Participation-Based Practice to Support Student Outcomes

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About this ON-DEMAND Course

Use the participation lens to support student outcomes and align your school-based practice with the evidence. Learn assessment processes that foster interprofessional practice and participation-based goals to positively impact student outcomes. Strategies to embed intervention and progress monitor will be shared. Dosing concepts along with a model to support your decision making in those difficult IEP meeting will be discussed.

Objectives

- Select two elements that support writing participation-based goals.
- Identify 3 concepts that can support a school-based dosing decision.
- Apply the 5-step process for resolving IEP meeting challenges.
- Choose 2 evidence-based intervention strategies that support student participation.

Audience

This course is relevant for OTs, OTAs, PTs, PTAs and SLPs working in a school setting with students aged 3-21 years.



ON-DEMAND Schedule

2 HOURS, 13 MINUTES

Utilizing the Participation Lens

- The Collaboration Framework
- What are "best-practices"?
- Assessing students using a participation lens
 - CASE ANALYSIS
 - ACTIVITY: Objective tests and measures for assessing participation for schoolbased practice

Writing Participation-Based and Collaborative Goals

- The Collaboration Framework
- Using your assessment to guide your goal writing process
- ACTIVITY: Collaborative goal writing
- Progress monitoring
 - Strategies for progress monitoring
 - ACTIVITY: Changing Course: When a student is not progressing

Schedule - (continued)

2 HOURS, 35 MINUTES:

Intervention Strategies

- Embedding services to optimize participation
- ACTIVITY: Service delivery strategies

Participation-based "Dosing" Strategies - What to Consider and Why

- Dosing Considerations
- ACTIVITY: Dosing examples

Challenges to Participation-Based Practice

- Why the challenges?
- Tools to support your participation-based practice
- **GROUP DISCUSSION**: A Model For Team Negotiation

30 MINUTES:

Post-Test



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