

**Justification**  
**Head Start Disability Waiver Request PY02**  
**School Year 2025/2026**  
**Grant #06CH012925**

| Date                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Description                                                                                                                                                                       |
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| 2/24/2026                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | CSNT Head Start is seeking approval to request a PY02 Disability Wavier for the 2025/2026 School Year. The Program has not met the 10% funded enrollment for Disability children: |
| <p>CSNT Head Start currently has 35 students that qualify for Disability Services or 7.3% of the funded enrollment. This is 10 students short of the 49 students needed to meet the required 10%. At this time, there are 31 students that have been referred for Disability Services, but there is no way to know if any of these students will be approved for services.</p> <p>Due to the turnover in staff at our Local Education Agencies, it is taking longer than usual for children to go through the Disability approval process. Once again, not all students referred receive services.</p> |                                                                                                                                                                                   |