



East Valley SELPA Presentations



Understanding Parent Rights and Procedural Safeguards

East Valley SELPA Program Manager Rick Homutoff, Ed.D. provides a brief overview of the Parent Rights and Procedural Safeguards document that is provided at each individualized education program meeting.



Special Education Basics

East Valley SELPA Program Specialist Colleen Meland provides a brief explanation of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) legislation and how it prescribes the practices for identifying and serving individuals with special needs within Special Education. Highlights include providing a review of free, appropriate public education (FAPE), least restrictive environment (LRE), child find, assessment, the 13 disability categories of special education, and the individualized education program (IEP).



Parent Participation in the IEP: having a Voice at the Table

East Valley SELPA Program Specialists Courtney Beatty and Shannon Vogt discuss strategies for what to do before, during, and after an IEP meeting. Participants will receive various ideas and resources to encourage and support their participation in IEP meetings.