Non-exhaustive list of reasons that may create a good cause delay in completion:

- Concurrent law enforcement activity
- Witness availability
- A pandemic-related reason (illness, unavailability)
- District breaks
- Absence of a party
- Availability of a party's advisor
- Need for language assistance or ADA accommodations



## **Investigation Basics**

- Burden of proof is on the District
- No restrictions are placed on the rights of the parties to discuss allegations or gather/present evidence
- Both parties have the same opportunity to have be present during interviews
- Both parties provided with written notice of date, time, participants, purpose, and location of each investigative interview with sufficient time allowed to prepare

