

**Sound Mind and Body: A District's
Obligation to Address Anxiety, School Phobia
and Mental Health Issues**

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Location: Morris-Union Jointure Commission
Professional Development Center
340 Central Avenue, New Providence

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Registration Fees:	MUJC Members:	\$140.00
	Nonmembers with Subscription:	\$140.00
	Nonmembers:	\$150.00

This in person inservice will review the traumatic and mental health issues that make many students eligible for special education and related services under the IDEA or Section 504 under the related classification categories. Children with psychiatric disabilities and emotional disturbances are increasing at an alarming rate. Discussion will include medical models verses school based therapies when considering the appropriateness of related services, including physical therapy, social skills, counseling, and behavioral plans to address attendance issues.

Participants will gain knowledge and skills in:

1. child find obligations,
2. attendance and truancy issues,
3. classification of students with Emotional Disturbances (ED) and Other Health Impairments (OHI),
4. legalities of therapeutic related services,
5. litigating residential placement cases.

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