

All Together Better!

*“Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much.”
Helen Keller*

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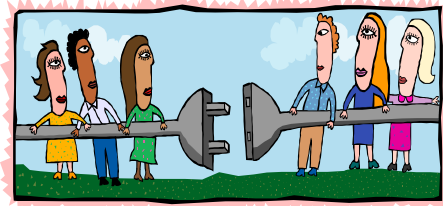
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Nowhere are partnerships more important than among parents and schools.

The challenges of educating students with disabilities cannot be met by schools or families alone. Students depend on you to work together to help them succeed and achieve their goals. To effectively educate students with disabilities and successfully implement services like Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS) that augment existing Response to Intervention (RtI) practices, schools and parents must be on the same page.

All Together Better! will teach you to:

- ✍ Utilize [five key principals](#) of collaboration to develop strong partnerships
- ✍ Collaborate to create value for students, schools, parents and communities
- ✍ [Communicate constructively](#) and regularly using specific strategies and techniques
- ✍ Avoid the emotional turmoil that results from ineffective communication
- ✍ Apply [strategic problem-solving skills](#) to resolve conflicts constructively
- ✍ Identify factors influencing collaboration to [maximize opportunities](#), minimize obstacles
- ✍ Create partnerships for each situation
- ✍ Assess the current level of [collaboration](#) in your environment



Collaborative partnerships benefit everyone:

- ✍ Relationships are more productive
- ✍ Communication improves
- ✍ Stress is reduced
- ✍ Increased time to focus on students
- ✍ Students thrive!

It takes more than *wanting* to work together for partnerships to work. It takes specific skills and processes to create and maintain an environment that fosters collaboration and builds trust. This [comprehensive 2-day](#) training provides tools that parents and schools need to develop strong partnerships that support students with special needs.

Don't have two consecutive days available? No problem. We can help you divide the training time into smaller segments that work with *your* schedule.

Alternative Resolutions, Inc. has extensive experience helping families and schools communicate about special education issues. Karen Dorn and Cheryl Stinski have been serving as mediators and facilitators for the Wisconsin Special Education Mediation System since 1998 and have provided training to schools and parents of children with disabilities in Wisconsin, Connecticut, and Ohio.

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