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**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** April 14, 2016

**TO:** Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents  
Public School Academy Directors

**FROM:** Norma Jean Sass *njs*  
Deputy Superintendent, Education Services

**SUBJECT:** Call for Presenters for 2016 National Dropout Prevention Network Conference

The Michigan Department of Education, in partnership with the Ford Fund, is sponsoring the 2016 National Dropout Prevention Network Conference at the Renaissance Center in Detroit, October 2 – October 5, 2016.

Proposals will be accepted through online submission at the following:  
<http://tinyurl.com/2016NDPC>. The deadline for proposals is May 15, 2016.  
Presenters will be notified of the acceptance of their proposals by June 1, 2016.

Presentations are scheduled upon registration for the conference. Presenters must register by July 15, 2016, to ensure a presentation slot. For more information, please contact Gregg Dionne at [dionneg@michigan.gov](mailto:dionneg@michigan.gov) or 517-241-4285.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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