April 2012 PROPOSED Revisions to the Master Plan

Professional Development Section (Revised):

Please provide your District Professional Development Plan. Be sure to include how your Plan addresses:

1. underperforming populations,
2. the transition to the new Maryland Common Core State Curriculum, and
3. the transition to the new teacher and principal evaluation system.

Teacher Induction Section (Revised):

COMAR regarding teacher induction/mentoring and new reporting requirements as part of the Master Plan process were approved by the State Board of Education in 2011. Each LEA must provide the following information regarding their teacher induction/mentoring program:

I. A description of your Comprehensive Teacher Induction Program, including orientation programs, standards for effective mentoring, and mentoring supports. Options to include are your LEA Action Plans and TELL Survey Data.

II. Data regarding the scope of your mentoring program, including the number of probationary teachers and the number of mentors who have been assigned; and

III. The process used to measure the effectiveness of the induction/mentoring and the results of that measurement.