

## EOY Training 2014, Session 2.6 - SAAR Questions and Answers

**Q: In order to qualify for a transportation code of T5 it must be indicated on the related service page of the IEP. We have a few students who have T5 indicated in the related service page of their IEP, but the parent transports. Would this student receive a transportation code of NT, and if so will this cause any issues since the IEP does not match the actual T-Code?**

A: Any students who have special education transport indicated in the related service page of their IEP and is not transported by bus, will need to be identified as NT for their transportation code. This will not cause any conflict between the T-Code and the IEP.

**Q: If a student qualifies as a waiver for Kindergarten, do they automatically qualify the next academic year for 1<sup>st</sup> grade?**

A: If a student is determined eligible for first grade through the accelerated waiver process (fact sheet available [here](#)), the student qualifies for first grade the year in which the student is five but not six on or by October 1.

**Q: What is the process or documentation involved that qualifies a student to receive a waiver?**

A: A child who is at least five years of age (on or before Oct. 1) but less than six years of age may be advanced through the primary program **IF** the student is determined eligible for first grade. A district team must review anecdotal records, student work samples and standardized test results in making the determination. At least one team member must have early childhood expertise. If the student demonstrates high achievement of social, academic and developmental skills, the team may recommend the student for accelerated placement to the local school board for approval. Once approved, the district submits a completed accelerated placement request form (available [here](#)) to KDE for approval. Once approved by KDE, the district may check the waiver checkbox and receive full SEEK ADA.

**Q: Students who have an attendance group record of HH, for home and hospital, must that record be manually end dated at the end of the school year or does the end date field auto-populate when the Enrollment End Batch is performed at the end of the school year?**

A: Any HH attendance group records that remain until the end of the school year will auto-populate with an end date once the Enrollment End Batch is performed.

**Q: If a student moves from District A to District B mid-year, should the Resident District field be cleared out or left?**

A: The Enrollment data standard states: Resident District: Select from drop-down menu the student's district of residence (where the student lives) for contract and no contract students. This field should only be populated on the enrollment record if the student is enrolled in one district and resides in another.