education Agency (TEA) verifying correction for the above-mentioned noncompliance. The documentation submitted by Crystal City ISD indicated that these areas of noncompliance have been addressed, and the noncompliance identified in the 7/27/2023 and 4/30/2024 reviews has been corrected. Therefore, no further action on these issues is required at this time.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Megan Bodish in the TEA Division of Monitoring, Review, and Support at (512) 463-9889 or by e-mail at <u>Megan.Bodish@tea.texas.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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