

Easton Area Parent Support Group

2012 Sullivan Trail, Easton PA September 21, 2019

2:00-4:00 PM

Guest Presenter: McAndrews Law Office Topic: FBA: Functional Behavioral Assessment



An FBA (<u>Functional Behavioral Assessment</u>) is a process for collecting information about problematic behavior. The data gathered is used to determine when, where, why, and how the behaviors occur. This data is then used to develop positive interventions.

Many children have inappropriate behaviors that are part of their disability. These behaviors may make it difficult to learn, cause harm to the child or others, or isolate a child from his or her peers. The good news is that children can be taught appropriate behavior skills.

If you are interested in learning more about the FBA, please RSVP for the Sept. 21 presentation. A special education attorney from McAndrews Law Office will cover areas such as:

- Methods used to determine causes of behavior
- > Steps in a functional assessment
- Variables to consider
- > Behavior as a form of communication
- Positive behavior approaches

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