

Your National Charter School Resource Center

An Introduction to the Next Phase

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FOR CE GRANTEES



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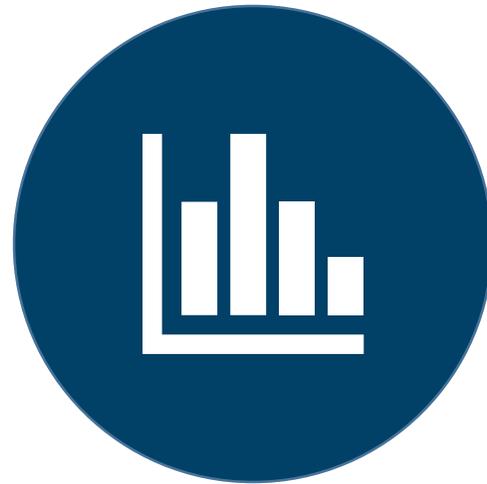


Agenda

1. Session overview
2. Introductions
3. What to expect from the NCSRC
4. What is coming soon
5. What do you want to see in a CE Exchange?
6. Ways you can help
7. Q&A
8. Next steps

Poll 1

How familiar are you with the National Charter School Resource Center and its activities?



Session Objectives

You will leave this session with an understanding of...

- The direction of the NCSRC, how to leverage it, and our commitment to your success;
- How you can help shape the future of the NCSRC and its activities;
- Upcoming resources and events aimed at supporting your work; and
- How to contact the NCSRC for help.

Introductions

Grantees on today's call...

Charter Schools Development Corporation
Hope Enterprise
KIPP Foundation
Local Initiatives Support Corporation
Low Income Investment Fund
MassDevelopment
New Jersey Community Capital
Raza Development Fund



On the Call Today...

- Ellen Safranek, Director, Charter School Programs
- Clifton Jones, Group Leader, Charter School Programs
- Carter Clawson, Project Director, National Charter School Resource Center
- Sara Allender, Senior Technical Assistance Advisor, National Charter School Resource Center
- Courtney Leigh Beisel, Content Specialist, National Charter School Resource Center

A Powerful Collaboration



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What to expect from the NCSRC

NCSRC provides resources, information and technical assistance to support the successful planning, authorizing, implementation and sustainability of high-quality charter schools.

NCSRC Vision



Be the premier trusted resource for the charter school sector—exciting, engaging, and responsive to the needs of the field through a dynamic interaction of data and technical assistance



Reenergize charter schools as collaborative labs of innovation where talented educators create flexible ways of meeting the needs of diverse students

Technical Assistance Topics

Re-Introduce NCSRC

- ED/NCSRC Staff
- Available TA
- Contact Info



Grant Management

- SMART Goals
- Logic Models
- Indirect Costs
- Non-Regulatory Guidance
- Best Practices

Facilities

- Emerging Trends
- Research Synthesis
- Performance Agreements
- Risk Management



New Charter Development

- What is a CS?
- Community Engagement
- Enhancing the CS Landscape in CSP States



High Quality Charter Schools and Strong Accountability

- Quality Authorizing Practices
- School Improvement
- Special Populations



Replication & Expansion

- Early Indicators
- Decision-making
- School Improvement



Technical Assistance

CE grantees will have access to technical assistance developed specifically for their needs in the following areas:

- Developing SMART performance agreements
- Creating infrastructure and tools for strong grant management
- Four quarterly webinars based on identified grantee needs
- CE Exchange
- Project Directors' Meeting

Upcoming Activities



Upcoming Events

- February 24-25 – Project Directors' Meeting in Washington, D.C.
- February 26 – School Improvement Workshop in Washington, D.C.



Upcoming Resources

- SMART Goals
- Community and Family Outreach
- School Improvement
- State Authorizing Best Practices and Lessons Learned
- Early Indicators of Distress
- Logic Models
- Emerging Trends in Facilities
- Federal Funding Guidebook
- And more...

Coming Soon...

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `charterschoolcenter.ed.gov`. The browser's address bar and tabs are visible at the top. The website header features the logo for the National Charter School Resource Center, a search bar, and social media icons for a book, Twitter, and Facebook. A dark blue navigation bar contains several menu items: FOCUS AREAS, AUDIENCE, PUBLICATIONS, VIDEOS, FUNDING, EVENTS, and FAQs. The 'LOGIN SEA/SE' button is circled in red. Below the navigation bar is a search area with a text input field containing the placeholder 'To find a Charter School, enter a zip code', a yellow 'SEARCH' button, and a dropdown menu labeled 'Select Your Topic'. The main content area features a banner image of diverse children looking at a screen, with the text 'Webinar: Intentionally Diverse Charter Schools' overlaid.

Coming Soon!

Discussion

What would make the CE Exchange most valuable to you and your work?



How can you help?

- ✓ Respond to Needs Assessment Survey
- ✓ Reach out to us for help or to provide us with feedback to contact-us@charterschoolcenter.org
- ✓ Prepare for launch for CE Exchange
- ✓ Save the date for Project Directors' Meeting (details coming soon!)
- ✓ Text CHARTERS to 22828 to sign up for the Center's newsletter

How can you contact us?



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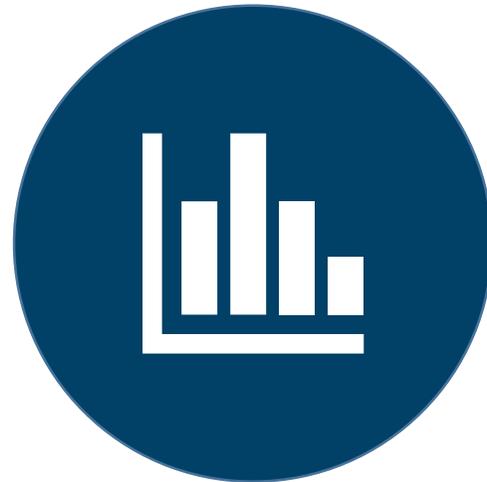
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Q&A



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Did we answer all of your questions
about the National Charter School
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