



Agenda

Identifying and Addressing Discipline Disparities

June 26, 2014

3:00-4:30 p.m.

Goals:

- To share research findings on disparities in school discipline
- To promote a discussion of the implications of these disparities

3:00 p.m. Introduction and Opening Remarks
Teresa Duncan, Director, REL Mid-Atlantic

Presentation of REL Studies

3:10 p.m. *Disproportionality in School Discipline: An Assessment of Trends in Maryland, 2009–12*
Allan Porowski, School Completion and Engagement Research Alliance Coordinator, REL Mid-Atlantic

3:30 p.m. *Suspension and Expulsion Patterns in Six Oregon School Districts*
Arthur Burke, Senior Methodology Advisor, REL Northwest, *and*
Vicki Nishioka, Research Lead for the Oregon Leadership Network, REL Northwest

3:50 p.m. **Action Steps Emanating from the Studies**
Sho Shigeoka, District Equity Coordinator, Beaverton School District, *and*
Robert Murphy, School Completion Specialist, Maryland State Department of Education

4:10 p.m. **Questions and Answers**

4:30 p.m. **Wrap-up and Adjournment**

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