

Grant/Contract #	H325T070033
Program Name	Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities
Competition Title	Special Education Preservice Training Improvement Grants
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	Concord NH 03301			Extension Date	

Key Personnel	Time on Proj		Key Personnel	Time on Proj		Fiscal Info		
	AY	S		AY	S	Year	Requested	Actual
Ford, Mary	10%					2007	\$96,650	\$94,650
						2008	\$99,195	\$99,195
						2009	\$86,407	\$86,407
						2010	\$74,438	\$74,438
						2011	\$75,208	\$75,208

Note:

Purpose: The purpose of this project is to improve the quality of education services to students with high-incidence disabilities by improving the preparation of certification candidates in special education in the state of New Hampshire, and to assure that graduates meet High Quality Teaching (HQT) requirements.

Method: The project will: (a) increase certified teachers in the areas of learning disabilities, emotional/behavioral disorders, and mental retardation and placed in high-poverty school districts and in rural schools remote from population centers; (b) revise teacher preparation curricula to use K-12 student achievement data as the primary evidence of a teacher candidate's performance and a measure of the teacher preparation program's success; and (c) create a comprehensive higher education mentoring guidebook and curricula for field-based mentoring teacher preparation programs. Outcomes include an expanded curricula, a comprehensive mentoring program, and certified personnel by the end of the grant period.

Products: