

WV SCHOOLS OF DIVERSION AND TRANSITION ORGANIZATIONAL PROCEDURES

RECRUITMENT, RETENTION AND ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION PERSONNEL

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1.0. PURPOSE:

To establish procedures for promoting the retention of personnel in all Diversion and Transition Programs.

2.0 APPLICABILITY:

Procedure applies to all Diversion and Transition Programs located in all juvenile and adult institutions.

3.0 POLICY GUIDANCE:

Diversion and Transition Programs located in all facilities shall promote the retention of all personnel including teaching, administrative and support staff.

4.0 **DEFINITIONS**:

None.

5.0 PROCEDURES:

- **5.1** Recruitment.
- To promote the retention of personnel, the West Virginia Department of Education, WV Schools of Diversion and Transition shall provide opportunities for:
 - a. Staff development;
 - b. Comparable pay to public school teachers based on qualification, experience and educational level;
 - c. Benefits including health and life insurance, retirement, leave, etc.;
 - d. Opportunity to participate in decision-making through faculty advisory committees/staff meetings;
 - e. Opportunities for financial reimbursement for professional development: and
 - f. Opportunities for advancement.
- **5.3** Opportunities for advancement.

6.0 <u>AUTHORITY</u>

- **6.1** Employee Handbook for WV Schools of Diversion and Transition
- **6.2** State Board of Education Policy 1471 Regulations for Adult Diversion and Transition Programs.
- **6.3** State Board of Education Policy 2800 Regulations for Juvenile Diversion and Transition Programs.