

WYOMING DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS DIVISION
SPECIAL EDUCATION COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION

Complaint Case: C-025-24

Public Agency: Laramie County School District #1

Issues Investigated and Decision:

1. Whether the District provided the Student a FAPE pursuant to 34 C.F.R. §§ 300.17 and 300.101. Specifically, whether the District developed and implemented an IEP, including measurable annual goals, post-secondary goals, extended school year services and related services, that was reasonably calculated to result in educational benefit in light of the Student's unique education, consistent with 34 C.F.R. §§ 300.320 and 300.324.

WDE finds no violation. The District provided FAPE to the Student.

2. Whether the District complied with the IDEA's procedural requirements. Specifically,

- a. Whether the District provided services consistent with the Student's IEP, as required by 34 C.F.R. §§ 300.320 and 300.324.

WDE finds no violation. The District provided services in conformity with the IEP without material violations.

- b. Whether the District convened the Student's IEP team with all required members consistent with 34 C.F.R. § 300.321.

WDE finds the District in violation. No general education teachers were present at the IEP team meetings convened by the District.

- c. Whether the District provided the Parent the opportunity for meaningful participation in IEP team meetings by convening meetings without the classroom teacher or making unilateral changes to the Student's services consistent with 34 C.F.R. § 300.322.

WDE finds no violation. The District afforded the Parent a meaningful opportunity to participate in the IEP process.

- d. Whether the District provided access to the Student's educational records consistent with 34 C.F.R. § 300.613.

WDE finds no violation. The District met its obligation to permit the Parent to inspect and review educational records by providing copies as requested.

- e. Whether the District provided the Parent with prior written notice consistent with 34 C.F.R. § 300.503.

WDE finds no violation. The District provided PWN after each IEP team meeting and after each IEP amendment.

- f. Whether the District provided special education services through a highly qualified teacher or provider in conformity with 34 C.F.R. § 300.156.

WDE finds no violation. There is no support in the record that the paraprofessionals failed to meet the state's credentialing requirement.

The district is required to correct the identified violations via a corrective action plan. The WDE will monitor and document compliance with the corrective action order. Once all corrective action is complete, the WDE will close the case.