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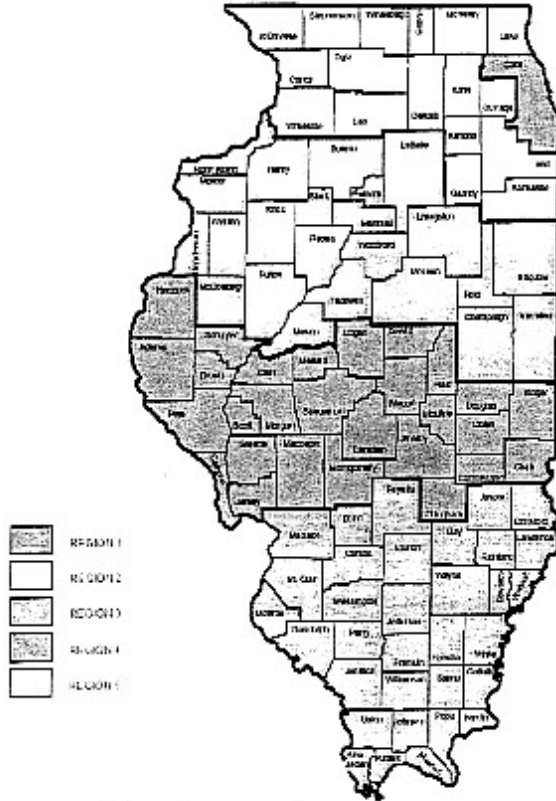


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Transition Planning Committees by Regions



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Region 1 Cook	Region 2 Northern IL	Region 3 North Central	Region 4 Central	Region 5 Southern IL
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TRANSITION PLANNING COMMITTEES

Local Planning Committee Leaders

TPC #	TPC NAME	COUNTIES SERVED	REG	CHAIR(S)	CONTACT INFORMATION	DHS/DRS OFFICE	SUPERVISOR	TRANSITION ADVISOR
1	Madison County	Madison, Jersey	4, 5	Key Hymal	Edwardsville High School 5161 Center Grove Edwardsville, IL 62025 618-655-7100 618-401-2888(Cel) 618-655-3340(Home) khymal@ecass17.org khymal@quarter.org	Alton	Dierne Jackson	Clare Smith
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2	Monroe, Randolph, St. Clair	St. Clair, Monroe, Randolph	5	Craig Mentzer	DD5-ME 2900 Frank Scott Pkwy West Belleville, IL 62223 618-236-7957 craig@dcama.org	Belleville	Brenda Mersinger-Klein	Clare Smith
				Carol Hechenberger	DHS/DRS 801 South High Street Belleville, IL 62220 618-658-7100x23253 618-235-6300 618-235-5276(Rehab. Service) 618-235-9336 (Fax) Carol.hechenberger@illinois.gov 987			
3	Southern County	Johnson, Alexander, Massac, Pulaski, Union	5	Nancy Tunni	DHS/DRS/JAMP 251 West Second Street P. O. Box 107 Grand Chain, IL 62941 618-634-2200 Nancy.Tunni@illinois.gov	Anna	Rita Howells	Clare Smith
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4	Macon, Hall	Macon, Paoli	4	Debbie Porter	UCP 432 E. Preire Drive Jopatur, IL Decatur, IL 217-426-5073 debbie.ucp@swannanoa1.com	Decatur	Paula Ferguson	Susan Taylor
5	Jacksonville West Central	Morgan, Brown, Scott, Cass, Greene, Calhoun, Schuyler, Macoupin	3, 4		INACTIVE	Jacksonville	Paula Ferguson	Susan Taylor

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11	South Eastern, IL	Richland, Crawford, Lawrence, Jasper	5	Anita Race Susan Vaughn	DHS/DRS 1112 South West Ciney, IL 62450 618-365-2147 618-362-2625 (Fax) Anita.Race@illinois.gov P. O. Box 185 St. Marie, IL 62459 618-455-3396x229 svaughn@roe12.net	Ciney	Dorothy Neal	Claire Smith
12	Springfield/SAS ED Central Area	Sangamon, Menard, Cass, Logan	4	Carolyn Thorpe	SCIL 330 South Grand Avenue, West Springfield, IL 62704 217-523-2587 youth@scil.org	Springfield	Martin Perera	Susan Taylor
13	Champaign County	Champaign	3	Aeltha Alexander Jim Mayer	DHS/DRS 1307 North Mattis Avenue Champaign, IL 61821 217-278-3800 217-278-3508 (Fax) 217-446-0230 (Danville Office) RCCSEC 201 South Sheldon Rantoul, IL 61866 217-882-8877x66 217-890-8827 (Fax) 217-621-8877 (Cell)	Champaign	Aeltha Alexander	Susan Taylor
14	Bloomington, McLean County	McLean	3	Jane Collins Debbie Anderson Vicky Ortega	Normal Community West High School 501 N. Parkside Rd. Normal, Illinois 61761 309/886-6986 collinsj@unit5.org Andersonc@normalctd37.org Vickv@disapn.org	Bloomington	Dave Reed	Susan Taylor
15	Vermilion County	Vermilion	3	Lucia Stegenmeyer Lori Burnett	1112 Grant Street Danville, IL 61834 217-442-3416 snodynun@sbglobal.net www.vermilionctd.com 202 E. Fauchild Street Danville, IL 61832 217-444-1582 lburn@danville.k12.il.us	Danville	Aeltha Alexander	Susan Taylor
17	Knox/Warren	Knox, Warren	3	Sue O'Fleahy	Knox-Warren Special Education 938 Harrison Galesburg, IL 61401 309-343-2143 309-343-2145 (Fax) sueofleahy@knoxwarrenctd.org	Galesburg	Karen Engstrom	Jane Koch

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				Barbara Grimalda	Mindset Acres Adult Day Center mindsetacresade@gmail.com			
26	Northwest	Jo Davis, Carol Stephenson	2	Cindy Raskow	RAMP 2155 W. Galena Ave Freeport, IL 61032 815-233-1128 Craskow@rampcpl.org	Freeport	Gina Eickhorst	Janet Koch
				Amy Stowe	DSCC 4302 North Main Street # 108 Rockford, IL 61103 astowe@uc.edu			
25	Quad Cities/ Tri-County	Henry, Mercer, Stark, Rock Island	3	Kym Vendygriss	Moline High School 3500 Avenue of the Cities Moline, IL 61265 309-843-8885 309-235-4080(H) 309-738-6443 (TDD) Tvandygr@molineschools.org	Rock Island	James Krauf	Janet Koch
				Kathanne Griffith	University of Illinois Div. of Specialize Care for Children 4711 44th Street - Ste 3 Rock Island, IL 61201 309-788-4200 kgriffi@uiuc.edu			
27	Southland	Cook	1	Kim Joachim	12756 South 30th Avenue Palos Park, IL 60464 708-381-8542 kimjoachim@spocalabel.net	Chicago Hgts.	Jeff Knox	Steve Bixer
28	Evergreen Park, Ford City, Chicago, Southside & Southwest Suburbs	Cook	1	Kim Pieczynski	DHS/DRS 7600 S Pulaski Rd Chicago, IL 60652 773-838-5745 Kim.Pieczynski@illinois.gov	Ford City	Kim Pieczynski	Kathy Kariewski
				Cindy Mayer	AERO 7630 South Mason Avenue Burbank, IL 60459 708-486-3330 708-486-3920(Fax) Cindy.Mayer@illinois.gov			
29	Oak Park, Proviso Township	Cook	1	Harry Ferrara	Loyden Area Special Education 10401 West Grand Avenue Franklin Park, IL 60101 847-453-0013 hferrara@azsd.org	Weschester	Edwin Nagron	

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30	Boone County	Boone	2	Jennifer Jacky	R.A.M.P. 530 South State Street - Ste. 103 Selvidere, IL 61038 815-644-6404 815-644-1898(Fax) jacky@ramail.org	Rockford VR	Mery Ann Scholten	Kathy Kariewski
31	DuPage County	DuPage	2	Connie Jenner	Glenbard South High School 23 West 200 Butterfield Road Clan Elyn, IL 60137 630-942-8849 630-466-6572(Fax) Connie_jenner@glenbard.org Connie_jenner@illinois.gov	Downer's Grove	Marilyn Lwanag	Kathy Kariewski
				Sara Talham	SASED 825 N. Cass Ave Ste 117 Westmont, IL 80556 630-230-6234 X 273 630-230-0057(Fax) staham@sased.org Sara.Talham@illinois.gov			
				Kristen Crainston	Parents Alliance Employment Project 2525 Cahal Drive - Ste. 502 Lisle, IL 60532 630-955-2030(Con) 630-955-2075(Direct)/630-665-2080(Fax) krinco@parents-alliance.org			
32	Lake County	Lake	2	Don Portzen	Allendale Association P. O. Box 1099 Lake Villa, IL 60048 847-356-2351(Con) 847-356-4420(Direct) 847-356-0260(Fax) DPortzen@allendain4kids.org	Waukegan	Greg Bette	Stephen Bialer
33	Gurnee, Northern Lake Suburb Special Ed. Dist.	Lake	2	Mary Beth DeFauw	NESSEF 730 Red Oak Lane Highland Park, IL 60035 847-831-6100x226 847-831-5106(Fax) mdefauw@nessef.org	Waukegan	Greg Bette	Stephen Bialer
34	S.E.S.I.	Cook (Chicago Northern Suburbs)	1	Nancy Otter	Maire/Niles 5701 West Dutton Street Schaumburg, IL 60077 847-626-2976 847-626-2976(Fax)	Hawthorn	William Rios	Stephen Bialer

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36	Mid-South	Williamson, Jefferson, Franklin, Perry, Jackson	5	Cathy Overlurf	1618 N. Main Benton, IL 618-436-4334 618-436-4742(Fax) Cathy.Overlurf@illinois.gov	Benton	Jean Cummins	Claire Smith
37	Kane	Kane	2	Jay Welsh	U-48 School District 1219 Sherwood Avenue Elgin, IL 60120 847-888-5379 847-888-5330(Fax) jay.welsh@u-48.org	Elgin	Robert Scanlan	Kathy Kariewski
				Patty Niemaszyk	U-48 School District 1219 Sherwood Avenue Elgin, IL 60120 847-888-5379 847-888-5330(Fax) pattyniemaszyk@u-48.org			
38	Montgomery/ Macoupin	Montgomery, Macoupin	4	Laura Snyder	Mid-State SPED 108 East Columbian Blvd. S Litchfield, IL 62556 217-558-9857(Cell) Laura.Snyder@midstatesped.org 203	Springfield	Martin Pereira	Susan Taylor
39	C.A.B.T	Chicago	1	Therese Mandarino	ICRE-Roosevelt 1950 West Roosevelt Road Chicago, IL 60608 312-433-3120 312-433-3101(Fax) Therese.Mandarino@illinois.gov 29	ICRE-Wood Mt. Airy	Pamela Clay- Wilson Deborah Norfleet	Stephen Boler
40	Western Regional	Fulton, McDonough	3, 4	Brian Devenport	DHS/DRS 1026 East Jackson Street Macomb, IL 61455 309-833-4579 309-833-5953(Fax) Brian.Devenport@illinois.gov	Macomb	Karen Engstrom	Janet Koch Susan Taylor
40				Jim Armstrong	WCISEC 130 South LaFayette - Ste 201 Macomb, IL 61455 309-837-2611 309-833-2367(Fax) Jim.armstrong@wcisec.org			

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				Jacki Madunic	jmadunic@ius.edu			
42	Christian Region	Taylorville, Paris, Morrisonville, Edinburg, Nokomis, South Forte	4	Courtney Williams	815 Springfield Road Taylorville, IL 62556 217-824-2268 217-824-3352(Fax) cwilliams@taylorvilleschools.com	Springfield	Merlin Pereira	Susan Taylor

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19	Will/Grundy	Will, Grundy	2	Will McDermott	Hopewell Career Academy 1352 North Cedar Road New Lenox, IL 60451 815-483-4884 wmcdermott@comcast.net	Joliet	Tammy Nemeth	Kathy Karlewski
20	Kankakee County	Kankakee	2	Penny Sylvester	Kankakee High School Pre-Voc. Coordinator 1201 West Jeffrey Street Kankakee, IL 60501 815-802-5605 Penny.Sylvester@kcsn111.org	Kankakee	Tammy Nemeth	Kathy Karlewski
21	McHenry County	McHenry	2	Cathy Christiansen Jasmine Bolton	SEDOM Special Education District 1200 Claussen Woodstock, IL 60098 815-338-7065 815-338-7550 (Fax) C.Christiansen100@aol.com SEDOM/SPED 1200 Claussen Woodstock, IL 60098 815-791-2545 815-338-7550 (Fax) jbolton@secomt.org	Elgin	Robert Scanlan	Janel Koch
22	LaSalle, Marshall, Bureau, Putnam	Bureau, Putnam, Marshall, LaSalle	3	Dawn Raabson Kristin Smith	L.E.A.S.E 1008 Boyce Memorial Drive Ottawa, IL 61350 815-433-6133 815-433-6164 (Fax) draabson@otawaspced.org BMP 525 Bureau Valley Parkway Princeton, IL 61350 815-875-2845	LaSalle	James Knaut	Janel Koch
23	Central, IL	Peoria, Woodford, Iazewell, Mason	3	Jim Simpkins	Community Workshop Training Center 3215 North University Peoria, IL 61604 309-686-3300 309-686-0316 (Fax) jms@cwetc.org	Peoria	Lizette Tripur	Janel Koch