

Results: Survey of Priority Items within R.S. 17:252 Model Master Plans

*Members were asked to designate 4 issues that they felt were the most relevant/urgent to be addressed by the Advisory Council.*

*Members were also asked to designate issues for which they would volunteer to serve on a Leadership Team: assisting the Chairperson with identifying best practices, local experts, available resources, and programming relevant to the subject area, and coordinating the discussion before the Advisory Council at a future meeting.*

1. Improving classroom management using positive behavioral supports and other effective disciplinary tools – 79%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Larry Gage; Michael Ortego; Joann Achord; Laci Polotzola; Michael Comeaux
2. Improving methods and procedures for the handling of school suspensions, the referral of students to alternative schools, and the use of seclusion and physical restraint in addressing challenging student behavior – 74%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Lakesha Beaucamp; Julie Comeaux; Brad Prudhomme
3. Providing improved mental health services in and through the schools – 68%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Prudence Spooner, Scott Richard
4. Providing better assistance to parents in knowing about and accessing family strengthening programs – 47%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Liz Gary, Shawn Fleming
5. Providing for better and more useful reporting on an annual basis of school behavior and disciplinary problems – 37%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Data Quality Review Committee appointees (Larry Gage, Shawn Fleming, Brad Prudhomme, Michael Ortego, Rob Schlicher)
6. Improving communication, coordination, and collaboration between the schools and juvenile justice agencies – 26%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Judge Stansbury, Anna Arkin-Gallagher
6. Improving safe school planning – 26%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Roy McCoy, Brad Prudhomme, State PTA Representative
6. Improving the coordination of special education and juvenile justice services – 26%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Anna Arkin-Gallagher
7. Revising zero tolerance policies to ensure compliance with all applicable provisions of law to ensure that schools do not make inappropriate referrals to juvenile justice agencies – 16%
  - a. *ACSBD Leadership Team*: Angela Reams-Brown, Shawn Fleming