

MEDIA ALERT



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AIU Hires Dr. Jill M. Jacoby as Assistant Executive Director for Teaching and Learning

PITTSBURGH – May 25, 2021 - The Allegheny Intermediate Unit (AIU) is pleased to announce that Dr. Jill M. Jacoby has been hired as the organization’s new assistant executive director for teaching and learning. She will serve as a member of the Executive Leadership Team and will be responsible for providing leadership for the programs within the teaching and learning division which supports schools and school districts throughout Allegheny County. She is scheduled to begin her AIU duties on August 2.

A seasoned educator, Dr. Jacoby has held progressively responsible instructional and leadership positions with school districts in eastern and southwestern Pennsylvania. For the past 20 years, she has served as an elementary principal and superintendent of the Fort Cherry School District. Previously, Dr. Jacoby served in a variety of instructional roles at the elementary level at Shikellamy School District, located in Northumberland County. Dr. Jacoby earned a doctorate from the University of Pittsburgh as well as master’s and bachelor’s degrees from Bucknell University. She holds a variety of credentials including a Superintendent’s Letter of Eligibility and state certifications in elementary education as well as administration, curriculum and instruction.

Dr. Robert Scherrer, the AIU’s executive director, said Dr. Jacoby possesses a deep understanding of public education which will enhance the AIU’s ability to provide leading-edge services to students, educators and area school districts.

“We welcome Dr. Jacoby’s expertise as an accomplished educational leader. Her experience as a superintendent and principal will help the organization fulfill its strategic objectives as we continue to partner with schools and regional organizations to support student success” he said.

Dr. Jacoby will replace Ms. Rosanne Javorsky, who is retiring in June after more than 30 years of service to the AIU.

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ABOUT THE AIU

An educational service agency, the Allegheny Intermediate Unit (AIU) is part of Pennsylvania’s public education system and serves schools, children, youth and families in suburban Allegheny County. Among the largest of the state’s 29 intermediate units, the AIU employs about 1,200 individuals and has an annual budget exceeding \$150 million.