

The IDEC Listserv is an efficient way for members to disseminate information to large numbers of people and hold long-distance discussions among many people. The aim of the listserv is to facilitate and encourage the free flow of information necessary to maintain an informed membership community.

As such, IDEC members are expected to be respectful, professional, and courteous in their use of the listserv resource. This includes refraining from the obvious – use of defamatory language, harassment, dissemination of copyrighted materials – but also the subtler gray areas within our professional endeavors.

IDEC members are encouraged to post:

- Announcements – timely and useful information of general interest to the IDEC community
- Discussion – topical and scholarly exchange among colleagues

Members cannot post commercial material, messages to advertise, sell, solicit, or promote any of the following:

- Job openings
- Textbooks and other for-profit classroom resources
- Commercial material, or contact any member to advertise, sell, or solicit or otherwise promote any commercial product or service
- Any personal business

Additionally, it is important to differentiate when it is appropriate to reply to the entire listserv versus to directly to an individual posting information.

Responsibilities

IDEC is not responsible for the opinions and information posted on the listserv. IDEC reserves the right to monitor the listserv and to restrict dissemination of opinions and information violating the listserv policy.

Further Information

If you have questions, or would like further clarification of the above guidelines, please contact info@idec.org.

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