



# Superintendent's District Advisory Panel for Exceptional Student Education Secondary Transition Subcommittee Meeting Minutes



**Date:** April 24, 2024

**Time:** 11:05am – 12:05pm

**Location:** Virtual-

<https://dadeschools.zoom.us/j/89313822140?pwd=YrfabaTXrZPOuhloToqlcOwG7fXSzk.1>

**Facilitator:** Raydelin Muñoz

## Attendees:

- Lisa Friedman-Chavez, Project 10: Transition Education Network
- Kirenia Pintado, Vocational Rehabilitation- Area Supervisor
- Carmen Peralta, Best Buddies International- Jobs Program Supervisor
- Jennifer Feinstein, UM-NSU CARD Specialist
- Isabella Rosales, UM-NSU CARD Intern
- Sandy Ames, Family Care Council
- Luis Loriga, MDCPS ESE Director Technology Solutions/In-Schools Nursing
- Lisette Perez, Parent 2 Parent
- Andres Gispert, Transition Specialist
- Magali Enriquez, Transition Specialist
- Mary Sierra, Transition Specialist
- Andres Gispert, Transition Specialist
- Janet Marrero, Transition Specialist
- Natalie Sanz, Transition Specialist
- Tanya Barber, Transition Specialist
- Natalie Marrero, Project Victory Teacher
- Ilette Calzadilla, Transition Specialist

## Absentees:

- Patrick Salmasi, MDCPS ESE Administrative Director
- Valerie Zenni, Transition Manager, Parent to Parent
- Maria Henao, UM-NSU CARD Specialists
- Fredlynn Pericles, Transition Specialist
- Tiany Martinez, Transition Specialist
- Keisha Robinson Sparks, Transition Specialist

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## 1. Welcome and Introductions

- Meeting called to order by Raydelin Muñoz at 11:05.
- Members introduced themselves, providing their name, role, and affiliation.
- Agenda Reviewed

## 3. Review of February meeting minutes

- Minutes from the previous meeting were discussed and approved by those present

#### **4. Updates on Subcommittee Goals**

- Transition Fair Planning is in progress. Scheduled for Saturday, March 15, 2025 @MDC Kendall Campus.
- Project Programs Open House:
  - 4 in-person sessions- Hialeah SHS, Southridge SHS, N. Miami Beach SHS, Coral Park SHS
  - 2 Virtual Sessions- @12:00 & 6:00pm

#### **5. Transition Programs Presentation**

- Maggie Enriquez presented on the Project Search Programs available.
- Ms. Natalie Marrero presented on the Project Victory program at Zoo Miami

#### **6. Q&A and Open Discussion**

- Lisa Friedman-Chavez requested that APD and/or Family Care Council provide information at the next meeting
- Natalie Sanz requested that a presentation about helping our undocumented families be considered as well.

#### **7. Closing Remarks**

- Raydelin Muñoz summarized key points of the meeting and thanked the members for their participation.
- The meeting adjourned at 11:49 am.

#### **Next Meeting:**

- Date: April 04, 2025
- Time: 11:00am – 12:00pm
- Location: Via Zoom