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**Commonwealth of Virginia
Virginia Department of Education
Superintendent's Memo #020-22**

DATE: January 21, 2022
TO: Division Superintendents
FROM: Jillian Balow, Superintendent of Public Instruction
SUBJECT: **2021-2022 Federal Program Monitoring Schedule for Title IX, Part A, the Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program (McKinney-Vento)**

The purpose of this memo is to notify certain school divisions that they will receive federal program monitoring of Title IX, Part A, the Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program (McKinney-Vento), for the 2021-2022 academic year. *The Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965*, as amended by the *Every Student Succeeds Act*, requires states to monitor school divisions for compliance in certain program areas. Therefore, school divisions in Virginia are monitored for Title IX, Part A, on a three-year cycle for McKinney-Vento subgrantees or, approximately, a five-year cycle for non-subgrantees. School divisions scheduled to receive Title IX, Part A, monitoring in the spring of 2022 are listed in Attachment A.

In preparation for the monitoring, Project HOPE-Virginia will host an informational session via webinar on **Friday, February 4, 2022, at 11 a.m.** The purpose of the webinar is to familiarize school divisions with the process used for the monitoring and to discuss the federal program monitoring protocol that will be used. The webinar will be recorded for those unable to participate at that time. Additional resources are posted to the [Project HOPE-Virginia 2021-2022 Monitoring](#) webpage.

Directions for logging into the webinar and the monitoring protocol will be sent directly to all homeless liaisons in school divisions being monitored in 2022. If you are not the liaison or not from a school division being monitored and would like to be included, or should you have trouble connecting to the webinar, contact Laura Hackett, Assistant State Coordinator, at (757) 221-4002 or lihack@wm.edu.

For more information

If you have other questions, please contact Patricia A. Popp, State Coordinator, at pxpopp@wm.edu or (757) 221-7776.

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- A. Attachment: [2021-2022 McKinney-Vento Federal Program Monitoring Schedule](#) (DOCX)