

# Facilitated Individualized Education Program (FIEP) Team Meetings

## What is a FIEP Team meeting?

An IEP Team Meeting lead by a facilitator and designed to be a collaborative dispute prevention and resolution process used when members of an IEP Team agree that the presence of a third party would help facilitate communication and problem solving. IEP Facilitators can be useful in various ways, including when there is a history of communication challenges or a meeting is expected to be particularly complex or controversial.



### Who

- Any Georgia school district and parents of a child with an IEP\*

### How

- Submit a completed request form to the GaDOE\*
- Request forms are on the school district's website or the GaDOE website\*

### Why

- To have a trained individual create an environment in which the IEP Team members can listen to each others' point of view and work together to create a quality, student-focused IEP

## QUESTIONS?

For questions or additional information, please contact:

The Help Desk in the  
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\*General information about the GaDOE's IEP Team Meeting Facilitation program and request forms are [located here](#).