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8. Response Continued:

Data on the overall family experience will be collected via survey. Survey responses will primarily be collected online using **D**uestionPro survey software license. However, paper copies of the survey will be available and mailed to parents who cannot access the survey online. Survey questions will include both closed and open response options. Questions will solicit suggestions for improvement, elements of the program that were effi ineffective. Parents will respond to the survey at the end of each year. The survey will be available in both E and Spanish.

The team will aggregate and analyze data from the NLM-L and family experience survey. Reports presenting results will be submitted to TEA by August 31 each year. Reports will include participation numbers (disaggr by subcategories as defined by TEA), kindergarten readiness data (NLM-2), and family experience survey data.

9. Describe your organization's capacity for grant management, including data collection and tracking, meeting reporting requirements, and tracking progress towards goals and pre-defined outcomes. List the organization individuals that will play a role in grant activities and describe their expertise and experience in early childhoo education.

In 2019, UTA had \$116.9 million of external funding expenditures, indicating our organization s capacity to ma this award. Faculty in the College of Education are currently involved in various funded projects and have early grants from the National Science Foundation, the U.S. Department of Education, and Spencer Foundation. UTA Office of Grants and Contracts supports faculty with the efficient and effective management of the administ funded projects. Specifically, this office will periodically review budgets as requested by the principal investig initiate, approve, and monitor budget, distributions, and transfers; assist as appropriate with mediation and resolution of administrative issues; and provide faculty with financial summaries required for progress report: Amanda Olsen is an assistant professor in the College of Education at UTA. Her expertise includes factors associated with kindergarten readiness. She is particularly interested in buffering kindergartners from the eff racial and wealth inequality. Dr. Olsen has been part of several funded projects, totaling \$150,000. Dr. John R is an assistant professor in the College of Education at UTA. His expertise includes professional development literacy development. He has developed several professional development frameworks with experimental evide to support their effectiveness. He is particularly interested in examining interventions meant to improve litera outcomes for students with disabilities. Dr. Romig has been part of several funded projects and is currently of principal investigator of Project Match Made in Schools, a \$1.08 million grant from the U.S. Department  $\phi f$ Education's Office of Special Education Programs.

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Check the appropriate box below to indicate whether any barriers exist to equitable access and participation groups that receive services funded by this grant.

• The applicant assures that no barriers exist to equitable access and participation for any groups receivir services funded by this grant.

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For amendments, choose the section you wish to amend from the drop down menu on the left. In the text boright, describe the changes you are making and the reason for them.

Always work with the most recent negotiated or amended application. If you are requesting a revised budget, include the budget attachments with your amendment.

