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Potential Applicant,

Effective December 30, 2010, the New York State Education Department (NYSED) will temporarily suspend the acceptance of new applications to become an approved provider of coursework or training in the needs of students with autism pursuant to Sections 3004(4) and (5) of the Education Law and Subpart 57-3 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. This temporary suspension is due to the following:

- diminished need for additional providers to meet demand
- sufficient geographic distribution of approved providers
- limited NYSED resources to process and approve additional applicants and providers.

When we resume the acceptance of applications, this letter will no longer be posted.

Application correspondence should be directed to [appinfo@mail.nysed.gov](mailto:appinfo@mail.nysed.gov) or Autism Application, Office of College and University Evaluation, NYSED, 89 Washington Avenue – Room 5 N. Mezzanine, Albany, New York 12234. Until December 30, 2010, applications should be sent to the address identified in the application.

Sincerely,

Barbara D. Meinert  
Coordinator