



# FALL LEARNING SERIES

7990 SW 117th Avenue, Suite 200, Miami, FL 33183

## Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) 2004

Learn about the law and procedures in Special Education, how the new law will impact your child, and how it relates to the No Child Left Behind Act. This workshop will explain your child's right to a Free and Appropriate Public Education. You will learn about education in the Least Restrictive Environment, the importance of parent participation in the decision making process, and your rights.

**September 15, 2009**  
**6:30PM - 8:30PM**

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## Individual Education Plan (IEP)

The purpose of the IEP is to support your child's education. Understanding the document and preparing for the meeting is the key to success. This training explains the different sections of the IEP and the information that should be taken into consideration when developing an Individual Education Plan. You will learn about present levels of performance, Priority Educational Needs (PENS), goals, diploma options, and transfer of rights.

**September 29, 2009**  
**6:30PM - 8:30PM**

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## Communicating with Your Child's School

This workshop is designed to help parents resolve disputes with their child's school. You will learn communication techniques, how to navigate quickly and effectively through the chain of command, and have a better understanding of the six principals under Part B of IDEA.

**October 27, 2009**  
**6:30PM - 8:30PM**

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## Inclusion

Learn what the law has to say about inclusion. How inclusive practices make it possible to successfully educate students with disabilities in regular classes with appropriate aids and services.

**November 10, 2009**  
**6:30PM - 8:30PM**



**Registration  
is Required!**

Please Register  
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