

MEMORANDUM

April 3, 2013

TO: Members of the MVSEC Executive Advisory Board

FROM: Carla Cumblad, Executive Director
Natalie Assell, Technical Assistant

RE: Summary of Annual Needs Assessment

The required annual multi-district needs assessment has been completed, compiled and distributed to the administrative liaisons. Attached is a memo from Ms. Assell, and tables from the last three years indicating the highest priorities that were reported for all districts and MVSEC. The results are similar to those from last year with the following top five composite areas:

- Training and technical support for paraprofessional staff **New to the survey this year**
- Training and support for behavioral management interventions and programs
- Enhanced instruction through technology
- Programs that support Parent education
- Information on new trends, issues, legislation, and legal information.

It should be noted that there is quite a change in the need for behavior information. It suggests the positive impact of the work of Natalie Assell, the behavioral technical assistant.