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EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING

As a parent, your priority is your child's success. Learning differences can lead to worry and uncertainty about accessing the right resources. Educational and IEP consulting equips parents with the knowledge to navigate the school system, understand available assessments and interventions, and empowers you to advocate effectively for your child.

HOW CAN I HELP?

As a Licensed Educational Psychologist with extensive experience as a school psychologist and special education administrator, I specialize in both general and special education. Whether or not your child has an IEP, I'm here to help you navigate your unique situation, ensuring they receive the support, services, accommodations, and modifications needed for meaningful progress.

Navigating the educational system can be frustrating. Many parents are unaware of their rights, leading to denied accommodations, while others need guidance to advocate confidently for their children. I believe parents are the experts on their children, and I strive to engage them fully in the IEP process to ensure their voices are heard.

With my experience and understanding of the needs of all special education stakeholders, I emphasize collaboration and positive relationships among students, parents, and educators to develop equitable IEPs.

ABOUT ME

Born and raised in Los Angeles, and in a home that celebrated rich cultural traditions. My journey into special education was unexpected, but it has been deeply rewarding. With nearly 20 years of experience as a school psychologist, licensed educational psychologist, and public-school administrator, I have gained a unique perspective on serving diverse students in large districts, charter, and non-public schools.

The challenges of working within school system constraints have ignited my passion for helping families who feel overwhelmed by the special education process. Having navigated these complexities firsthand, I am dedicated to ensuring every child receives the services they need. By simplifying communication and cutting through red tape with empathy, I empower parents and administrators to collaborate effectively to meet each student's unique needs.

My expertise is grounded in decades of experience in general and special education, along with graduate degrees in education, psychology, and counseling. I have also undergone advanced professional training, including certification as an Independent Facilitator. I have successfully supported hundreds of families in navigating the school system to secure the services and accommodations their children need to thrive.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING THE EDUCATIONAL AND IEP CONSULTING PROCESS

SERVICES PROVIDED

Services may include assisting you with understanding your child's records; reviewing psychological and educational reports and evaluations; helping you to prepare a written agenda; accompanying you to school meetings or mediation; drafting letters or complaints based on your input; helping you to identify additional resources, such as evaluators, consultants, or therapists; and providing other advocacy services.

Sample Topics I Can Help With:

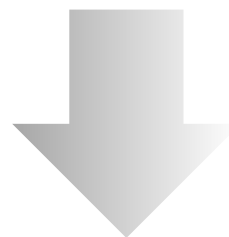
- Understanding your child's IEP, assessment reports, goals, and support services.
- Exploring options available through an IEP.
- Empowering you to collaborate confidently in IEP meetings.
- What to do if you disagree with the IEP or feel it's not being followed.
- Differences between a 504 Plan and an IEP.
- Navigating the sequence of meetings in the IEP process.

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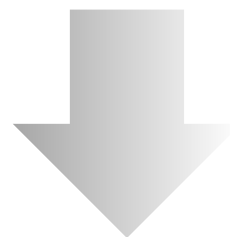
I offer a free, one-time 45-minute consultation to understand your child's needs and help identify next steps. Afterward, I'll provide an estimate for services. My hourly rate is \$300, with a 10-hour retainer. If fewer than 5 hours are needed, the remaining balance is refunded. For more than 10 hours, the package must be renewed before continuing services.

Sessions are typically 60 minutes, but can be adjusted with prior coordination. Once a contract is signed, you'll receive access to a client portal for payments and tracking time spent on your child's case.

I will review and discuss your child's needs and any past assessments and IEP's to clarify where they are now.



Identify Goals
Identify your educational goals for your child.
Support in understanding the options that may be available for your child through their IEP.



Prepare and Empower
Empower you with knowledge so you feel equipped and prepared to collaborate with your school team in an IEP meeting.