

Dianna Mullen

EDUCATION

6th Year Degree Educational Leadership	May 2005
Southern Connecticut State University	
M.S. Education	August 1994
University of Bridgeport, CT	
B.S. Special Education, N-12	May 1988
B.S. Elementary Education, N-6	
St. John's University, N.Y	
<i>Minor: Speech and Hearing</i>	

MASSACHUSETTS LICENSES and ENDORSEMENTS

Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent All Levels Professional Status
Special Education Administrator All Levels Professional Status
Principal and Assistant Principal PreK-6 Professional Status
Moderate Disabilities Prek-8 and 5-12
Professional Status Elementary 1-6 Professional Status
S.E.I. Endorsement

PROFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

Scituate Public Schools, MA	2012-Present
Director of Special Education	
Overall management and supervision of all special education faculty, services and programming age 3 through 22.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Budget development and management• Faculty and staff hiring, supervision and evaluation• Programming and oversight• Grant development and management• Out-of-District supervision• Medicaid Reimbursement• Medicaid Expansion oversight and training• Leading committee work on two district Goals:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ MTSS○ Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Curriculum	
Weston Public Schools, MA	2005-2012
Assistant Director of Student Services	2006-2012
Early Childhood Coordinator	2010-2012
Out-of-District Coordinator	2005-2012
Inclusion Specialist	2005-2006

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Weston Public Schools, CT **2001-2005**
Special Educator and Building Team Chair

Ridgefield Public Schools, CT **1994-2001**
Special Educator

Stamford Public Schools, CT **1989-1994**
Special Educator

New York City Public Schools **1988-1989**
Astoria, NY
Special Educator

SKILLS:

- Transformational Communication
- Grant writing
- Knowledge of Federal laws and State regulations pertaining to special education
- Program development to include, but not limited to:
- Inclusion programming for children with intensive special needs and Autism
- Language-Based Classroom
- Therapeutic programming
- Home programming development and supervision
- Development and planning of data-driven behavior plans.
- IEP development
- Budget development and management
- Supervision and evaluations of educators

PRESENTATIONS:

SCITUATE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SCITUATE, MA **2012-Present**

Conducted several in-district presentations to special education faculty and parents on numerous topics including but not limited to:

- Special Education regulations
- Rights and Responsibilities in Special Education;
- "IEP Breakdown: "What is this Document All About"
- IEP Goal and Objective Writing
- RtI
- School Committee updates
- Co-teaching
- Evening presentation to METCO families
- "Demystifying the Special Education Process"

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- PDP Course for educators Relicensure requirement in Special Education

WESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, Weston, MA

2005-2012

Conducted several in-district presentations to special education faculty and parents on numerous topics including:

- Special Education regulations
- Rights and Responsibilities in Special Education;
- 504 Plans
- IEP Goal and Objective writing
- New State Mandated Learning Disability Procedures

Conducted several in-district presentations to contractual vendors including:

- Transportation regulations of special needs students
- Presentation at EDCO, regarding overall coordination of transportation for Out-of-District students
- Evening presentation to METCO families; "Demystifying the Special Education Process"

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association of Special Education Administrators (ASE)

Council for Exceptional Children (CEC)

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)