

Writing IPPs in the PUF Program

Facilitator(s):	April Prescott
Date:	August 29, 2023
Time:	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Cost:	
Location:	Virtual
Type:	Webinar
Session Code:	24-IE-215

Target Audience

Teachers, Instructional Coaches, Learning Coaches, /educational/Instructional Assistants

About this Learning Opportunity

In this workshop, teachers will learn the basics of writing the IPP for the PUF program. Included will be examples of different ways to include the necessary information to meet the requirements for Alberta Education in a parent-friendly manner. Participants will create a case study and complete an IPP together as part of the workshop, with the goal of leaving feeling more prepared for writing IPPs in the fall.

About the Facilitator(s)

April Prescott

When April Prescott was ten years old, she spent her summer holidays teaching to her stuffed animals—they were a captive audience and solidified her dream to become a teacher! She went on to work as an Educational Assistant for St Albert Public Schools for five years until she achieved her Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from the University of Alberta. While at the U of A, April enjoyed a season of varsity rugby to add to her 20+ years of playing the sport. After 16 years of teaching in early education for Connect Society and Aboriginal Head Start, April started her Master's in Counselling Psychology through Yorkville University. In the summer of 2016, April found herself in Bali, becoming a yoga teacher and satiating her love of travel. With her many years of experience and training, April came to ERLC with a desire to share knowledge, contribute to the field of education, and provide exciting opportunities for professional learning. When not working as an Inclusive Education Coordinator or a Mental Health Therapist, she trains dogs for sheep herding, teaches yoga, hikes, kayaks, camps, cycles, or plays Dungeons & Dragons.

Areas of Specialization:

- Trauma-informed practice for educators
- NeuroRelational Framework
- Circle of Security
- Mindfulness & Meditation
- Yoga and Mindful Movement
- Child & Adolescent Mental Health
- Educator Mental Health & Well-being
- Experiential Learning for Professionals
- Early Learning
- Planning for Program Unit Funding (PUF)
- Effective Home Visitation