

# Professional Development

*Learning opportunities for educators and communities to enhance special education service delivery*



*Making the difference that matters most*

## *Discover A Better Way Forward*

*Today's PreK-12 education environment is marked by unprecedented change, reform, and opportunities. Educators, administrators and school practitioners are under increasing pressure to find new and better ways to manage ever-complex challenges.*

*Embedding professional development programs into a school district can be a challenge:* Where do you find the expertise, experience, and programs to meet specific professional development opportunities? How can you fully harness the power of professional learning to guide educational transformation? And, what is required to increase staff and community knowledge that will help expand capacity and school improvement?

Futures Education, a national leader in special education delivery, provides a wide range of professional development programs presented by highly qualified professionals with expertise and extensive experience in educational, administrative and clinical topics. Our team doesn't just present – we leverage our collective experience to demonstrate practical application of the subject matter, then track the effectiveness of the professional development program to ensure continuous improvement.

*Discover how Futures' Professional Development programs support educators, administrators and the community to help those with learning, physical, cognitive or scholastic needs succeed, thrive and build better lives – at school and beyond.*

## Futures Education's Advantages

- Enhancement and improvement in special education management capabilities
- Emphasis on an educational-therapy delivery model built on collaboration with parents, general education teachers, principals, and other stakeholders
- Development of a learning culture that is performance-based, accountable, and robust
- Focus on evidence-based practices with data analysis to support optimal student outcomes
- Using flexible teams of experts to address new challenges with a high degree of responsiveness

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## Discover Our Professional Development Offering

*Our goal is simple: help our partners succeed.*

Our professional development catalog currently includes a broad range of topics in more than 160 modules – and we're adding more all the time.

Course offerings cover a wide spectrum of topics and participants, including school and district leadership, special education teachers, general education teachers, and parents.

Professional development programs are delivered in a variety of formats, including

- One-day training sessions to assist district leadership in strategic planning
- Multiple-day sessions to assist instructional and related services staff implement best pedagogical practices
- Year-long executive coaching and mentorship for special education administrative leaders new to their jobs or in need of specific support.

## Who we are

Founded in 1998 by renowned clinicians and educators, Futures Education provides special education expertise unparalleled in depth and breadth. All members of our leadership team are practicing professionals with a comprehensive understanding of the programmatic, administrative and fiscal issues related to special education program development and service delivery.

*We believe the world will be a better place when people with special education needs receive the right tools, guidance and services to improve their lives. Achieving this is our mission.*

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