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## Policy and Advocacy WG Agenda

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9/19/2025

Welcome

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Updates

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Discussion

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- Know Your Rights Campaigns
  - Transitioning from EI to CPSE
    - Possible research sites - Noah
      - Advocates for Children
      - Includenyc
        - Outreach to see what documents they have going over the process of transitioning
        - Invite Includenyc partners to join PA meetings in the future
        - <https://includenyc.org/help-center/resources/preschool-special-education/>
      - Age breakdown: 0-2.5 /EI – 3-4 /CPSE – 4+ IEP with DOE
      - Language barriers need to be kept in mind during research process
      - Know Your Rights documents need to be available in other languages
      - EI overhead: DOH / CPSE Overhead: DOE
      - What is the timeline to be allotted services? \
      - Reach out to parents that Diana has connected with that were not in the EI age range, to get their feedback on their experience with CPSE
      - Reach out to SI POUCH / Pilar or Jane to see if we could get a blank referral packet
    - Topic Suggestions

- IEP
- Getting your child in a D75 school
  - Add to CPSE research
- Research Links
  - [Legal Aid Society](#)
  - [NYS Special Education](#)
  - [INCLUDEnyc](#)
  - [DOE Know Your Right Page](#)
  - [Guide to Preschool Special Education Services](#)
    - Page 29 – Due Process Rights
- Drop off current EI Know Your Rights Document at local pediatrician offices
  - Create more packets with resources to distribute
- Collaboration with other Working Groups
  - Outreach Suggestions
  - Connect with Early Learn WG for aid with CPSE Know Your Rights Document
    - Parent to Parent
    - INCLUDEnyc
- Advocate Corner
  - Bring to web auditing committee for discussion

## Closing

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- Next Meeting: October 24, 2025 @ 11:30am