Using Data for Continuous SEL School-wide Improvement

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

PD Hours: 6
Content Area: Data and Assessment

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The implementation of a school wide SEL is not a one-and-done action item. Establishing an "improvement-focused culture" can be guided by the MTSS problem-solving process, which focuses on identifying areas for improvement, examining root causes, developing additional action steps and frequently monitoring progress toward established goals. The workshop will provide information on establishing an "improvement-focused culture," the key components of continuous improvement and ways schools can use data to support improvement efforts in relation to SEL and the benefits of establishing an SEL Team and the role of this team.

Participants will:

• Learn the components of Continuous Improvement for a School-wide Approach to SEL
• Review a variety of SEL data sources
• Brainstorm a list of SEL data sources that are currently utilized (or could potentially be utilized)
• Examine ways that schools can SEL data to support continuous improvement
• Discuss the potential benefits of establishing a school-based SEL team

Cathy Giles is a veteran educator with experience in standards-based teaching, data collection and analysis, and accountability. She is experienced in transformational leadership and establishing and maintaining a brain-based, safe and supportive, trauma-sensitive learning environment. Her vision, action, and management as an elementary school principal led to National Recognition as a Blue Ribbon School of Excellence for her school. Catherine works with six Massachusetts colleges and universities to train, supervise, and evaluate graduates.

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