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To: Superintendents of Schools

Administrators of Special Education

From: Office of the Commissioner of Education

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RE: New Features – New Hampshire Special Education Information System (NHSEIS)

In an effort to continually improve the New Hampshire Special Education Information System (NHSEIS) the Bureau of Special Education Support (Bureau) has added new features to NHSEIS. To keep the districts aware of these enhancements, the Bureau is attaching a document with details and screen shots. New features are released after input from a variety of groups: NHSEIS Stakeholder group, users in NHSEIS and others. NHSEIS user input and suggestions are often received during NHSEIS trainings provided by the Bureau of Special Education Support.

This software release, will begin on Friday, July 28th includes:

- The language for students previously listed as 402 students will now be labeled as Court Ordered Placements. Nothing is changing in the process as to how you enter these students or for their financial uploads. This change is being made to align the language with state laws and rules.
- Indicator 13 Postsecondary Transition Planning is one of seventeen indicators from the State Performance Plan (SPP). The state target rate for compliance is 100%. To support districts in adhering to the guidelines for secondary transition, NHSEIS will now have a question on the goals page that asks, "What post-secondary goals are addressed in this annual goal?" You will choose what goal category and then explain how it addresses post-secondary goal(s).

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Please refer to attached screenshots for further clarification and explanation of all the added NHSEIS features that will be released.

If you would like further clarification or have questions, please contact Brandy Quinn-Richards at 603- 271-2178 or Brandy.A.Quinn-Richards@doe.nh.gov