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ADMINISTRATORS' ASSOCIATION



An MSAA Professional Development Workshop for: K-22 Special Educators, Therapists, Team Chairs, and personnel responsible for Individualized Education Plans

Focus on Measurable Objectives for the Individualized Education Plan (IEP)



**Featuring Seaside Educational Consultants Presenter:
Ryan Snyder, M.Ed., BCBA, LABA**

Friday, January 18, 2019
at the MSAA Office, Franklin

Sign-In: 8:00am–8:30am
Workshop: 8:30am–3:00pm

PD Hours: 6
Content Area: *Data and Assessment*

Fees: *Member \$215 / Non-Member \$285*

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Writing an Individual Education Plan requires the TEAM to move from broad general concerns, to a review of testing/deficits, to accommodations and modifications, and is eventually supposed to lead to a series of very specific objective or benchmarks. This workshop will focus on this last piece: how do we create a measurement system that will allow for accurate and meaningful demonstrations of progress? Participants are asked to bring current working protocols to develop draft IEP's, goals and objectives based on the data.

Participants will develop an understanding of:

- Moving from identified skill/deficit to measurable objectives.
- Differentiating between objectives and teaching methodology.
- Logical connection between types of objectives and data formats for independence, scoring, and maintenance.
- Using manageable data systems that link Current Performance Levels, IEP Objectives, and Progress Reports.

Ryan Snyder has an extensive background in special education with a focus on applied behavioral analysis. Armed with degrees from Cambridge College and Salem State University, he has worked as an educational coordinator, applied behavioral analyst, and director of behavioral services. He is a board certified Behavioral Analyst and is a certified Safety Care Restraint Trainer. His numerous presentations to professionals and to parents have included Writing Measureable IEP Goals, Ethical Consideration Across Various Treatment Settings, Data Systems, Behavioral Intervention & Restraint, and How to Be a Para Pro. His areas of expertise includes Functional Behavioral Assessments, home assessments, supervision of direct care therapists in home, BCBA supervision and training, and trainings to families and schools. Ryan has presented at state conferences' as well as in many districts across the state.

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