



Are you frustrated with MEAP & MI-Access?

Do you have questions about accommodations or other concerns related to MEAP & MI-Access for students with visual impairment?

Plan to attend the **MEAP and MI-Access: Implications for Students with Visual Impairment Conference**.

Audience: Teachers of students with visual impairment, MEAP & MI-Access Coordinators and Parents

Date: Thursday, March 24, 2005

Time: 9:00 – 3:00

Location: MDE North Lansing Complex, 735 W. Willow St., Lansing
(Former site of MSB)

Presented by Michigan Schools for the Deaf & Blind, Low Incidence Outreach in conjunction with the Office of Educational Assessment & Accountability (OEAA)

Keynote Speaker: Edward Roeber is currently the Senior Executive Director, Office of Educational Assessment & Accountability, in the Michigan Department of Education. In this role, he oversees the assessments of general education students, students with disabilities, and English Language learners, as well as accreditation and accountability programs. He has been in this position since November 2003.

The conference will be facilitated by Peggy Dutcher, who is currently working for the Michigan Department of Education in the Office of Educational Assessment and Accountability (OEAA), as the coordinator of State Assessment for Students with Disabilities. Responsibilities include MI-Access (Michigan's Alternate Assessment Program), MEAP issues related to students with disabilities, liaison to the Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services (OSE/EIS), contact person for questions related to students with disabilities and the MEAP, and a member of the Michigan Department of Education, No Child Left Behind (MDE NCLB) Team.

MEAP Staff: In addition to Peggy Dutcher from the OEAA, the following MEAP staff will be participating in the conference.

Mike Radke, MEAP Supervisor

Bill Brown, MEAP Coordinator of Test Development

James Griffiths, MEAP Coordinator of Administration and Reporting

Please visit www.cenmi.org/msdb-lio for registration information.

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