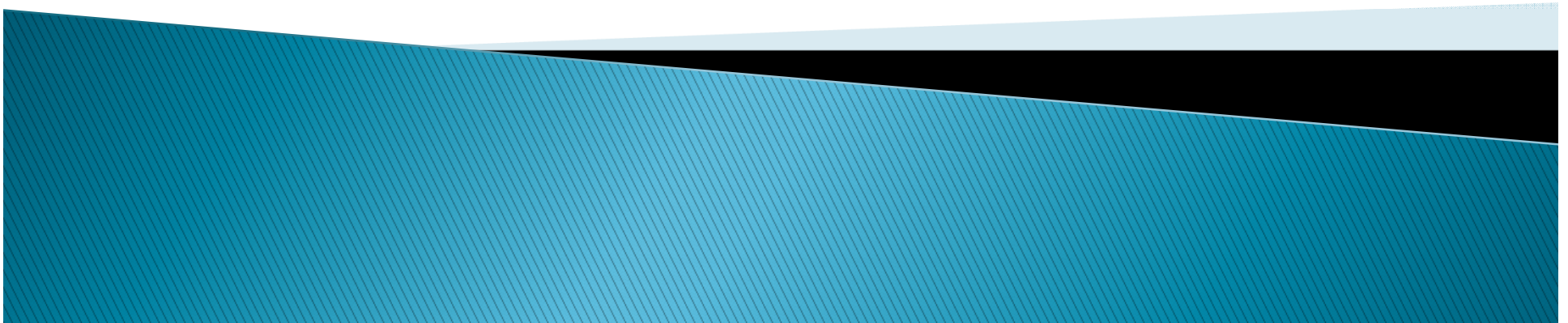


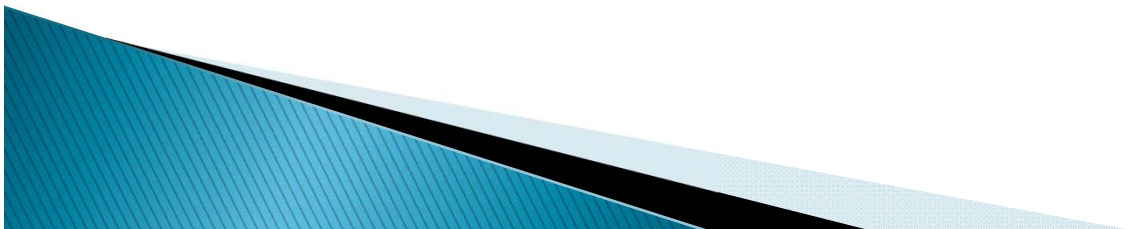
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# What is Required for School Age?

IDEA Part B 618 Reporting Requirements for December Child Count and Educational Environment require SEAs to report by LEA/School, Disability, Race, Gender, LEP Status, Ed Environment for all PA Students age 3 thru 21.



# What is Required for Preschool?

*Preschool data come from PELICAN/OCDEL and are merged with the final PIMS process and reviewed for duplicates among and across programs prior to final verification and sign-off by IU Executive Director.*

*IU Data Managers should continue their relationships with local Program Staff via the DocuShare portal as determined by local protocol.*



# Submission Window – Determinations

*The SUBMISSION WINDOW is the SUBMISSION WINDOW*

*Failure to submit by the **CLOSE** of the SUBMISSION WINDOW **WILL** Result in a Determination of **Needs Assistance with Timely Reporting...** your Superintendent will not be very happy with you if/or when he receives the letter!*

*The Clarification window is for revisions and duplicate resolution ONLY.*



# Comparison Reports

- ▶ Data submitted this year compared to last year's data.
- ▶ Provide Justification:
  - Was there an increase in a particular population within the LEA? Why?
  - Was there a change in personnel or programming that caused a particular category to increase? What?
  - Was there a change in policies or procedures that caused a change in reporting categories? What?
  - Small N size



# Q & A

## Local Discussion with IUs

If you still have questions or require clarification  
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