

## **Monitoring and Program Effectiveness Updates August 2018**

### **Monitoring Activities**

- Four districts issued a Compliance Action Plan (CAP) from monitoring findings during 17-18 year
- Establishing schedule for monitoring activities during 18-19 year
- Risk Assessment will be used to determine monitoring needs for districts on Cycle 3

### **Program Effectiveness**

- State Education Advisors (SEAs) are reviewing Annual Performance Report (APR) data to identify districts with higher performance outcomes. SEAs will follow up with these districts to identify effective practices and share with lower performing districts.
- Plan in place to develop and post videos on IEP processes this fall
- A training focused on IEP goal writing and progress monitoring has been offered this summer at coops.

### **Special Education Program Advisor (SEA) Current Projects and Committee Involvement**

- A Family Guide to Special Education
  - A guide to help families understand the Special Education Process is being developed to complement the special education procedures guide released in December 2017. The family guide is in the editing and revision stage.

### **Conferences Attended**

- National Early Childhood Inclusion Institute in Chapel Hill, NC (May 2018)
- Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators (AASEA) (June 2018)
- ARMEA (June 2018)