



# **Exceptional Student Services (ESS) Special Education Advisory Panel (SEAP)**

Indicators 15 and 16 for Federal Fiscal Year 2021 State  
Performance Plan and Annual Performance Report

November 15, 2022



**Exceptional  
Student Services**

# State Performance Plan Indicators:

## Indicator 15: Resolution Sessions

Indicator 1: Graduation	Indicator 2: Dropout	Indicator 3: Assessment	Indicator 4: Discipline Removal Rates (A: all IEP, B: by Race/Ethnicity)	Indicator 5: School-Age Educational Environments
Indicator 6: Preschool Educational Environments	Indicator 7: Preschool Outcomes	Indicator 8: Parent Involvement	Indicator 9: Disproportionality in Identification	Indicator 10: Disproportionality in Identification by Race/Ethnicity
Indicator 11: Child Find	Indicator 12: Preschool Transition	Indicator 13: Secondary Transition	Indicator 14: Post School Outcomes	Indicator 15: Resolution Sessions

Indicator 16:  
Mediation

Indicator 17:  
State Systemic  
Improvement Plan

[Link to Summarized Descriptions of  
IDEA Part B Indicators](#)



# Indicator 15: Resolution Sessions Introduction

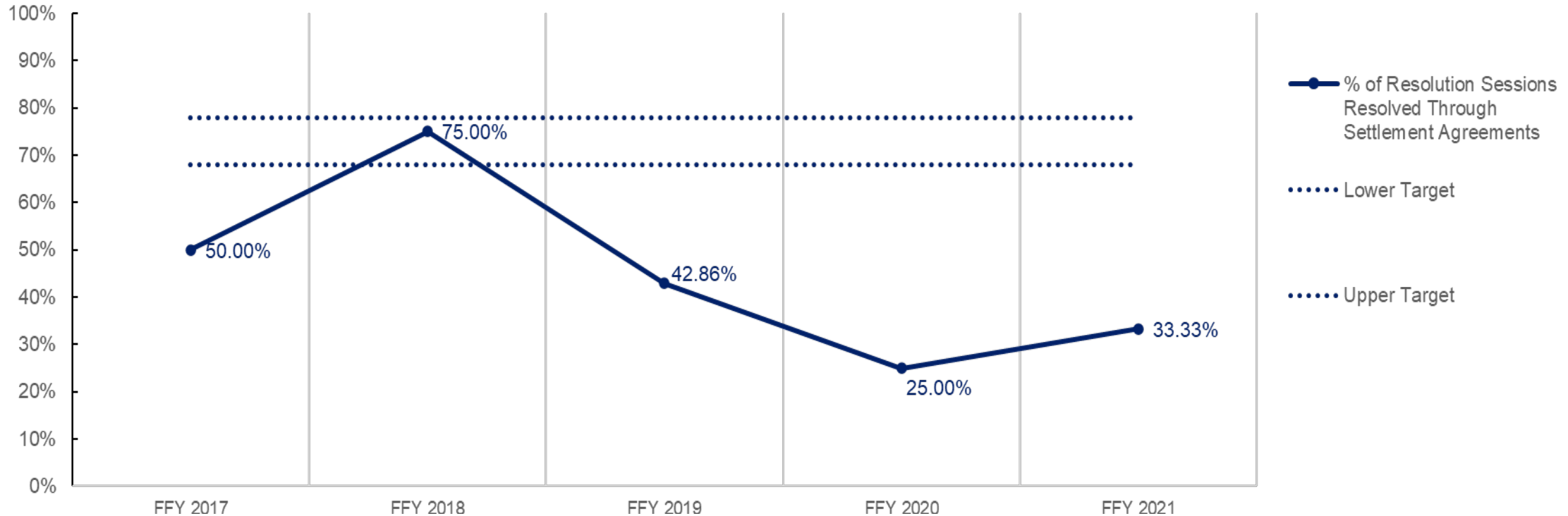
- Indicator 15: Percent of hearing requests that went to resolution sessions that were resolved through resolution session settlement agreements (20 U.S.C. 1416(a)(3)(B))
- Data Source: Data is collected on an ongoing basis, utilizing our internal data collection system that tracks and logs all DP and mediation activity.



# Indicator 15: Resolution Sessions, Historical and Current Data

	FFY 2017	FFY 2018	FFY 2019	FFY 2020	FFY 2021
Total Resolutions Held (a)	12	12	14	12	6
Resolved in Agreements (b)	6	9	6	3	2
% Resolved in Agreements (b)/(a)	50.00%	75.00%	42.86%	25.00%	33.33%

Percentage of Resolution Sessions Resolved Through Settlement Agreements



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## Indicator 16, Mediation

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# Indicator 16: Mediations, Introduction

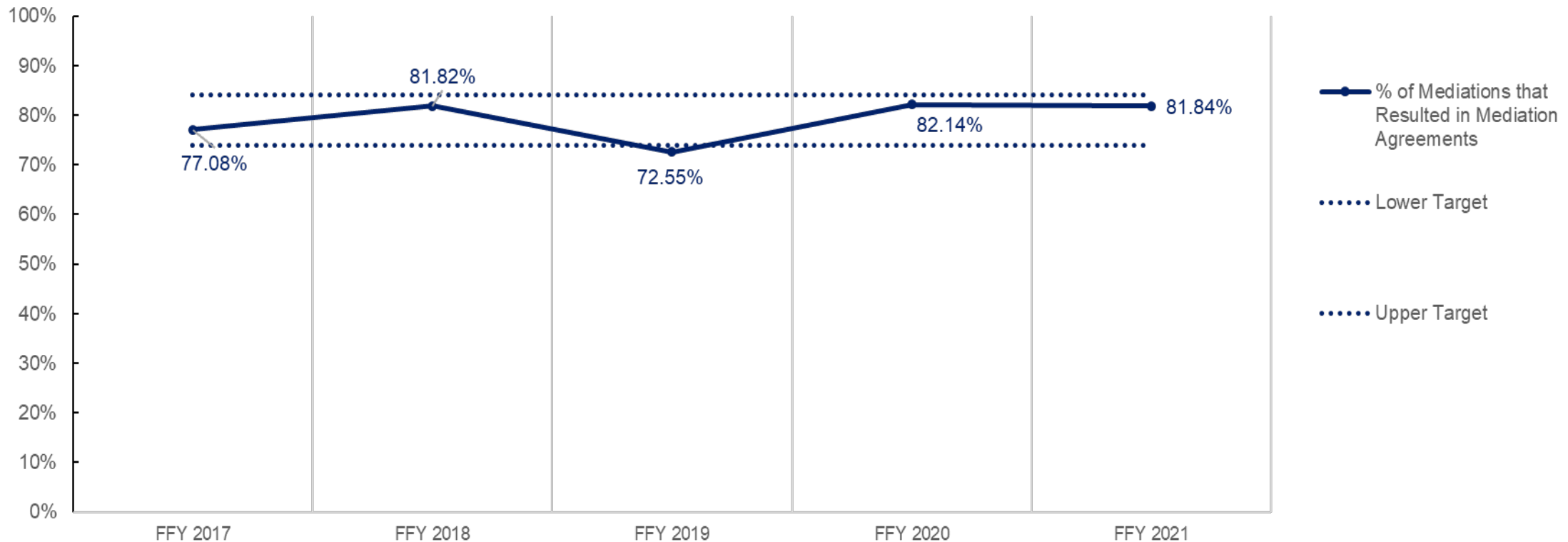
- Indicator 16: Percent of mediations held that resulted in mediation agreements (20 U.S.C. 1416(a)(3)(B))
- Data Source: Data is collected on an ongoing basis, utilizing our internal data collection system that tracks and logs all DP and mediation activity.



# Indicator 16: Mediations, Historical and Current Data

	FFY 2017	FFY 2018	FFY 2019	FFY 2020	FFY 2021
Total Mediations Held (a)	48	44	51	28	27
Resolved in Agreements (b)	37	36	37	23	22
% Resolved in Agreements (b)/(a)	77.08%	81.82%	72.55%	82.14%	81.84%

Percentage of Mediation Sessions that Resulted in Mediation Agreements



# Due Process Actions/Data

	21-22	20-21	Difference
• Total number of due process complaints filed	33	53	-37.74%
• Resolution meetings	6	12	-50.00%
• Written settlement agreements reached through resolution meetings	2	3	-33.33%
• Hearings fully adjudicated	0	0	NA
• Decisions within timeline (include expedited)	0	0	NA
• Decisions within extended timeline	0	0	NA
• Due process complaints pending	6	12	-50.00%
• Due process complaints withdrawn or dismissed (including resolved without a hearing)	27	41	-34.15%





# Mediation Actions/Data

	<b>21–22</b>	<b>20–21</b>	<b>Difference</b>
• Total number of mediation requests received through all dispute resolution processes	62	50	24.00%
• Mediations held	27	28	-3.57%
• Mediations held related to due process complaints	6	15	-60.00%
• Mediations held not related to due process complaints	21	13	61.54%
• Mediation agreements not related to due process complaints	17	12	41.67%
• Mediations pending	4	3	33.33%
• Mediations withdrawn or not held	31	19	63.16%



# State Complaint Actions/Data

	21–22	20–21	Difference
• Total number of written signed complaints filed	166	146	13.70%
• Complaints with reports issued	108	83	30.12%
• Reports within timelines	108	83	30.12%
• Reports within extended timelines	0	0	NA
• Reports with findings of noncompliance	33	23	43.48%
• Complaints pending	2	4	-50.00%
• Complaints pending a due process hearing	0	2	-100.00%
• Complaints withdrawn or dismissed	56	57	-1.75%





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