



## Critical Fact Sheet

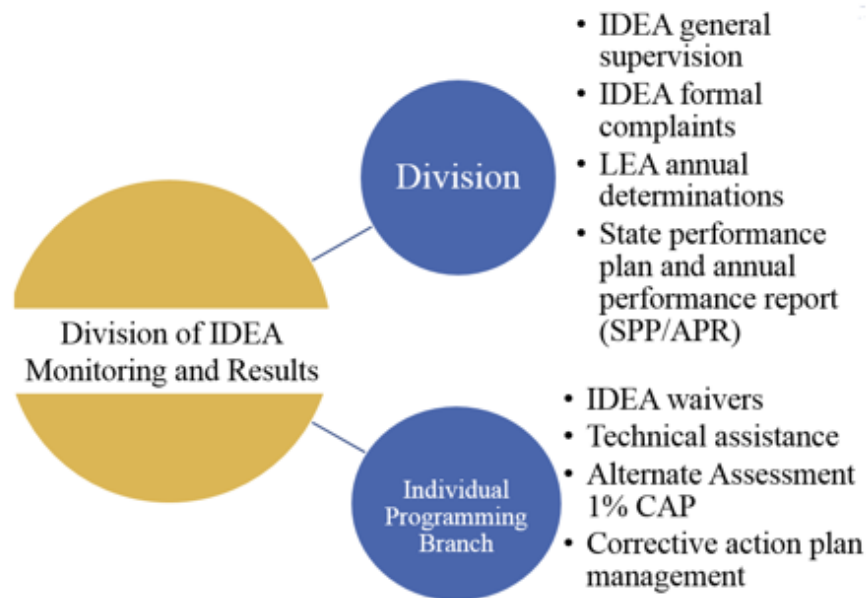
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### **Division of IDEA Monitoring and Results**

#### **Overview/Background:**

The Division of IDEA Monitoring and Results (DIMR) is focused on conducting general supervision activities to ensure the requirements of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) are fulfilled within Kentucky school districts. Monitoring ensures IDEA compliance requirements are met. However, compliance is the floor of opportunity for students with disabilities. DIMR's focus is on the compliance requirements which are most likely to increase educational outcomes for students with disabilities.

#### **DIMR Overview:**



#### **Division Level Staff:**

Sylvia Starkey, Director  
Robert Meacham, Assistant Director  
Stacy Liguori, Academic Program Consultant



IDEA Complaint Investigators, Contracted through TAESE

**Division level staff provide technical assistance and support with:**

- IDEA formal complaints
- LEA annual determinations
- IDEA regulations and compliance
- SPP/APR

**Individual Programming Branch:**

Carol Ann Morrison, Branch Manager  
Alisa Zimmerman, Exceptional Children Consultant  
Erma White, Exceptional Children Consultant  
Jessica Jones, Exceptional Children Consultant  
Prestina Bacala, Exceptional Children Consultant  
Tania Sharp, Exceptional Children Consultant

**Branch level staff provide technical assistance and support with:**

- IDEA monitoring
- IDEA regulations and compliance
- IDEA waivers
- alternate assessment 1% waiver and cap
- onsite visits and desk audits
- corrective action plan management

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