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TO:

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State Public Charter School Commission Public Charter School Directors (All)

FROM:

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SUBJECT: Return to Learn Surveys and Data Collections

The Hawaii Department of Education (HIDOE) is partnering with Panorama Education, Inc. to administer the Return to Learn teacher, secondary students, and family surveys. This survey is the third in a series of surveys and will ask participants about their experiences in the transition back to learning during the first quarter. The responses from the surveys and data collection represent the respondents' voice and may be used to support school planning and improvement; enhance teacher practice; and inform curricular, instructional, and resource needs.

The survey window will be open to HIDOE and public charter school teachers and students in grades 6-12 who are enrolled in a middle/intermediate or high school from October 1-23, 2020, and families are invited to take the survey from October 1-30, 2020. Participants will be able to access the survey online via a link, and the information will be forthcoming. Results from the survey will be accessible through Panorama's reporting platform.

In addition, a Principal Data Collection will also be conducted, as well as teacher and high school student focus groups. This memo also provides information about the various surveys, including their purpose, and administration windows. Schools may use the information to plan for use of resources (e.g., technology devices), communicate with the various participant groups, and encourage their participation.

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If you have general questions about the surveys or questions about the Return to Learn survey, please contact Dr. Teri Ushijima, Director, Assessment and Accountability Branch at (808) 586-3283 or via email teri.ushijima@k12.hi.us. For questions specific to the Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) survey, Student Perception survey, or School Quality survey, please contact the educational officer listed in the SY 2020-2021 HIDOE Surveys matrix.

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