

COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT ELEVEN
Dr. Michael J. Thomas, Superintendent
Phoebe Bailey, Assistant Superintendent – Personnel Support Services

**District Accountability Committee
Full DAC Committee Meeting**

October 15, 2020

WebEx

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6:00 – 8:00pm

1. Welcome/Introductions– Velvet Stepanek, DAC Chair– 5 minutes
2. Good Things – Stacy Brisben – Work with Internet Access for all students – 10 minutes
3. MTSS Overview & Update – Jennifer Schulte/Sonia Urban – 30 minutes
4. Charter School Application Subcommittee Update – Velvet Stepanek – 15 minutes
5. Accreditation Subcommittee Report – Jane Tucker – 5 minutes
6. Budget Subcommittee Report – Michael Reyes – 5 minutes
7. Training & SAC Support Subcommittee Report – Lyman Kaiser – 10 minutes
8. Discussion – Velvet Stepanek – 20 minutes
9. Future Agenda Items & Closing Remarks – Velvet Stepanek – 5 minutes

T & SS meetings, November 10, December 1, January 5, February 2, March 2,

April 6, May 4, via WebEx or Volunteer Services Conference Room if in person

SAC Training, November 5, January 28, April 8, via WebEx or Tesla if in person

DAC meetings, October 15, November 19, January 21, February 18, March 18, April 15, May 13, via WebEx or Tesla if in person



District 11 MTSS Framework and Guidebook 1.0

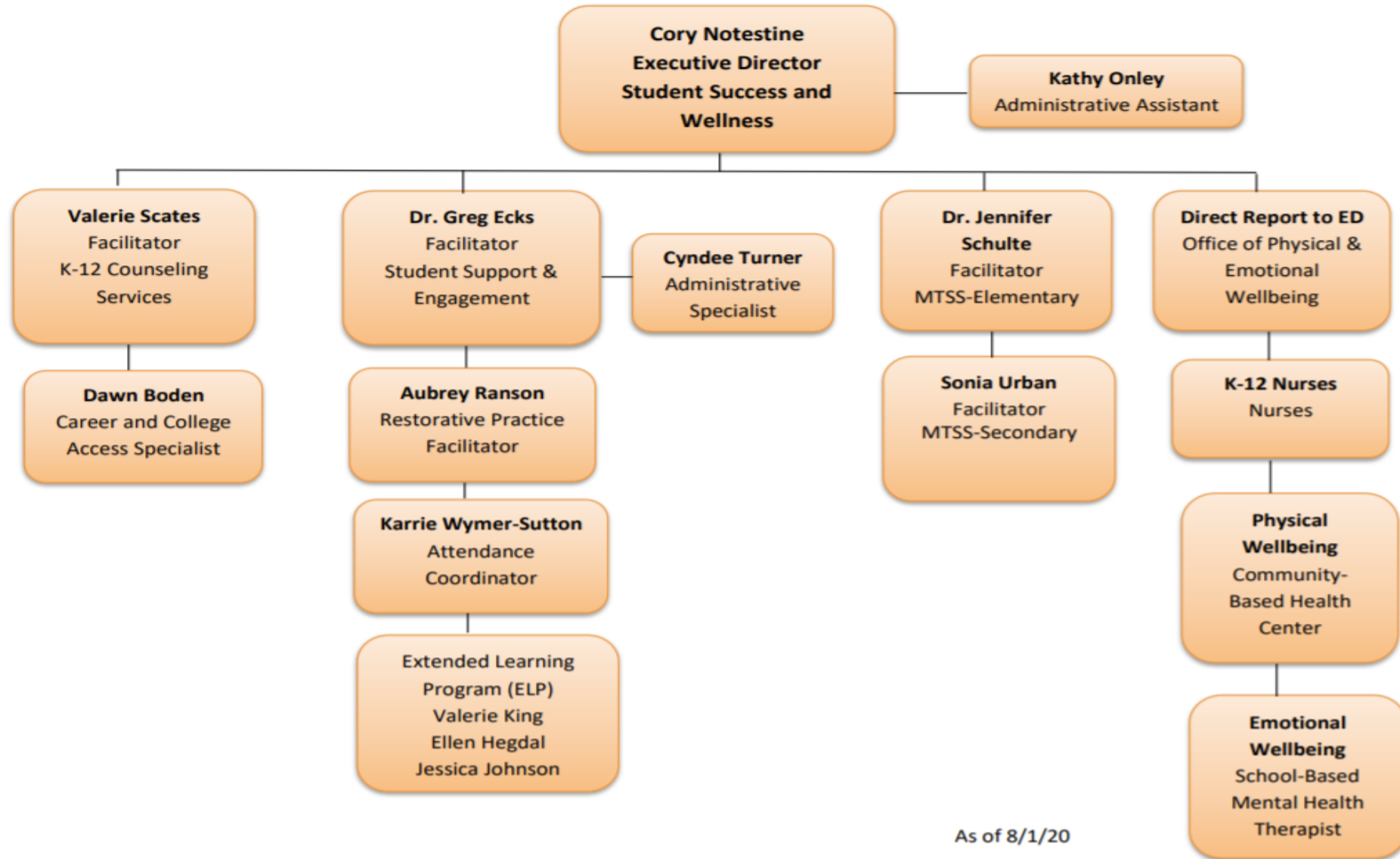
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Jennifer Schulte, Ph.D. & Sonia Urban, LCSW

October 15, 2020



Student Success and Wellness



As of 8/1/20

MTSS Collaborative Team

Purpose: The MTSS Collaborative Team aims to serve schools through a layered continuum of evidence-based practices to empower educators, families, and communities to meet the needs of the whole student.

- Dr. Jennifer Schulte
 - MTSS Facilitator – Elementary
- Sonia Urban
 - MTSS Facilitator – Secondary
- Phillip Hutcherson
 - K-8 Math and Science Instruction Specialist
- Nancy Maresh-Melo
 - Special Education Facilitator
- Cory Notestine
 - Student Success and Wellness Executive Director
- Aubrey Ranson
 - Restorative Practices Facilitator
- Valerie Scates
 - Counseling Services Facilitator
- Maria Wilcox
 - Behavior Interventionist

MTSS Guidebook 1.0

[Walkthrough](#)

MTSS Rollout 2.0

2020-2021 MTSS Rollout 2.0 MTSS Framework and Guidebook Focus

All 53 District 11 Schools	Training Dates
<p>ALREADY TRAINED: 16 Schools</p> <p>EASI Grant Exploration Schools (2019)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fremont• McAuliffe• King <p>CSSM Cohort 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adams• Edison• Fremont• Penrose• Rogers• West ES <p>CSSM Cohort 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Audubon• Bristol• Freedom• Monroe• Stratton• Wilson <p>MTSS Grant (SPDG) Partner Schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Audubon• West MS• Palmer HS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trained Building Leadership Team (BLT) members<ul style="list-style-type: none">• February 10-11, 2020• In-Person @ Tesla Professional Learning Center• After initial training, the request was for BLT members to train their whole staff<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Not sure if this occurred last year due to COVID• MTSS Office will follow-up with schools regarding this request

MTSS Rollout 2.0 continued

- Currently working with the Executive Directors of School Leadership to finalize plan.
- More to come.

MTSS Policy Revision

- Met with District 11 Policy Committee on October 2, 2020
 - Committee voted to move policy forward
- Scheduled as a District 11 Board non-action item on October 28, 2020

Thank you!

What questions do you have?



INVENTA ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL REVIEW

District Accountability Committee

Overview

- Inventa Academy, a pre-K-8 school
- Wants to serve at least 50% Hispanic families, expects to enroll 80% Free & Reduced Lunch
- Possible locations: 2520 Airport Rd (80910), 4060 E. Bijou St.(80909), or 4455 Arrowswest Dr. (80907)
- Academic Plan includes Expeditionary Learning, Project Based Learning, and Dual Language Immersion (English-Spanish)
- Emphasis on Social Emotional Wellness – Comer Child Development Program
- Will start 2021-22 with pre-K–4th then grow one grade per year to reach K-8 by 2025-26
- Class sizes capped at 22 students, 2 classes per grade level

DAC Recommendations

- The District Accountability Committee (DAC) can recommend one of the following options to the Board of Education:
 - Approve
 - Approve with conditions
 - Refer to Charter School Institute (CSI)

DAC Charter School Review Process

- Six member DAC Subcommittee
 - Two parents
 - One community member
 - One D11 principal
 - One charter school teacher
 - One D11 teacher
- Independent DAC review and assessment
- Careful review of Inventa Charter School Application
- Use Charter School Rubric to guide the evaluation
- Examination of video interview of Inventa Charter School
- Review of applicable Colorado State Statutes and D11 policy
- DAC concurrence with subcommittee recommendation

Highlights of Subcommittee Review

- Educational Program
 - No COVID plan or online learning plan
 - Core curriculum not well defined
 - No proposed calendar or schedule
 - Heavy reliance on outside experts
- Evidence of support
 - Low number of commitments of students to attend school – 32 students
 - Strong community support
- Location
 - Facility unknown – concern one of the facility choices harder to reach target population
- Budget
 - Field trip cost
 - Student fee – will target population be able to afford?
 - Comer Child Development program expensive

DAC Plan

- DAC subcommittee will finish evaluation of application
- Receive DAC concurrence
 - Concurrence will be done via email
- Timeline
 - October 15: DAC Meeting – Presentation to DAC
 - October 28: DAC Subcommittee final report
 - November 4: Complete report and recommended decision forwarded to the Board of Education (BOE)
 - November 18: Non-Action Agenda Item for BOE
 - November 19: DAC Meeting – Discuss complete report and any BOE comments
 - Dec 9: Action Item for BOE