



COVID-19 Guidance on Program Self Evaluation, Contract Monitoring, and Program Quality Requirements

This Management Bulletin from the California Department of Education is to notify and provide guidance to contractors about contractual requirements and instructions specific to program quality and monitoring after the enactment of Senate Bill 117.

Early Edge California Key Takeaways from Management Bulletin 20-09:

- Effective immediately, CDE will suspend comprehensive compliance reviews of contractors for the remainder of fiscal year 2019-2020. However, CDE will continue to provide compliance reviews to ensure program quality, as needed.
- Effective immediately, CDE will suspend the submission of Program Self Evaluation for fiscal year 2019-2020.
- Suspension of these requirements and associated timelines does not exempt contractors from providing quality program activities and services that are age and developmentally appropriate, and meet the cultural and linguistic needs of children and families.

For more detailed information, please review [Management Bulletin 20-09](#) in full.