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Dear Educators,

Welcome to the start of the 2024 spring PreACT Secure assessment! Please review the following information pertaining to this year's assessment and **forward this email to all testing staff.**

Testing Dates

Testing dates for the spring 2024 PreACT Secure administration are posted on the [PreACT Secure Calendar Webpage](#) and on the [Wisconsin PreACT Secure Website](#).

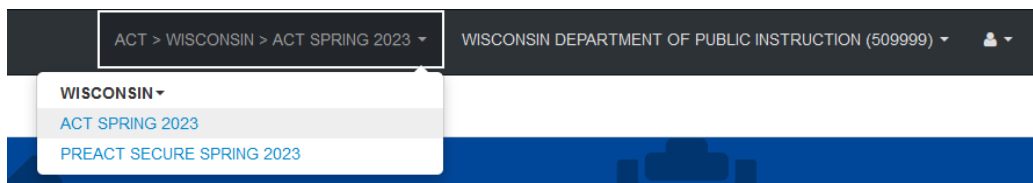
Schedule of Events

The 2024 [PreACT Secure Schedule of Events](#) (SOE) has been posted to the Wisconsin PreACT Secure Website. **The SOE contains important tasks and deadlines for administering the PreACT Secure and should be reviewed often by all testing staff.**

PreACT Secure Portal in PearsonAccess^{next}

The 2024 PreACT Secure portal will open for the spring administration on **Monday, January 22**. Testing staff will utilize the same [PearsonAccess^{next}](#) (PANext) test administration site and login credentials for both ACT and PreACT Secure testing.

DACs will be granted access to the **2024** PreACT Secure portal through the assessment drop down menu and should begin creating accounts and granting user access to testing staff.



Note: Testing staff who work with both the ACT and PreACT Secure will need to be assigned permissions for both assessments.

Instructions on how to create accounts and/or update existing accounts can be found in the [PersonAccess^{next} User Guide for the PreACT Secure](#).

Training Opportunities

DPI and ACT will be offering three Q&A webinar-based trainings and two Wisconsin specific Office Hours for the 2024 PreACT Secure assessment. All training events and registration links have been posted to the [DPI PreACT Secure Trainings webpage](#).

2024 Test Administration Resources

The following 2024 PreACT Secure testing administration resources are now available on the [Wisconsin PreACT Secure webpage](#). Please disseminate these resources out to all testing staff.

- Schedule of Events (Important dates)
- Test Coordinator Checklist (Step 1)

- Technical Resources/Mock administration Guide (Step 2)
- PearsonAccess^{next} User Guide (Step 5 -PDF)
- Administration manuals (Step 5)
- Test administration forms (Step 5)

Student Rosters and Accommodations/Supports

PreACT Secure student rosters will be available in PAnext on **Monday, January 29**. Once loaded, schools will begin the process of verifying rosters and assigning accommodations and supports. Additional information and resources on how to complete these tasks will be forthcoming.

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