Compliance and Best Practice



A Guide to Writing IEPs

IEP Modules 7/12/19



The IEP series is divided into 6 mini modules.
You can work through the entire series or you may advance to the specific module of interest.

Helpful Resources

Georgia Online IEP:

https://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instructionand-Assessment/Special-Education-Services/Pages/Georgia-Online-IEP.aspx

Parent Information Fact Sheet-IEP:

https://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instructionand-Assessment/Special-Education-Services/Documents/Parent%20Fact%20Sheets/IEP %2010-30-12.pdf

Georgia Department of Education, Divisions for Special Education Services and Supports 404 656-3963 http://www.gadoe.org/ci_exceptional.aspx

IEP <u>MINI- MODULES</u>

Module 1:

General Information

Module 2:

Present Level of

Academic and Functional

Performance

Module 3:

Transition Services

Module 4:

Measurable Goals and

Objectives

Module 5:

Student Supports

Module 6:

Special Consideration



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Substantive Requirements: 10 Common Errors

Data collected from IRIS Center and Georgia Department of Education



- Failing to include state and local assessment data in present level of academic achievement and functional performance (PLAAFP)
- Failing to include all the student's educational needs in the present level of academic Achievement and functional performance (PLAAFP)
- Failing to write challenging, ambitious and measureable annual IEP goals
- 4 Goals not written for each area of need
- Failing to monitor student progress
- Failing to provide special education services that address all the 6 student's educational needs
- Lack of explanation of extent that the student would not be included with nondisabled peers or the explanation is poorly written
- Failing to adhere to the continuum of alternative placements
- Offering an inappropriate placement
- Failing to assess and report the student's progress through the year