

## The Places We Go: What Works in Itinerant Service Delivery

Both Special Education law and best practice mandate that preschoolers with disabilities receive services in the Least Restrictive Environment. It is up to the I.E.P. team to decide LRE for each individual child. The Preschool Options Project is one of several state initiatives that seek to support school districts in making the, sometimes murky, placement offering decision.

Through the Preschool Options Project, a Service Option Grid has been developed that will provide the following benefits:

- 1. Specify placements that have been used throughout the state to deliver services to preschoolers with disabilities.
- 2. Present details that districts have had to consider in using these placements.
- 3. Gather point-in-time data with which to begin to monitor the range of placement options offered across the state and rate of change in offerings.

The CESA #2 Early Childhood program, along with the Preschool Options Project & partners in Sun Prairie School District, have set aside Tuesday, January 31, 9-2:30 for a networking opportunity based on the options identified in the Service Options Grid and related issues.

- Sue Albert, from the Preschool Options Project, will facilitate discussion and provide activities to help districts complete the Service Options Grid at this meeting.
- Susan Donahoe, Early Childhood Coordinator and Autism Support for Early childhood, will co-facilitate.

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## Registration: Itinerant Networking – January 31, 2012

This workshop is provided at no cost to participants; must register to attend; registrations accepted until January 27 OR until workshop is full.

To register: go to <u>www.myOuickreg.com</u>. First-time users will be asked to create an online profile first, so that you may register for this and other CESA #2 workshops.

\*You are not registered unless you receive an email confirmation from myquickreq.com\*

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- If special accommodations are required, registration must be received 2 weeks before workshop.
- In case of inclement weather, please call: 262-473-1473