

Educational Technology  
Workshop

**Preparation of Programs for Review**

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Overview of the Educational  
Technology (NP) Endorsement

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**Purpose of the NP Endorsement**

- ♦ The NP endorsement is only available to previously certified teachers. It is NOT available as an undergraduate major or minor for teacher preparation.
- ♦ The endorsement was developed to provide skills and knowledge to practicing teachers so that they will better use technological resources for their own teaching and for student learning.
- ♦ Teachers earning this endorsement should become better teachers of the content they were previously certified to teach.

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## What Can be Taught with the NP Endorsement?

- ◆ Individuals with this endorsement are prepared to utilize technology resources for their own teaching and for student learning in **classes for which they hold other endorsements**.
- ◆ They are also well-prepared to teach introductory computer-related classes for which no specific endorsement is needed such as Computers, Computer Literacy, Keyboarding, Word Processing, Computer Applications, Web Design, and Introduction to the Internet.
- ◆ See [http://www.michigan.gov/documents/What\\_can\\_be\\_taught\\_composite\\_TQ\\_for\\_12-22-04\\_112320\\_7.doc](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/What_can_be_taught_composite_TQ_for_12-22-04_112320_7.doc)

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## Alignment with National Standards

- ◆ The NP program standards are aligned with the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) standards.
- ◆ OPPS consultants have responsibility for organizing the review of programs in specific content areas.
- ◆ The NP standards can be accessed at this URL: [http://www.michigan.gov/documents/Educational\\_Tech\\_Standards-Matrix\\_June\\_02\\_35658\\_7.doc](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/Educational_Tech_Standards-Matrix_June_02_35658_7.doc)

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## Review of NP Programs

- ◆ Since the NP is a new specialty program, program applications may be submitted at any time.
- ◆ The Michigan application for approval of specialty programs is available online: [http://www.michigan.gov/documents/progapp\\_219\\_02\\_7.doc](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/progapp_219_02_7.doc)

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## Review of Application Process

- ◆ Applications must be submitted electronically (Web, CD-Rom, floppy disks, e-mail attachment)
- ◆ Applications are grouped for review whenever possible.
- ◆ Each institution offering a program is asked to provide a reviewer to examine similar programs at other institutions.
- ◆ One of the best ways to understand the submission requirements and review process is to volunteer to help review programs.

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## Guide for NP Reviewers

- ◆ “How to Review an Educational Technology Program Submitted for Initial Approval”
- ◆ Understanding the review process will help you plan how to present your program documentation so that it can be easily reviewed.

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## Reviewer Response Forms

- ◆ Recommendation form for approval by the Michigan Department of Education
- ◆ Options are “Approval” or “Program is not Approvable as Presented”

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## Questions? Ask...

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