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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]  
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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

First Name: Martha

Last Name: Carroll

Title: Certified Academic Language Therapist

Organization you are affiliated with: International Dyslexia Association

City: San Antonio

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I was a classroom teacher and have my MEd. It was not until I had my extensive training that I realized how to teach dyslexic children effectively. Dyslexic children can excel if they are taught with systematic, repetitive and multisensory methods. I underestimated how much repetition they need. These repetitions can be boring for the regular classroom students but brings comfort and success to the dyslexic child.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Please uphold the standards of Academic Language Therapists Association and the certification of the programs.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree