



Advisory Committee  
Membership List

**1. State Educational Agency-** New Jersey Department of Education

Representative: Damian Petino or Assistant Commissioner Kathleen Ehling

**2. Local Educational Agency (Central)-** Lakehurst (Small)

Representative:

**3. Location Education Agency (North)-** Newark Public Schools (Large)

Representative: Marilyn J. Mitchell

**4. Local Education Agency (South)-** Pemberton (Medium)

Representative:

**5. Business Community Representation-** New Jersey Chamber of Commerce  
Foundation

Representative: Donna Custard, President

**6. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** Garden State  
Coalition of Schools

Representative: Elisabeth Ginsburg, Executive Director

**7. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** New Jersey Alliance for Immigrant Justice

Representative: Amy Torres, Executive Director

**8. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** New Jersey Education Association

Representative: Sean Spiller, President

**9. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** New Jersey PTA

Representative: Sharon Roseboro, President

**10. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** New Jersey State Conference of NAACP

Representative: Richard Smith, President

**11. Experts in Improving Services for Disadvantaged Students-** NJ Principals and Supervisors Association

Representative: Fidelia Sturdivant

**12. Partner Agency-** Book Smart

Representative: Dr. Jamie Zibulsky

**13. Partner Agency-** Paterson Education Fund

Representative: Rosie Grant, Executive Director

**14. Partner Agency-** SEL4New Jersey

Representative: Ms. Liz Hansen (Warner)

**15. State Agency-** New Jersey Department of Children and Families

Representative: Commissioner Christine Norbut Beyer

**16. State Agency-** New Jersey Department of Human Services

Representative: Rita Koromi, Office of Childcare, Division of Family Development

**17.State Agency-** New Jersey Department of Health

Representative:

**18.Parent**

Representative: Berenice Adibi

Town of Residence: Newfield

**19.Parent**

Representative: Sheena Bethea

Town of Residence: Atlantic City

**20.Parent**

Representative: Alexander Bland

Town of Residence: Woodbine

**21.Parent**

Representative: Mushana K. Dunham

Town of Residence: East Orange

**22.Parent**

Representative: Patti Franchino

Town of Residence: Roseland

**23.Parent**

Representative: Phoebe Glassner-Meade

Town of Residence: Milltown

**24.Parent**

Representative: Laressa Herman

Town of Residence: Kenilworth

**25.Parent**

Representative: Indumati Iyer  
Town of Residence: Plainsboro

**26.Parent**

Representative: Courney Kalista  
Town of Residence: Vineland

**27.Parent**

Representative: Katiana Lee  
Town of Residence: Washington Township

**28.Parent**

Representative: Safiyyah Amina Muhammad  
Town of Residence: East Orange

**29.Parent**

Representative: Erica Napolitano  
Town of Residence: Little Egg Harbor

**30.Parent**

Representative: Ileana Neagu Fritschie  
Town of Residence: Morristown

**31.Parent**

Representative: Jannet Parra  
Town of Residence: Roseland

**32.Parent**

Representative: Khaya Peluso  
Town of Residence: Chatham

**33.Parent**

Representative: Eva Raqui  
Town of Residence: Passaic

**34.Parent**

Representative: Rupashree Ray  
Town of Residence: East Brunswick

**35.Parent**

Representative: Christine Schiavetti  
Town of Residence:

**36.Parent**

Representative: Joy Voytko  
Town of Residence: Monroe Township