

Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Process Navigation

To assist parents:

1. Help you to understand the IEP process
2. Understanding the essential parts of the IEP
 - (a) current level of performance, (b) specific and measurable milestones, and (c) services to support attaining the goal.
3. Make All of Your Requests in Writing
4. Obtain Independent Assessments Ahead of Your IEP Meeting. ...
5. Assist in organizing All of Your Records...
6. Conduct classroom observation when permissible
7. Formulate a list of Questions before your IEP.
8. Ensure Compliance for the school
9. Advice on transition planning
10. Attend IEP meetings if needed

To assist the teachers:

1. Assist in documenting the challenges and difficulties exhibited by the child.
2. Evaluate the usefulness of classroom accommodations and changes
3. Review the effectiveness of different instructional interventions.
4. Assist with effective modifications that will best support the student
5. Assist with goal writing

Testimonial

When my son was diagnosed with Autism I had no clue how to advocate for appropriate services that would help him meet his goals. Dr. Keisha walked me through the IEP process and as a result, my once non-verbal son uses his words to communicate and is doing great in school and at home!

- Parent A Patterson Lanham, MD

