

Tips for how to use PWSA (USA)'s Wyatt Special Education Advocacy Training (WSEAT)

Tips for School Professionals

The WSEAT was designed to help both parents and school professionals because one of our primary goals is to strengthen the parent/school partnership. So, the WSEAT contains information that will be very helpful to school professionals including:

- Modules 5 and 6 contain crucial information for school professional about common challenges students with PWS face in a school environment. For each challenge these modules offer a solution. Viewing these modules, and reviewing the downloadable resources attached to both modules, will be useful to the entire IEP Team as well as other school personnel working with a student with PWS including a paraprofessional. We hope these modules will help school professionals quickly develop the additional knowledge needed to appropriately serve a student with PWS. We recommend requiring all IEP Team members to view these modules as part of their PWS training.
- Modules 1-4 and 7 include information also helpful to a school professional. These modules address the meaning of inclusion as well as the IDEA mandates on how to handle behavioral issues and the meaning of Free and Appropriate Public Education (FAPE). These are all important topics for school professionals.
- The downloadable resources attached to each module, and the additional resource page, also contain relevant information for school professionals.