

**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
AND
MINISTRY OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES**

**Student Support Leadership
OVERVIEW**

PURPOSE

The purpose of this initiative is to develop leadership within and across school boards¹ and community agencies² to establish or enhance local partnerships that will better meet the needs of students through collaborative planning, coordination and referrals.

CONTEXT

The Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services have developed the Student Support Leadership initiative to support school boards and community agencies to meet the non-academic needs of students in a timely and effective manner. This initiative supports and is aligned with Ontario's Safe Schools Strategy, recommendations of the Working Table on Special Education and Ontario's policy framework for child and youth mental health.

On February 1, 2008 the amendments to the safe schools provisions of the *Education Act* passed in June 2007 came into effect. These amendments and related Policy/Program Memoranda (School Board Programs for Students on Long-Term Suspension, PPM 141, School Board Programs for Expelled Students, PPM 142, Bullying Prevention and Intervention, PPM 144, Progressive Discipline, PPM 145, and the Code of Conduct, PPM 128) more effectively combine discipline with opportunities for students to continue their education. To support these changes, school boards are being encouraged to form partnerships with community agencies to provide non-academic support to students that promotes positive student behaviour. These partnerships must respect collective agreements.

The government released *A Shared Responsibility: Ontario's Policy Framework for Child and Youth Mental Health* in November 2006. The Framework aims to foster collaboration among all child- and youth-serving sectors and the broader community who share responsibility for the healthy development of Ontario's children and youth. It supports collaborative partnerships that work to provide children, youth and their families with access to a flexible continuum of timely and appropriate services and supports within their own cultural, environmental and community context.

School boards and community agencies are being asked to work together in order to establish or enhance local partnerships in geographic clusters across the province. This is intended to better meet the needs of students through collaborative planning, coordination and referrals. Our ministries recognize that the needs of communities vary, as do the level of resources and services available. We understand that current partnerships between school boards and community

¹ School board(s) and boards include all school boards and school authorities.

² Community agencies include a range of community services, local organizations and programs.

agencies are at different stages of development and the establishment and/or enhancement of partnerships requires leadership and cooperation. Protocols between boards and community agencies should be in place to facilitate referral processes and the provision of services and support for students while respecting collective agreements. Where such protocols already exist, they should be reviewed to reflect the partnership's capacity to respond to the needs of the students.

FUNDING

As a part of the government's Safe Schools Strategy, multi-year funding of \$3 million per year for 3 years beginning in 2007-08 is being provided for the Student Support Leadership initiative.

WHY LEADERSHIP IS IMPORTANT

Research into school-based psychosocial support networks for students at risk demonstrates that:

- Broad-based, local coalitions among educational, social service and health systems and the voluntary sector (where applicable) can ensure effective coordinated service delivery for children, youth and families. Successful and sustainable coalitions build awareness and understanding among partners and across disciplines of each others' expertise, policies, philosophies and objectives.
- In effective models, team leadership, knowledge and understanding among partners and across disciplines help school staff and service partners understand each others' expertise, policies, philosophies and financial constraints.
- Effective service coalitions have all partners represented on steering and management groups, while fostering "joint ownership" at all levels. Prerequisites for sustainability include clear systems for planning, evaluation and review, where all partners and stakeholders contribute.

Leadership within and across school boards and community agencies will foster and guide partnership building in local communities by bringing people together to collaboratively plan and coordinate services that will effectively meet the needs of students in their communities. Through this leadership, local partners will be able to:

- Maximize local resources
- Share expertise
- Improve decision-making through effective planning mechanisms
- Establish or enhance referral mechanisms
- Increase access to appropriate services and supports for students and families
- Improve a student's and family's ability to understand, navigate and use the services and supports available to them.

The evaluation of the Ministry of Education's Model Projects for Promoting Positive Student Behaviour indicates that leadership is a critical requirement for developing collaborative partnerships between school boards, schools and community service providers.

MODEL

The Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services have identified twenty-nine geographic clusters of neighbouring school boards and coordinating community agencies to work together to provide collective leadership and champion the development of local partnerships to meet the needs of students through collaborative planning, coordination and referrals.

The number of members in each cluster will vary to reflect the appropriate representation from school boards and coordinating community agencies for that cluster. The coordinating community agencies will be responsible for representing all community agencies in their cluster and are encouraged to identify and invite other participants from community agencies who can help support the activities of this initiative (e.g. mental health agencies, public health units, etc.).

Cluster members will need to designate the following roles:

- **Lead school board** that will be responsible for the funding allocations.
- **Cluster leader** from either a school board and/or coordinating community agency/agencies that will be responsible for overseeing the work of the cluster.

Each cluster will receive funding to establish or enhance the leadership necessary to develop local partnerships and coordinate services between school boards and community agencies. For example, a cluster may choose to hire a person agreed to by all cluster members to coordinate these activities and engage with school boards and community agencies for the purposes of building effective local partnerships and collaborative planning of services.

It is important to note that the leadership activities undertaken by each cluster should build on, where possible, the existing planning infrastructures and community networks already in place.

Each cluster (through a lead board) will need to submit a multi-year plan based on a template that will be provided by the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services upon receipt of the cluster's Letter of Intent. This template will require that the following be addressed:

- How the school boards and agencies currently work together, including formal and informal linkages
- Identifying successful practices which benefit students and assets available in the cluster
- Issues and challenges of partnership building
- Approach to and activities for building effective and sustainable local partnerships in the cluster, including engagement strategy.

The plans will be reviewed by the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services for approval. The 2008-09 funding will be dependent on an approved plan and for subsequent funding, clusters will be required to demonstrate that they have made progress on their approved plans.

In order to identify and share promising practices the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services will work with the cluster leaders to coordinate the collection of information related to the establishment and/or enhancement of local partnerships to meet the needs of students through collaborative planning, coordination and referrals. This will allow all clusters to benefit from the work being done across the province.

REQUIREMENTS

Date

Deliverable

February 29, 2008

Letter of Intent submitted by the lead school board to the Ministry of Education. This letter must be signed by cluster members. (Transfer Payment Agreements will be sent out to the lead board the week of March 3, 2008).

March 20, 2008

Cluster members must return the signed the Transfer Payment Agreement to the Ministry of Education.

May 30, 2008

The cluster (through the lead school board) must submit a plan of action for years 1 (2007-08), 2 (2008-09) and 3 (2009-10) to the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services. These plans will be reviewed by the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services and, upon approval, a Transfer Payment Agreement for 2008-09 funding will be sent to the lead school board.

Spring 2008

Cluster members must sign and return the 2008-09 Transfer Payment Agreement to the Ministry of Education. Upon receipt and approval of the Transfer Payment Agreement, the Ministry of Education will flow funding for 2008-09 to the lead school board.

September 30, 2008

The cluster (through the lead school board) must submit a reporting template outlining how the money was spent to the Ministry of Education, as required in the Transfer Payment Agreement.

Spring 2009

The lead school board (on behalf of the cluster) must submit an updated plan of action for year 3 (2009-10) to the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services. These plans will be reviewed by the Ministries of Education and Children and Youth Services and, upon approval, a Transfer Payment Agreement for 2009-10 funding will be sent to the lead school board.

Cluster members must sign and return the 2009-10 Transfer Payment Agreement to the Ministry of Education. Upon receipt and approval of the Transfer Payment Agreement, the Ministry of Education will flow funding for 2009-10 to the lead school board.

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CLUSTER MEMBERS**

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Cluster #	School Board Name	School Board Contact Information	EDU Regional Office Contact Information	Community Agency Name	Community Agency Contact Information	MCYS PMD Regional Office Contact Information	MCYS YJSD Regional Office Contact Information
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21	Superior Greenstone DSB	Colleen Kappell Superintendent 807-229-0436 ext. 231 ckappel@sgdsb.on.ca	Thunder Bay Audrey James Education Officer 807-474-2989 audrey.james@ontario.ca	North of Superior Programs	Laurie Knutson Director 807-344-8595 (Thunder Bay) 807-887-2632 (Nipigon) laurie.knutson@nosp.on.ca	Northern Region Lynn Tessier Program Supervisor 705-564-8153 ext. 341 lynn.tessier@ontario.ca	Northern Region Ginette Henwood Program Supervisor 807-475-1307 ginette.henwood@ontario.ca
	Superior North CDSB	Ann Blake Superintendent 807-825-3209 ext. 34 ablake@sncdsb.on.ca					
	Northern District School Area Board	Fred Porter Supervisory Officer 807-475-6989 fporter@resourcenorth.com					
	Collins District School Area Board	Gib Taylor Supervisory Officer 807-344-3970 gibtaylor@shaw.ca					
	Caramat District School Area Board	Michael Lewis Supervisory Officer 807-597-3919 milewis@sympatico.ca					
	Nakina District School Area Board	Fred Porter Supervisory Officer 807-475-6989 fporter@resourcenorth.com					
22	Keewatin-Patricia DSB	Larry Hope Superintendent 807-468-5571 lhope@kpdsb.on.ca	Thunder Bay Audrey James Education Officer 807-474-2989	Lake of the Woods Child Development Centre	Barb Penner Executive Director 807-467-5437 bpenner@fnw.ca	Northern Region Lynn Tessier Program Supervisor 705-564-8153	Northern Region Ginette Henwood Program Supervisor 807-475-1307

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			audrey.james@ontario.ca			ext. 341 lynn.tessier@ontario.ca	ginette.henwood@ontario.ca
	Rainy River DSB	Heather Campbell Superintendent 807-274-9855 ext. 266 hcampbell@mail.rrdsb.com		Rainy River Child and Family Services	Vik Nowak Executive Director 807-274-7787 vnowak@facsrr.ca		
	Northwest CDSB	Al Cesiunas Superintendent 807-223-4663 ext. 33 acesiunas@ncdsb.on.ca					
	Kenora CDSB	Phyllis Eikre Superintendent 807-468-9851 peikre@kcdsb.on.ca					
	Atikokan Roman Catholic Separate School Board	Devona Crowe Supervisory Officer 807-624-6926 superior_edge@shaw.ca					
	Mine Centre District School Area Board	Michael Lewis Supervisory Officer 807-597-3919 mlewis@sympatico.ca					
	Upsala District School Area Board	Jacquie Dojack Supervisory Officer 807-344-3066 jdojack@tbaytel.net					
23	Lakehead DSB	Ian Sutherland Superintendent 807-625-5269 isutherland@Lakeheadschools.ca	Thunder Bay Audrey James Education Officer 807-474-2989 audrey.james@ontario.ca	Children's Centre Thunder Bay	Tom Walters Executive Director 807-343-5000 tomw@childrenscentre.ca	Northern Region Lynn Tessier Program Supervisor 705-564-8153 ext. 341 lynn.tessier@ontario.ca	Northern Region Ginette Henwood Program Supervisor 807-475-1307 ginette.henwood@ontario.ca
	Thunder Bay CDSB	Rob Kruse Superintendent 807-625-1590 rkruse@tbcdsb.on.ca		Dilico Anishinabek Family Centre	Donald Auger Executive Director 807-623-8511 DonaldAuger@Dilico.com		

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24.	Toronto DSB	Donna Quan System Superintendent 416-393-8933 donna.quan@tdsb.on.ca	Toronto Jacqueline Goh Education Officer 416-325-5031 jacqueline.goh@ontario.ca	East Metro Youth Services	Claire Fainer Executive Director 416-438-3697 ext. 232 cfainer@emys.on.ca	Toronto Region Debby Benton Program Supervisor 416-325-0635 debby.benton@ontario.ca	Central Region Matthew Hurd Program Supervisor 416-314-8491 matthew.hurd@ontario.ca
	Toronto CDSB	Paul Crawford Superintendent 416-222-8282 ext. 2732 paul.crawford@tcdsb.org					
	Bloorview MacMillan School Authority	Saryl Jacobson Principal/Director 416-424-3831 Saryl.jacobson@tdsb.on.ca					
25	Halton DSB	Odette Bartnicki Superintendent 905-842-3014 x 3319 bartnickio@hdsb.ca	Toronto Jacqueline Goh Education Officer 416-325-5031 jacqueline.goh@ontario.ca	Reach Out for Kids (R.O.C.K.)	Ron Rogers Executive Director 905-634-2347 ronr@hcys.ca	Central West Region Kris Lombardi Program Supervisor 905-567-7177 ext. 238 kristina.lombardi@ontario.ca	Central Region Matthew Hurd Program Supervisor 416-314-8491 matthew.hurd@ontario.ca
	Halton CDSB	John Langill Assistant Superintendent 905-632-6300 ext. 183 langilli@hcdsb.org					
26	Peel DSB	Lynn Hiebert Superintendent 905-890-1099 ext. 2635 lynn.hiebert@peelsb.com	Toronto Jacqueline Goh Education Officer 416-325-5031 jacqueline.goh@ontario.ca	Associated Youth Services of Peel	Kelly Henderson Executive Director 905-890-5222 khenderson@aysp.ca	Central West Region Sandra Frampton Program Supervisor 905-567-7177 ext. 237 sandra.frampton@ontario.ca	Central Region Matthew Hurd Program Supervisor 416-314-8491 matthew.hurd@ontario.ca
	Upper Grand DSB	Erin Kelly Superintendent 519-822-4420 ext. 740 erin.kelly@uqdsb.on.ca					
	Dufferine Peel CDSB	Michael Prospero Superintendent 905-890-0708 ext. 24001 michael.prospiero@dpcdsb.org					

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	Wellington CDSB	Dom DiBartolomeo Superintendent 519-821-4640 ext. 243 ddibartolomeo@wellingtoncssb.edu.on.ca					
27	Conseil scolaire de district du Grand Nord de l'Ontario	Alain Gelinas Business Manager 705-671-1533 gelinaa@gno.edu.on.ca	Sudbury/North Bay Fernand Crepeau Education Officer (705) 497-6898 fernand.crepeau@ontario.ca	Child and Family Centre	Sue Nicholson Executive Director 705-525-1008 snicholson@childandfamilycentre.on.ca	Northern Region Lynn Tessier Program Supervisor 705-564-8153 ext. 341 lynn.tessier@ontario.ca	Northern Region Denis Noel Program Supervisor 705-235-1984 denis.noel@ontario.ca Northern Region Ginette Henwood Program Supervisor 807-475-1307 ginette.henwood@ontario.ca
	Conseil des écoles séparées catholiques de Dubreuilville	Marc Dionne Supervisory Officer 705-671-6244 dionnem@sympatico.ca		Children's Centre Thunder Bay	Tom Walters Executive Director 807-343-5000 tomw@childrenscentre.ca		
	Conseil des écoles séparées catholiques de Foleyet	Marc Dionne Supervisory Officer 705-671-6244 dionnem@sympatico.ca		Algoma Family Services	Dr. Lynn McKenzie Executive Director 705-945-5050 afs@algomafamilyservices.org		
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique des Aurores boréales	Sylvianne Mauro Director of Education 807-344-2266 smauro@csdcab.on.ca		North of Superior Programs	Laurie Knutson Director 807-344-8595 (Thunder Bay) 807-887-2632 (Nipigon) laurie.knutson@nosp.on.ca		

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	Conseil scolaire de district du Nord-Est de l'Ontario	Denis Boyer Manager of Finance 705-472-3443 ext. 226 boyerd@csdne.edu.on.ca		Patricia Centre for Children and Youth	Janet Paterson Executive Director (Acting) 807-223-8550 jpaterson@kidsmatter.info		
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique des Grandes Rivières	Jérémie Lepage Superintendent 705-335-6091 lepageje@cscdgr.on.ca		Child and Family Services of Timmins and District	Richard Lambert-Bélanger Executive Director 705-360-7100 Richard.labertbelanger@timmonschildfamily.org	North East Region Heather Lacey Program Supervisor 705-235-1714 heather.lacey2@ontario.ca	
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique de Nouvel Ontario	Lise Chretien-Gardner Superintendent 705-673-5626 ext. 297 lise.chretien-gardner@nouvelon.ca		Services Familiaux Jeanne Sauvé Family Services	Lynn Bérubé Executive Director 705-335-2445 lynn.berube@jsfs.org	North East Region Kelly Wakeford Program Supervisor 705-235-1775 kelly.wakeford@ontario.ca	
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique Franco-Nord	Cynthia Roveda Superintendent 705-472-1701 ext. 232 rovedac@franco-nord.ca		Services a l'enfance et a la famille du Timiskaming Child and Family Services	John Raymond Executive Director 705-567-9201 John.Raymond@tcafs.org	North East Region Diana Wanner Program Supervisor 705-474-3540 ext. 231 diana.wanner@ontario.ca	
	Gogama RCSS Board	Rudy Vallee Supervisory Officer 705-566-2556 rvallee93@sympatico.ca		Algonquin Child and Family Services	Jeffrey Hawkins Executive Director 705-146-4293 jhawkins@acfs.on.ca	North East Region Jeanette Belanger Program Supervisor 705-474-3540 ext. 234 jeannette.belanger@ontario.ca	
	Hornepayne RCSS Board	Armand Malette Supervisory Officer 807-868-2010 lamalette@personainternet.com					

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	Moosonee RCSSB	Diane Lozier Supervisory Officer 705-897-3145 lozierdl@gno.edu.on.ca					
	Red Lake Area CRCSSB	Joanne Debham Superintendent of Education 807-683-1564 esprit@tbaytel.net					
28	Conseil scolaire de district du Centre Sud-Ouest	Brigitte Bergeron Superintendent 905-637-0394 bergeronb@csdcso.on.ca	Toronto Nancy Gilbert Education Officer 416-325-2633 nancy.gilbert@ontario.ca	Centre Francophone de Toronto	Jean-Gilles Pelletier Executive Director 416-922-2672 ext. 248 jeangilles@centrefranco.org	Toronto Region Francine Umulisa Program Supervisor 416-325-0593 francine.umulisa@ontario.ca	Central Region Matthew Hurd Program Supervisor 416-314-8491 matthew.hurd@ontario.ca
	Conseil scolaire de district des écoles catholiques du Sud-Ouest	Paul Levac Superintendent 519-673-1035 levapaul@csdecso.on.ca		Kinark Child and Family Services	Michelle Cassidy Project Manager 416-319-0405 michelle.cassidy@kinark.on.ca	Central East Region Danette Blue Program Supervisor 905-868-8900 ext. 5405 danette.blue@ontario.ca	
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique Centre-Sud	Michel St-Amant Superintendent 416-397-6564 ext. 3125 mst-amant@csdccc.edu.on.ca		Peel Children's Centre	Linda Lee-Berkowitz Manager of Clinical Services 905-795-3513 lberkowitz@peelcc.org	Central West Region Sandra Frampton Program Supervisor 905-567-7177 ext. 237 sandra.frampton@ontario.ca	
29	Conseil scolaire de district de l'Est de	Rejean Siros Superintendant	Ottawa	L'Équipe Psycho-Sociale	Denise Therriault Executive Director	Eastern Region	Eastern Region

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	l'Ontario	613-742-8069 ext. 3803 rejean.sirois@cepeo.on.ca	Jill Bennett Education Officer 613- 225-9210 ext. 115 jill.bennett@ontario.ca		613-938-7112 dtherriault@bellnet.ca	Lucy Bender Program Supervisor 613-787-3968 lucy.bender@ontario.ca	Lesley Benderavage Program Supervisor 613-536-7348 Lesley.benderavage@ontario.ca
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien	Celine Cadieux Superintendant 613-675-4691 ext. 206 cadice@csdceo.on.ca	and Maurice Glaude 613-225-9210 ext. 154 maurice.glaude@ontario.ca				
	Conseil scolaire de district catholique de Centre-Est de l'Ontario	Bernard Roy Superintendant 613-746-3611 royb@ceclf.edu.on.ca		Pathways for Children and Youth	Joanne Maltby Executive Director 613-546-8535 ext. 229 jmaltby@pathwayschil.drenyouth.org	South East Region Linda Murray Program Supervisor 613-536-7322 linda.murray2@ontario.ca	

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**Student Support Leadership
ANNUAL FUNDING ALLOCATIONS**

Cluster #	Cluster Partners		Annual Allocation
	School Board	Community Agency(ies)	
1	Bluewater DSD Bruce-Grey CDSB	Keystone Child, Youth and Family Services	\$71,500
2	Durham DSB Durham CDSB Campbell Children's School Authority	Whitby Mental Health Centre	\$112,689
3	York Region DSB York CDSB	Kinark Child and Family Services (COMPASS programme)	\$158,865
4	Kawartha Pine Ridge DSB Trillium Lakeland DSB Simcoe County DSB Peterborough Victoria Northumberland & Clarington CDSB Simcoe Muskoka CDSB Penetanguishene Protestant Separate School Board Parry Sound Roman Catholic Separate	Five Counties Children's Centre (Peterborough) New Path Youth and Family Counselling Services of Simcoe County (Simcoe) Family, Youth and Child Services of Muskoka Algonquin Child and Family Services	\$170,826
5	Avon Maitland DSB Huron Perth CDSB	Huron Perth Centre for Children and Youth	\$68,611
6	Greater Essex DSB Windsor-Essex CDSB John McGivney Children's Centre School Authority	Windsor Regional Children's Centre	\$97,912
7	Thames Valley DSB London CDSB (English Language CDSB #38)	Craigwood Youth Services [London/Middlesex] Child and Family Counselling Centre – Elgin Oxford Child and Youth Centre	\$123,458
8	Lambton Kent DSB St. Clair CDSB	St. Clair Child & Youth Centre Chatham Kent Children's Services	\$79,910
9	District School Board of Niagara Niagara CDSB Niagara Peninsula SA	Niagara Child and Youth Services Contact Niagara	\$95,434
10	Hamilton Wentworth DSB Hamilton Wentworth CDSB	Child and Adolescent Services Contact Hamilton	\$104,997

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	School Board	Community Agency(ies)	
11	Waterloo Region DSB Waterloo CDSB The KidsAbility Education Authority	Lutherwood	\$105,148
12	Grand Erie DSB Brant Haldimand-Norfolk CDSB	St. Leonards Community Services Haldimand-Norfolk R.E.A.C.H. Contact Brant	\$79,775
13	Algoma DSB Huron Superior CDSB Hornepayne Roman Catholic Separate School Board Missarenda District School Area Board	Algoma Family Services	\$72,519
14	District School Board Ontario North East Northeastern CDSB Moosonee District School Area Board Moose Factory Island District School Area Board James Bay Lowlands Secondary School Board Gogama District School Area Board Foleyet District School Area Board Asquith-Garvey District School Area Board	Payukotayno: James and Hudson Bay Family Services Child and Family Services of Timmins and District Services Familiaux Jeanne Sauvé Family Services Services a l'enfance et a la famille du Timiskaming Child and Family Services	\$67,316
15	Near North DSB Nipissing Parry Sound CDSB	Algonquin Child and Family Services Family, Youth and Child Services of Muskoka	\$65,333
16	Rainbow DSB Sudbury CDSB	Child and Family Centre	\$71,085
17	Upper Canada DSB Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario	Cornwall Community Hospital Open Doors for Children and Youth Family and Children's Services of Leeds and Grenville	\$94,705
18	Ottawa Carlton DSB Ottawa Carlton CDSB Ottawa Children's Treatment Centre School Authority	Crossroads Children's Centre	\$126,548
19	Renfrew County DSB Renfrew County CDSB Airy and Sabine District School Area Board Murchison and Lyell District School Area Board	Phoenix Centre for Children and Families	\$65,119
20	Hastings and Prince Edward DSB Limestone DSB Algonquin and Lakeshore CDSB	Children's Mental Health, Hastings Prince Edward Pathways for Children and Youth	\$94,535

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	School Board	Community Agency(ies)	
21	Superior Greenstone DSB Superior North CDSB Northern District School Area Board Collins District School Area Board Caramat District School Area Board Nakina District School Area Board	North of Superior Programs	\$55,929
22	Keewatin-Patricia DSB Rainy River DSB Northwest CDSB Kenora CDSB Atikokan Roman Catholic Separate School Board Mine Centre District School Area Board Upsala District School Area Board	Lake of the Woods Child Development Centre Rainy River Child and Family Services	\$66,963
23	Lakehead DSB Thunder Bay CDSB	Children's Centre Thunder Bay Dilico Anishinabek Family Centre	\$64,207
24	Toronto DSB Toronto CDSB Bloorview MacMillan School Authority	East Metro Youth Services	\$301,457
25	Halton DSB Halton CDSB	Reach Out for Kids (R.O.C.K.)	\$99,626
26	Peel DSB Dufferine Peel CDSB Upper Grand DSB Wellington CDSB	Associated Youth Services of Peel Trellis Mental Health and Developmental Services	\$237,208
27	Conseil scolaire de district du Grand Nord de l'Ontario Conseil des écoles séparées catholiques de Dubreuilville Conseil des écoles séparées catholiques de Foleyet Conseil scolaire de district catholique des Aurores boréales Conseil scolaire de district du Nord-Est de l'Ontario Conseil scolaire de district catholique des Grandes Rivières Conseil scolaire de district catholique de Nouvel-Ontario Conseil scolaire de district catholique Franco-Nord Moosonee Roman Catholic Separate School Board Gogama Roman Catholic Separate School Board Hornepayne Roman Catholic Separate School Board Red Lake Area Combined Roman Catholic Separate School Board	Child and Family Centre Children's Centre Thunder Bay Algoma Family Services North of Superior Programs Patricia Centre for Children and Youth Child and Family Services of Timmins and District Services Familiaux Jeanne Sauvé Family Services Services a l'enfance et a la famille du Timiskaming Child and Family Services Algonquin Child and Family Services	\$85,350

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	School Board	Community Agency(ies)	
28	Conseil scolaire de district du Centre Sud-Ouest Conseil scolaire de district des écoles catholiques du Sud-Ouest Conseil scolaire de district catholique Centre-Sud	Centre Francophone de Toronto Kinark Child and Family Services Peel Children's Centre	\$76,486
29	Conseil scolaire de district de l'Est de l'Ontario Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien Conseil scolaire de district catholique de Centre-Est de l'Ontario	L'Équipe Psycho-Sociale Pathways for Children and Youth	\$86,516

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**Student Support Leadership
LETTER OF INTENT**

The cluster members identified in this Letter of Intent agree to participate in the Student Support Leadership Initiative. Cluster members are encouraged to use the contact information provided in Appendix B to contact each other in order to meet and discuss this initiative and determine the lead board and cluster leader.

Members of each cluster who will partner on this initiative must sign this Letter of Intent and agree to work together in order to receive the funding as indicated in Appendix C. This collective leadership will support building or enhancing partnerships between school boards and community agencies that will enable local partners to:

- maximize local resources
- share expertise
- improve decision-making through collaborative planning mechanisms
- establish and/or enhance referral mechanisms
- increase access to services and supports for students and families
- improve a student's and family's ability to understand, navigate and use the services and supports available to them.

The lead school board is responsible for sending the Letter of Intent signed by cluster members to:

Glenn Court
Senior Policy Advisor
Policy and Program Branch
Ministry of Education
15th Floor, Mowat Block
Toronto, ON
M7A 1L2

Section I – Lead Board

- Indicate the name and contact information for the lead school board that will be responsible for receiving the funding allocations.

Name of Lead Board	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
Address	_____

_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

Section II – Cluster Leader

- Indicate the name and contact information for the designated cluster leader that will be responsible for overseeing the work of the cluster.

Name of Cluster Leader	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
Address	_____

_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

Section III – School Board Cluster Members

- List below the name and contact for the school boards that will be participating in the cluster.

Name of School Board _____
Contact Name/Title _____

Signature _____ *Date* _____

Name of School Board _____
Contact Name/Title _____

Signature _____ *Date* _____

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Signature _____ *Date* _____

*On a separate sheet list the name and contact information for any additional school boards in the cluster.

Section IV – Coordinating Community Agency Cluster Members Information

- List below the name and contact information for the coordinating community agency(ies) that will be responsible for representing all community agencies in the cluster.

Name of Community Agency _____
Contact Name/Title _____

Signature _____ *Date* _____

Name of Community Agency _____
Contact Name/Title _____

Signature _____ *Date* _____

Name of Community Agency _____
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Contact Name/Title _____

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*On a separate sheet list the name and contact information for any additional community agencies in the cluster.

Section V – Other Cluster Members Information

- List below the name and contact information for other community agencies who can help support the activities of this initiative (e.g. mental health agencies, public health units, etc.).

Name of Organization	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

Name of Organization	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

Name of Organization	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

Name of Organization	_____
Contact Name/Title	_____
_____	_____
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

*On a separate sheet list the name and contact information for any additional members of the cluster.

