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MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 14, 2019

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

FROM: Dr. Scott M. Koenigsknecht, Deputy Superintendent 
P-20 System and Student Transitions

SUBJECT: 15th Annual Michigan Integrated Behavior and Learning Support Initiative (MIBLSI) State Conference

On April 25-26, 2019, the Michigan Integrated Behavior and Learning Support Initiative (MIBLSI) will be hosting the [15th Annual MIBLSI State Conference](#) focusing on advancing effective Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) implementation to ensure growth and success for all learners. As part of the Michigan Department of Education's (MDE) Top 10 in 10 strategic plan, MTSS supports the MDE's strategic plan, goal 2: implement high-quality instruction in every classroom, strategy 2.2: establish and implement with fidelity a high-quality multi-tiered system of supports, helps to define the rationale that surrounds this work.

The two-day conference will provide an opportunity to learn the latest in research and best practices related to MTSS, strengthening the implementation of MTSS within your context and connecting and sharing with other attendees. The event will be held at: The Crowne Plaza Lansing West, 925 South Creyts Road, Lansing, MI.

The deadline to [register](#) is March 30, 2019. The cost of registration is \$30 per day; be sure to register early to secure your spot. You can view the program descriptions at <http://miblsi.org/annual-conference>.

To learn more about MTSS please link to the [MTSS Page](#) on the Michigan Department of Education website.

If you have any questions regarding the 15th Annual MIBLSI State Conference, please contact Mindy Westra at WestraA@michigan.gov.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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