



What is Education Advocacy?

This service provides training and advocacy to staff and families around educational issues. We work collaboratively with individual schools and school districts to support the needs of families and children.

How Our Services Assist Families.... What Services Do We Offer?

- Parent support, mentoring, and encouragement
- Consultation on educational concerns
- Attendance and participation in parent-school conferences
- Assistance in writing follow-up school related communications
- Consultation on Special Education issues
- Consultation on discipline issues
- Assisting parents in understand your child's special needs, including disabilities, and developmental delays, or disabling conditions
- Helping parents learn how to cope when their child is diagnosed with a disability
- Assisting parents in learning how to balance the needs of all children within the home.
- Providing information, resources, workshops, and parent training
- Promoting access to educational and community resources
- Providing information about the about the special education process: IDEIA, 504, ARD/IEP

Parent Training Workshops

- How to becoming an advocate for your child
- Understanding how schools work
- The Parent Engagement Formula – How to Help your Child Succeed in School!
- Understanding your child's disability and special education needs
- Understanding IDEIA and special education guidelines
- What Parents need to know and do once your child is diagnosed with a disability or chronic illness
- Other workshops and training based on special request

Teacher/Professional Training Workshops

- Universal Design for Learning
- Inclusion – What it is and What It Is Not!
- Differentiated Instruction
- Other customized workshops

Prices are based on individual needs and number of participants. Submit Inquiry form or contact: Dr. Marva T. Dixon at marva.dixon@att.net for more information. Website: <http://www.drmarvatdixon.com>