

2011-2012 New York State Education Department Charter School Office Liaisons for NYS Board of Regents-Authorized Charter Schools

#	NYS Board of Regents Authorized Charter School Name	School District	2011-2012 Oper. Year	CSO Liaison as of 3/27/12
1	Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School	Buffalo City	4	Susan Gibbons
2	Amani Public Charter School	Mount Vernon	1	Vickie Smith
3	Believe Northside Charter High School	NYC #14	3	Jamal Young
4	Believe Southside Charter High School	NYC #14	3	Jamal Young
5	Brighter Choice Charter School for Boys	Albany City	10	Vickie Smith
6	Brighter Choice Charter School for Girls	Albany City	10	Vickie Smith
7	Bronx Charter School for Children	NYC #7	8	Jamal Young
8	Bronx Charter School for the Arts	NYC #8	9	Jamal Young
9	Brooklyn Urban Garden Charter School	NYC #15	0	Kimberly Santiago
10	Buffalo Academy of Science Charter School	Buffalo City	8	Susan Gibbons
11	Charter School for Applied Technologies	Kenmore-Tonawanda UFSD	11	Susan Gibbons
12	Charter School of Educational Excellence	Yonkers	7	Vickie Smith
13	Community Charter School	Buffalo City	9	Susan Gibbons
14	Democracy Preparatory III Charter School	NYC #5	0	Kimberly Santiago
15	Discovery Charter School	East Irondequoit	1	Patricia Anderson*
16	Elmwood Village Charter School	Buffalo City	6	Susan Gibbons
17	Evergreen Charter School	Hempstead UFSD	3	Jamal Young*
18	Genesee Community Charter School	Rochester City	11	Patricia Anderson*
19	Global Community Charter School	NYC #3 & 5	0	Kimberly Santiago
20	Global Concepts Charter School	Lackawanna City	10	Susan Gibbons
21	Harlem Success Academy Charter School	NYC #3	6	Jamal Young
22	Harriet Tubman Charter School	NYC #9	10	Jamal Young
23	Health Sciences Charter School	Buffalo	2	Susan Gibbons
24	KIPP NYC Washington Heights Academy Charter School	NYC #6	0	Vickie Smith
25	La Cima Charter School	NYC #16	4	Jamal Young
26	Launch Expeditionary Learning Charter School	NYC #16	0	Kimberly Santiago
27	Mott Hall Charter School	NYC #8 & #9	0	Kimberly Santiago
28	Neighborhood Charter School of Harlem	NYC #5	0	Kimberly Santiago
29	New Dawn Charter High School	NYC #15	0	Vickie Smith
30	New Visions CHS for Advanced Math and Science II	NYC #7	0	Vickie Smith
31	New Visions Charter High School for the Humanities II	NYC #7	0	Vickie Smith
32	New York City Montessori Charter School	NYC #7	1	Kimberly Santiago
33	Niagara Charter School	Niagara-Wheatfield	6	Susan Gibbons
34	Pinnacle Charter School	Buffalo City	9	Susan Gibbons
35	Riverhead Charter School	Riverhead	11	Vickie Smith
36	Rochester Academy Charter School	Rochester City	4	Patricia Anderson*
37	Rochester Career Mentoring Charter School	Rochester	0	Patricia Anderson*
38	Southside Academy Charter School	Syracuse	10	Barbara Moscinski
39	Syracuse Academy of Science Charter School	Syracuse	9	Barbara Moscinski
40	Urban Choice Charter School	Rochester City	7	Patricia Anderson*
41	Urban Dove Charter School	NYC #22	0	Kimberly Santiago
42	West Buffalo Charter School	Buffalo City	0	Patricia Anderson*
43	Western New York Maritime Charter School	Buffalo City	8	Susan Gibbons
44	Young Women's College Prep Charter School of Rochester	Rochester	0	Patricia Anderson*

* Updated since October 2011.

2011-2012 NYSED Charter School Office Liaison Role Description

A subset of professional staff members in the NYSED Charter School Office will serve as liaisons to assigned Regents-authorized charter schools, in addition to specializing in one or more functional areas of oversight. The liaison will serve as the primary point of contact between the charter school and the Charter School Office. The liaison is responsible for reviewing pertinent documents and charter revisions, as well as participating in various monitoring activities for those schools with which s/he works. A description of how the liaison interacts with the charter school and a functional “lead” in some common functional areas is provided below. As always, please feel free to contact us at charterschools@mail.nysed.gov or 518-474-1762.

Function/Topic	Description	Current Functional Lead
Performance Oversight: Site Visits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Annual Reports • Participate on site visit team, likely lead. Coordinate with Special Education Unit for specific on-site monitoring. 	Cliff Chuang (Acting)
Performance Oversight: Renewals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review school’s record • Participate on renewal site visit team, likely lead. • Prepare draft Regents Items 	Cliff Chuang (Acting)
Governance: Charter Revisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and approve in coordination with Functional Lead • Prepare draft Regents Items 	Barbara Moscinski
Governance: Board of Trustees Member approvals	Review and approve in coordination with Functional Lead	Patricia Anderson
Governance: Complaints	Review and resolve in coordination with Functional Lead	Barbara Moscinski
Finance: Audits	Check-in with Functional Lead in preparation for site visits, renewal.	Jean Beaudet
Finance: Charter Schools Program Grants	Check-in with Functional Lead as necessary.	Barbara Moscinski
New Schools: Review of New Applications	Participate in review of new application as assigned.	Susan Megna
New Schools: Opening Procedures	Review and approve and conduct Pre-Opening site visit in coordination with Functional Lead	Susan Megna