

MASSACHUSETTS ANTI-BULLYING LAW: IEP AND SCHOOLWIDE STRATEGIES TO PREVENT BULLYING OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Hosted by: Mass Advocates For Children

This workshop will address the significant changes in special education practice that are a result of the state's anti-bullying prevention law, focusing on both school-wide efforts to create safe and supportive school environments for students with disabilities and statutory provisions that require IEP Teams to address bullying of students with disabilities.



March 24, 2022

10:30-12:00

**Join Zoom Meeting
Meeting ID: 927 346 4214**

Contact:

Christi_fagerberg@waysideyouth.org

JOHANNE PINO HAS WORKED AT MAC SINCE 1999. IN HER ROLE AS A FULL TIME PROJECT COORDINATOR, SHE ENGAGES IN OUTREACH AND PROVIDES INFORMATION AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS, LEGISLATORS, AND PROFESSIONALS WHO WORK WITH CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES OR WORK ON LEGISLATIVE ISSUES THAT AFFECT CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES.

SHE WORKS TO ASSURE THAT SCHOOL SYSTEMS ACROSS THE COMMONWEALTH PROVIDE EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES SO THAT THE STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN THEIR COMMUNITIES. BY HELPING TO IMPROVE SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES AND SUPPORTS FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, SHE HELPS TO ENSURE THAT THEY WILL HAVE BETTER EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES AND WILL BE PREPARED FOR FURTHER EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT, AND/OR INDEPENDENT LIVING.