PREPARING AND PARTICIPATING IN A DESK AUDIT

CRITER	RIA AND DATA POINTS	Completed					
Gather and review the following document found at:							
	http://opi.mt.gov/COVID-19-Information/ESSER#9922711276-monitoring						
	a. ESSER Criteria and Data Points						
	b. ESSER Criteria and Data Points Response Sheet						
	c. ESSER Monitoring Point of Contact Form						
	d. Preparing and Participating in A Desk Audit						
	e. MT OPI ESSER Internal Control and Subrecipient Monitoring Plan						
2.	Choose someone who will serve as the monitoring point of contact.						
3.	Complete the ESSER Monitoring Point of Contact Form and submit it at						
	least three (3) weeks before the desk audit due date.						
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5.	Schedule a time for a conference call between OPI and the LEA.						
	Individuals from the LEA that should be included on this call are the						
	Authorized Representative, Business Manager, Clerk, and						
	Superintendent. To schedule a call contact Destiny Sjoden at 406-444-						
	3693.						
6.	Review each of the 9 (nine) criteria and data points on the ESSER Grant						
	Criteria and Data Points for Desk Audits.						
7.	Using the ESSER Criteria and Data Points as guidance, gather the						
	appropriate records to present as documentation the criteria has been met.						
	a. In the column labeled Documents Be Submitted to OPI enter the						
	name(s) of the document(s) to review.						
	b. In the column labeled <i>Individual Responsible for Oversite</i> enter the						
	name(s) and title of the individual(s) is responsible for the						
	completion and retention of the documents listed Documents Be						
	Submitted.						
8.	Use the <i>Documents to Be Submitted to OPI</i> column of the <i>ESSER Grant</i>						
	Criteria and Data Points Response Sheet to list the name(s) of the						
	document(s) that where gathered in the previous step.						
9.	When completed place all documents and forms into a zip file and name						
	the file [School] ESSER Documents. If you are unsure of how to create a						
	zip file go to https://www.wikihow.com/Make-a-Zip-File						
10	Send the zip file to Destiny.Sjoden@mt.gov.						

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