

## 2013-2014 FSCP Network

This tenth edition of the *Bulletin* is sent to the **Family, School, and Community Partnering (FSCP) Support Network** from the Office of Learning Supports and the Exceptional Student Services Unit. You are receiving this *Bulletin* if you have expressed an interest in family, school, and community partnering through one of the following connections:

- You have participated in a training opportunity on family partnering (online course or face-to-face training).
- You are a recipient of a Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) Implementation Grant.
- You are a member of the State Advisory Council on Parent Involvement in Education (SACPIE).
- You are an identified contact for a higher education educator training program.
- You have requested to be in the Network.

### **New Video and Fact Sheet: Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) and Family, School, and Community Partnering (FSCP)**

CDE's Office of Learning Supports recently posted two new resources for educators, community agencies, and families that integrate research-based National Standards and practices with the Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) framework. These are: (1) a video spotlighting Colorado principals from across the state and (2) a summary Fact Sheet which messages key partnering actions throughout the tiers. Access at: <http://www.cde.state.co.us/mtss/resources>.

### **Family Partnership Promising Practices Training Materials Are Now Available!** Check them out at: <http://www.cde.state.co.us/uiip/trainingmaterials>.

Over 450 district, school, and parent leaders attended the recent Family Engagement Promising Practice trainings. The purpose of the trainings was to help schools and districts implement comprehensive, sustainable partnership structures for student success. The **four** components of this structure are:

- The Framework of the National Family-School Partnership Standards
- Distributed Leadership
- Action Planning
- Evaluation

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### **Parent Representative Vacancies on the State Advisory Council for Parent Involvement in Education (SACPIE)**

SACPIE is announcing two Council vacancies for *Parents Who are Members of School or District Accountability Committees (SACs or DACs)*. Applications are available on the SACPIE website: <http://www.cde.state.co.us/SACPIE/>. The deadline to apply is **May 31, 2014**. More information about the positions and SACPIE can be found via the same link.

### **U.S. Department of Education Released New Framework on Partners in Education: *The Dual Capacity-Building Framework for Family-School Partnerships***

On April 8, 2014, a new FSCP guidance document became available to stakeholders. The focus is on supporting the shared learning and growth of *all adults* who together educate our children – educators and families. The document and supporting materials are available at: <http://www.ed.gov/family-and-community-engagement>.

*Feel free to share this information with others who might be interested.*

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