

**TULARE COUNTY/DISTRICT
SELPA**

POLICY # 7610

**STUDENT IDENTIFICATION –
RECORDS – SERVICES –
MISCELLANEOUS
FAP/SRP**

Adopted: 12/05/07

Revised:

*Overidentification and Disproportionate
Representation of Individuals with Exceptional
Needs*

The Tulare County/District SELPA shall collect and review CASEMIS data to determine if significant disproportionality based on race and ethnicity is occurring within the SELPA with respect to identification of children as children with disabilities, including:

- Children with disabilities with a particular impairment;
- The placement of these children in a particular educational setting; and
- The incidence, duration and type of disciplinary actions, including suspensions and expulsions.

Upon review of CASEMIS data, if the Tulare County/District SELPA determines there is disproportionality with respect to the identification of children as children with disabilities, SELPA will review and if appropriate, revise SELPA policies, procedures, and practices used in the identification or placement of students with special needs.

References:

EC 56205 (a)(21)
20 U.S.C. 1412 (a)(24)
34 CFR 300.646

SELPA Publications:

BEST Practices Model for Response to Intervention
Procedural Guide for Special Education Referrals
Schools Site Staff Handbook for Special Education