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To: Local Educational Agency Leads

Route To: Data Coordinators, Directors of Technology, NJSLEDS Student and Special Education

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Extension Of Submission Deadlines for Student Management and Special Education Collections

The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is extending the submission deadlines for two current data collections in the New Jersey Statewide Longitudinal Education Data System (NJSLEDS) as follows:

• Student Management Submission - Fall Snapshot

o Original Close Date: October 15, 2025, 5:00 PM

New Close Date: October 29, 2025, 5:00 PM

As of Date: Remains October 15, 2025

• Special Education Submission - Official Period

o Original Window: October 17, 2025 - November 17, 2025

New Window: October 31, 2025 - December 1, 2025

As of Date: Remains October 15, 2025

This extension is being provided to allow districts additional time to complete submissions accurately while addressing system access, data validation, and reporting challenges. The NJDOE remains committed to supporting districts in the transition to NJSLEDS while ensuring high-quality statewide reporting.

This extension only applies to the Student Management and Special Education submissions. All other submission deadlines remain unchanged.

Action Required

- LEAs should update their internal timelines to reflect the revised submission windows.
- Districts are encouraged to submit as early as possible within the revised windows to allow sufficient time for resolving any validation errors.
- Please note that all data must still be reported as of October 15, 2025.

For additional guidance, please review the updated submission schedule posted in the <u>NJSLEDS</u> <u>News and Announcements</u> page and the <u>NJSLEDS Submission Calendar</u>.

The NJDOE appreciates your partnership and ongoing efforts to ensure accurate and timely reporting.

Contact Information

For any additional questions or inquiries, please contact the NJSLEDS team at NJSLEDS@doe.nj.gov.

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