



Essentials for Developing an In-District Emotional-Behavioral Classroom

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Training Level:	Level 1
Times:	2 Days
Suggested Audience:	Teachers, Behavioral Interventionist, School Counseling Staff, and School Administrators

Instructor/Trainer: Simon Taylor, MSW, LICSW

This two day introductory training will explore the essentials for developing an in-house ED-BD classroom. Workshop participants will explore understanding behavior, the different forms of behavior management i.e. techniques, approaches and interventions. Participants will examine clinical training on specific diagnoses and discuss practical applications of the “how-to” skills and techniques that work with students with such diagnoses.

Program Evaluation and Training – Mr. Taylor will conduct an extensive program review of existing ED-BD classroom structure, identifying strengths and pinpointing areas of recommended change. Upon completion of the program review, an ED-BD classroom development plan will be tailored specific to the school’s needs. All classroom program plans include point system, level systems, positive incentive systems, zero tolerance policies/plans, positive program culture, and case-management model.

New programs – Mr. Taylor can assist in designing and implementing new ED-BD programs. All (JLA) ED-BD classroom program plans include: point system, level systems, positive incentive systems, zero tolerance policies/plans, positive program culture, and case-management model.

Please note, all (JLA) ED-BD programs include “Essentials for ED-BD Classrooms” training as described in the Level 1 training workshop.



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Essentials for Emotional Disorders - Behavioral Disorders (ED-BD) Classrooms - Level II

Training Level:	Level 2
Times:	2 Days
Suggested Audience:	Teachers, Behavioral Interventionist, School Counseling Staff, and School Administrators

Instructor/Trainer: Simon Taylor, MSW, LICSW

The Level 2 training program incorporates the Essentials for ED-BD (Emotional Disorders – Behavioral Disorders) Classrooms - Level 1 training program and Clinical Consultation services. All ED-BD Classroom programs include clinical consultation to support the integrity of the program and to develop and strengthen staff knowledge in order to increase their ability to manage the specific student population. Consultation will include understanding of the students’ diagnostic picture and how such diagnoses manifest within the context of the classroom and behavioral concerns. Mr. Taylor will assist staff to implement best-practice approaches for effective intervention.

Intermittent and ongoing, programmatic/case and consultation are also offered whether on-site or via videoconferencing (or both.)

Additional areas of consultations can include:

Team functioning – assist teams in resolving conflict, enhance team functioning, coach underperforming personnel or assist administration in addressing concerns with team member functioning.

Family collaboration – assist schools in assuming a productive, working relationship with families. Mr. Taylor can help school staff to develop effective strategies in their work with families to resolve conflict and sustain a family-school partnership.

Collaborative work with outside providers – assist school team in bridging the gap between outside providers and the school by establishing an effective model of communication and collaboration.

**Consultation will/can include on-site visits or visits via video-conferencing depending on location.

Trainer Biography

Simon Taylor, MSW, LICSW has dedicated over 20 years of training to schools and programs throughout Massachusetts. He has worked extensively in both residential and therapeutic day school programs in both the public and private sector. Mr. Taylor’s wide-ranging experiences include past founding director of the Three Rivers Clinically Intensive Residential Program based in Springfield, MA and founder of a therapeutic alternative program for students with mental illness through the Holyoke, Massachusetts Public School system.