ELL DROPOUT FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, January 25, 2018
Fordham Lincoln Center Campus
205-206 McMahon Hall
9:00-12:00

A-G-E-N-D-A

9:00-9:10 Welcome/Greetings/Introductions- Eva Garcia, NYC RBE-RN Executive Director
9:10-9:30 NYC ELL Data: Discussion- Ron Woo, NYS Language RBE-RN
9:30-9:45 Recapping our work-Eva Garcia & Ron Woo, Nellie Mulkay-NYS RBE-RNs
Notes from past meetings
9:45-10:15 Dominicanos USA; Eddie Cuesta, Omar Suarez Austine Martinez
10:15-11:00 Process for Study and collecting information for NYC ELL Dropout Rates
Diane Rodriguez, Ph.D. Professor-Fordham University
Division of Curriculum and Teaching
- Application to conduct surveys
- Questions and creating surveys-online/hard copy
- Collecting information from the field-Voices from the Field-
  - 25 from counselors, 25 administrators, 25 ELL teachers/content area,
    25 HS students (over 18 years old)-graduated and dropouts
- Defining dropouts- Dr. Jacqueline Gonzalez, Fordham GSE
- Identifying protocols, collecting information and timeline
- Analyzing and summarizing surveys
- Written recommendations

11:00-11:15 BREAK
11:15-11:40 Planning-BREAK OUT GROUPS-Administrators, counselors, students, teachers
questions-Gloria Ortiz, Elsie Berardinelli, Aileen Colon, Yolanda Villao

11:40-12:00 Next meeting- Monday, April 16, 2018
- Identifying goals for RBE-RNs- 2018-2019
- Identifying goals for CBOs, university, NYC DOE, UFT, CSA
- Disseminating information on NYC events supporting ELL parents and students
- Presentations for administrators at conferences
- Where we are with surveys?-final adjustments

Reflecting/Summarizing/comments