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Directors of Special Education

From: Office of the Commissioner of Education

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RE: Professional Development – Partnership Opportunity

The New Hampshire Department of Education, Bureau of Special Education, in partnership with the National Center for Special Education Accountability Monitoring (NCSEAM), will be providing a training on the "Improving Relationships & Results: Building Family and School Partnerships" Toolkit.

When: Thursday, October 14, 2010 9:00am ~ 4:00pm
Topic: "Improving Relationships & Results: Building Family and School Partnerships"
Location: Plymouth State University, 2 Pillsbury Street, Concord, NH 03301
Presenters: Mary Lane, New Hampshire Department of Education, Bureau of Special Education and Representatives from the National Center for Special Education Accountability Monitoring (NCSEAM)

Description: Participants will learn evidence based interventions that schools can use to improve relationships with families. This workshop will provide participants the opportunity to develop a working knowledge of these evidence based techniques and interventions that will improve the facilitation of parent involvement in education. These evidence based techniques and interventions are designed to support how families are involved as a means to enhance services and programming related to special education. "The Improving Relationships & Results: Building Family and School Partnerships" Toolkit/Manual was developed by the National Center for Special Education Accountability Monitoring in collaboration with the Future of School Psychology Task Force on Family School Partnerships.

To register for the training please contact Terry Stafford at (603) 271-3720 or tstafford@ed.state.nh.us by Friday, October 1, 2010. There is limited seating available on a first come first serve basis. For more information, please contact Mary Lane at: (603) 271-3740 or mlane@ed.state.nh.us.