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**MEMORANDUM**

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

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D.   
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SUBJECT: AdvancED Michigan and Michigan Department of Education  
Spring 2014 Regional School Improvement Conferences

AdvancED Michigan and the Michigan Department of Education's Office of Education Improvement and Innovation are co-sponsoring the Spring 2014 Regional School Improvement Conferences at the following sites.

April 17 – Macomb ISD	April 29 – Marquette-Alger ISD
April 21 – Kent ISD	May 6 - Van Buren ISD
April 25 - M-TEC at Kirtland, Gaylord	May 15 – Saginaw Valley State University

This spring's conference theme is "Continuous Improvement: Off the Shelf and Into the Classroom." There will be presentations and updates from AdvancED Michigan and the Michigan Department of Education. Breakout sessions will highlight regional practitioners. Feature topics include:

- Implementation with Fidelity
- Career & College Ready
- Program Evaluation
- Professional Learning and AdvancED Accreditation

If you have specific questions pertaining to this conference, please contact Diane Joslin-Gould at [Joslin-GouldD@michigan.gov](mailto:Joslin-GouldD@michigan.gov). Conference registration and information is available at <http://www.advanc-ed.org/locations/michigan-office/professional-development>.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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