



APPLICATION FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

In order to provide high quality technical assistance that contributes to state capacity and sustainability, NCCRESt will accept applications on an open ended basis, beginning August 1, 2006 for specific and individualized technical assistance. The technical assistance requested can be short or long term, and can focus on a variety of activities, including document review, strategic planning, improvement plan development, data analysis and review, professional development and training, curriculum review, evaluation and research activities, or other technical assistance that builds the capacity of the state to eliminate disproportionality and develop culturally responsive educational systems.

Initial applications will be reviewed within two weeks of receipt, and a phone conference scheduled to discuss the application, timelines, outcomes, and costs.

To submit an application for technical assistance, please complete the following information and return to:

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- We will not accept applications that are more than 20 pages total, including appendices.
- All applications must be 12 point font, 1 inch margins.
- Electronic applications are preferred.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Include name, organization, title, mailing address, phone, and email for primary contact.

DESCRIPTION OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE REQUESTED

Describe, in detail, the services requested. Explain how the technical assistance requested fits into your overall state performance plan, the role of NCCRESt, the State, and any other partners.

PARTICIPANTS

Provide a description of the planning/work team, stakeholder groups, and intended audience for the technical assistance activities.

RESOURCES NEEDED

Include a timeline for proposed activities and a detailed description of resources needed, including personnel and fiscal resources. NCCRESt will not provide funds directly to states, but may provide funding to cover travel expenses, meeting expenses, or materials. Indicate the funding the state will contribute to the proposed activities.

INTENDED OUTCOMES

List outcomes related to the activities described above. Discuss how the requested technical assistance will contribute to systemic reform, build capacity, be sustainable, and be evaluated.