



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

# DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

Date: July 17, 2020  
To: Chief School Administrators, Charter School and Renaissance School Project Leads  
Route To: Special Education Directors  
From: Kim Buxenbaum, Psy.D., Director, Office of Special Education  
Division of Student Services  
Deadline: Register by August 28, 2020

## Virtual Inclusion Leadership Conference Scheduled for August 31

School administrators, educators, parents and self-advocates are invited to attend a virtual Inclusion Leadership Conference hosted by the New Jersey Coalition for Inclusive Education on August 31, 2020. The conference will run three sessions of workshops from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per person, and school districts may send one administrator to the conference for free.

Workshops will focus on various inclusive education topics including exploring multiple career pathways for students with disabilities, best inclusive practices for districts and educators, and more. There will also be a plenary session by [Dr. Paula Kluth](#), author and former special educator who advocates for inclusive opportunities for students with disabilities.

Attendees may earn up to three professional development hours.

### Registration

The New Jersey Coalition for Inclusive Education's website provides the [registration webpage](#) and information on [available workshops](#).

### Contact Information

Administrators should email Liam Oakes at [liam@njcie.org](mailto:liam@njcie.org) for an administrator ticket.

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