



## Testimonials

*"The Wrightslaw Special Education Law Seminar in Michigan was a tremendously rewarding experience and will forever change our practice." - Attorney Bryan I. Eder, Esq., Chudnof & Eder, PLC*

*"I am an advocate and recently attended a Wrightslaw program. Thank you a million times over for giving me information that I am now using in child study meetings."*

*"Between what I learned in the seminar and the Wrights' books, I understand the 'do's, and don'ts for parents and school personnel. I implemented suggestions from the program with very positive results." - Rebecca, parent from Ohio*



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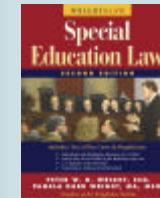
*An informed Parent is a child's best advocate*

## WRIGHTSLAW SPECIAL EDUCATION LAW & ADVOCACY PROGRAM

October 21, 2010

8 am to 4:30 pm

Springfield Country Club  
400 West Sproul Road  
Springfield, PA 19064



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# Wrightslaw—Special Education Law and Advocacy

## Program Description

One-day special education law and advocacy programs focus on four areas:

- \* special education law, rights and responsibilities
- \* tests and measurements to measure progress & regression
- \* SMART IEPs
- \* introduction to tactics & strategies for effective advocacy

Wrightslaw programs are designed to meet the needs of parents, educators, health care providers, advocates and attorneys who represent children with disabilities regarding special education. The program is not disability specific.

The program will be held at:  
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Registration fee includes Continental Breakfast and lunch. Registrants will also receive three books *Wrightslaw: Special Education Law, 2nd Edition*, *Wrightslaw: From Emotions to Advocacy, 2nd Edition* and *Wrightslaw: All About IEPs*.

Questions?

Contact us by telephone 610-626-9511

or by email [delcofamilypass@yahoo.com](mailto:delcofamilypass@yahoo.com)

## Agenda

**8:00-9:00** Registration and Continental Breakfast

**9:00-10:30** Introductions

IDEA History and Overview  
Section 1400 Findings, Purpose  
Section 1401 Definitions: Special Education, Related Services, LD, etc.

**10:30-10:45 Break**

**10:45-12:00** Section 1412 Extended School Year, Child Find, Least Restrictive Environment/ Mainstreaming/ Inclusion, Private Placements, Statewide Assessments, Understanding Tests and Measurements, and the Bell Curve, Standard Scores, Scale Scores, % ranks, Grade Equivalent, Age Equivalent

**12:00-1:00 Lunch (provided)**

**1:00-2:30** Section 1414 Evaluations and IEPs  
Section 1415 Prior Written Notice, Procedural Safeguards Notice, Mediation, Due Process Hearing, Appeal, Discipline, Age of Majority Section 504, ADA, FERPA, NCLB No Child Left Behind  
Litigation: Special Ed Caselaw, S.M.A.R.T. IEPs  
Special Ed Advocacy for the Parent, Advocate, and Parent's Attorney, Legal, systemic and "school culture" obstacles to compliance with IDEA-04

The Parent as the Special Ed Manager and Expert, Developing the Master Plan, Knowing the Rules of the Game, Recognizing and Avoiding the Fatal Obstacles, How to Deal with Conflict, a Healthy and Normal event, Crisis, Emergency, Help, Organization of the Child's File

**2:30-2:45 Break**

**2:45-4:00** Tactics and Strategies, Rule of Adverse Assumptions, Private Evaluations, Paper Trails, The Letter to the Stranger, 5 Ws + H + E, Preparation for Meetings, Meeting Strategies

## Wrightslaw Conference

Sign up for:	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Couple *	\$145.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Professional	\$155.00

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

Box Lunch Choices:  
(please indicate)

Turkey  
 Ham and  
 Cheese  
 Tuna

\*Couples receive one set of books. The couples pricing option is designed to support families by offering a reduced price to married couples or partners raising a child with disabilities. Couples are 2 adults who reside at the same address. If you do not fit this description, please register as an individual.

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