

CESA 6 Presents the 1st Annual

Forum on Assistive Technology

Assessing Student's Needs for Assistive Technology
August 22, 2011

Registration: 8:00-8:30AM Workshop: 8:30AM—3:30PM

Location: LaSure's Banquet Hall, Oshkosh Wisconsin

This is your invitation for you and your colleagues to attend the 1st Annual CESA 6 Forum on Assistive Technology.

This information will be beneficial for districts starting up an AT team or will add to the knowledge of your districts existing AT team.

Workshop Description:

Despite the federal mandate that all children be considered for AT (services and/or devices) as part of their IEP, many districts lack the knowledge to accurately determine if their students could benefit from AT. Based on the work of the Wisconsin Assistive Technology initiative (WATI), this full day workshop will familiarize you with the process of Assessing Student's Needs for Assistive Technology (ASNAT). Revised in 2009 and used both nationally and internationally, the ASNAT is a process that takes the IEP team from consideration, to assessment to trials and implementation.

Addressing the issues of documentation, funding and trials, as well as exploring the areas that are supported by AT (seating, positioning and mobility; communication; reading; writing; math; organization; recreation and leisure; activities of daily living; bind/low vision; deaf and hard of hearing; multiple challenges) this workshop will bring you up to date on assistive technology (low to high tech) that can help your students function more independently. Using research based techniques and best practice in the area of AT, you can start to feel more comfortable with the use of AT with your students.

Fee: No cost. Includes breakfast, lunch, and materials. Graduate credit options will be available.

Register Online: http://www.cesa6.k12.wi.us/prof_dev/

Who Should Attend:

Administrators, principals, directors of special education, regular and special education teachers. OTs, PTs, SLPs paraprofessionals or any one interested in learning more about AT

About The Presenter:

Karen Stindt, MS OTR ATP, Coordinator of the Assistive Technology Team from CESA 6, will share her knowledge of how AT can impact the lives of your students, helping them to be more independent, productive and an integral partner in their educational process. With additional presentations by specialists from CESA 6, this workshop will help you understand the depth and breadth of knowledge that CESA 6 has in this important area.

For More Information Contact:

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Wisconsin Teacher Standards and State Performance Plan Indicators Emphasized in this Session:

WTS 4: Technology WTS 8: Assessment SPP Indicator 3: Assessment SPP Indicator 5: LRE

Cancellation Policy: Any workshop registration cancellations must be received 48 hours before the workshop scheduled date, for a refund to be issued. Because attendance at most workshops has to be limited, persons registering for a workshop and not in attendance on the day of the workshop will be charged the full registration fee.

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