

Partners in Safe, Efficient, Comfortable & Compliant (SECC)Transportation Operations

Core Capabilities

- Assist School Superintendents with understanding the status of the district's transportation program
- Help minimize risk and maximize positions for future funding and state aid
- Evaluate district/contractor policies, practices, runs, and routes to develop the most efficient transportation plan
- Complete comprehensive assessments of district/contractor practices, documentation, and compliance with the established rules and regulations set forth by DOT, DMV, and SED.
- Ensure district is compliant with all NYS Comptroller School District Safety Audit recommendations
- Strengthen transportation safety protocols that exist in established School District Safety Plans
- Review policies for handling vehicle inspection reports, including completion, review and filing of the reports
- Consult on all matters regarding cleaning & disinfecting school transportation facilities and assets.

NYS Comptroller Key Findings:

- Inefficient monitoring & documentation
- Not all drivers were subject to drug and alcohol testing
- Safety drills not always properly conducted
- Bus inspections fall short
- Not all drivers trained as required
- Complaints not adequately documented
- Not all superintendents annually approving drivers

Projected Outcomes:

- Improved oversight of school district transportation functions
- Completed in-district and contractor bus transportation analysis
- Focused and actionable report that will improve school district safety & efficiency
- 100% satisfaction and multi-year contract that will ensure safety compliance and efficiency savings are sustainable.