



Mississippi State University
College of Education
Office of Clinical/Field-Based Instruction, Licensure, & Outreach (OCFBI)
Advisory Committee
2024-2025

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Purposes and Procedures

The OCFBI Advisory Committee will aid in the design and review of curricula, requirements, and assessments for initial and advanced programs and will ensure open lines of communication in the unit. The OCFBI Advisory Committee in collaboration with program areas will make necessary changes in programs and courses, based on focus group feedback, to improve teacher education programs within the unit. The OCFBI Advisory Committee will be comprised of a representative from each program area, the Associate Dean, the alternate route staff, a university supervisor, a classroom mentor teacher, and a P-12 principal.

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