

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA

3000 BUSINESS AND NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

3200 BUDGET PLANNING PROCESS

3210 Use of and Approval for Nonpublic Agency Services for Regional Programs

Regional Operators may contract with a Nonpublic Agency to provide personnel/services in the event that the provider is unable to hire personnel to provide the services.

Nonpublic agency services provided to students enrolled in regional programs shall be a shared SBCSELPA expense through the regional program funding mechanism.

All other nonpublic agency service costs shall be the responsibility of the contracting local education agency pursuant to SBCSELPA Policy 3217.

When the operator of a regional program concludes that:

1. Additional services are required to support the program, and
2. These additional services should be provided by contracting with a non-public agency

The Regional operator will present its request to the JPA Board for discussion and subsequent action.

No contract with a non-public agency for the purpose of augmenting services to a regional program shall be developed without prior approval of the JPA Board and review by the SBCSELPA Executive Director.

The SBCSELPA Executive Director may consult with special education administrators and business officials from local education agencies (LEAs) in SBCSELPA as needed, to seek input regarding such requests.

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