

PARENT EMPOWERMENT CALLS

SCHEDULE OF TOPICS FOR 2010

These are educational calls being offered to all parents in Illinois who have a child with an emotional and/or behavioral concern, and will focus on giving parents information they need to advocate for and support their children.

January 7	Why Not Use What Works? An Introduction to Evidence Based Practice
February 4	"Crafting the IEP"
March 4	"It's More Than the ABCs" – What Illinois schools should be teaching children about Social & Emotional Skills
April 1	"Can I Play, too?"— Helping Your Special Needs Child Find Recreational Opportunities
May 7	What Every Parent Can Do for Their Child-- The Protective Factors
June 3	Crisis Happens...Are you Prepared?
July 1	The Power of Parent to Parent Support
August 5	Taking Care of Yourself
September 2	Say It Out Loud, But How Much?
October 7	"Alike, But Different" How Do We Gain Cultural Knowledge?
November 4	Whose Who on My Child's Treatment Team?
December 2	Tips for Handling the Holidays

12:00 PM-1:00 PM
Toll free: 1-800-260-0712
Participant Access Code: 120964

OR

7:00 PM-8:00 PM
Toll free: 1-866-812-0461
Participant Access Code: 120977

**Questions about the Parent Empowerment Calls?
Call 618.838.9382**