## **IEP Agenda**

**Goal:** The goal of this session is to assist schools in facilitating the IEP meeting process for the purpose of enabling parents to become active participants in their child's education.

Materials: Laptop, LCD projector, PowerPoint Presentation, Presenter's Notes, Handouts

Learning Objectives: This module breaks the IEP process down into three categories; before the meeting, during the meeting, and after the meeting. Emphasis on parent friendly practices is highlighted. Topics include; parent tutorials, procedural safeguards, scheduling, location and transportation logistics, and best practice for follow-ups.

Time: 60 minutes

## **Breakdown**

- I. Overview of IDEA Indicator B-8
- II. Before the IEP Meeting
  - a. Parent Tutorial
  - b. Parent Friendly Practices
- III. During the IEP Meeting
  - a. Clear Explanations
  - b. Timelines
  - c. Responsibilities
  - d. Parental Rights
  - e. Parent Check-In, Follow-Up, and Communication
  - f. School Contact List
- IV. After the IEP Meeting
  - a. Parent check in
  - b. Follow up
  - c. School Contact Personnel
  - d. Parent communication