

AHCCS Out-of-District & Military Family Gifted Enrollment Procedure (2025-2026)

Out-of District Procedure:

- If a student moves from one district in Pennsylvania to AHCCS, AHCCS will either apply the current Gifted Individualized Education Plan (GIEP) as much as possible or offer the services and programs outlined in a temporary GIEP, which must be mutually agreed upon with the parent(s) and/or guardian(s). This interim plan remains in place until AHCCS creates and implements a new GIEP in line with relevant sections (§§ 16.32 and 16.33) or until due process procedures under §§ 16.61—16.65 are concluded.

Military Family Gifted Enrollment Procedure:

- Due to the Interstate Compact on Education Opportunity for Military Children, AHCCS will ensure that military children's gifted designation, and continuity of their GIEP, remains intact upon their enrollment at AHCCS.

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