



WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF
Public Instruction



Assistive Technology Forward

AT Category	Title of Presentation
AT 101	AT 101 by Paula Walser <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AT 101 Part 1: Legal Requirements• AT 101 Part 2: Gather Information• AT 101 Part 3: Decision Making and Tools• AT 101 Part 4: Trial Use• AT 101 Part 5: Examples of AT Resources
AAC	AAC Funding Tips and Considerations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is the Funding Process?• Pitfalls and Ethical Considerations of AAC Funding• SGD Vendor Resources• Slide Deck: AAC Funding Tips and Considerations Executive Function Skills and Augmentative Alternative Communication Connections <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Part 1: How AAC and Executive Functioning Go Together• Part 2: Principles for Improving Executive Function Skills and AAC Resources

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 3: Vocabulary Needed for Executive Functioning Skills ● Slide Deck: Executive Function Skills and AAC Connections <p>Supporting Language with Integration of Core in ACC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Links Between Literacy Development, Language Development, and Communication ● Core Vocabulary and Literacy Development ● Resources to Assist with Literacy Skills Development ● Slide Deck: Supporting Language with Integration of Core in AAC <p>Building a Coaching Model</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Building Safety and Trust in AAC Teams ● Involving AAC Users and Follow Up Discussion
<p>Accessible Educational Materials (AEM)</p>	<p>Accessible Educational Materials (AEM) in Wisconsin</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Overview of AEM ● Legal Requirements and IEP Team Decision Making Around AEM ● Overview of Next Steps After AEM Determination ● Slide Deck: AEM in Wisconsin; Are You Ready? <p>What Type of AEM is Needed?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● AEM for Students with Disability-Related Needs in the Areas of Decoding and Reading Fluency ● AEM for Students with Disability-Related Needs in the Areas of Vision ● AEM for Students with Disability-Related Needs in the Areas of Physical or Health ● Slide Deck: Providing Accessible Educational Materials (AEM); What Type of AEM is Needed? <p>Providing AEM; How do you acquire and use materials in your system?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Acquiring AEM ● Providing AEM Training for Students, Educators, Families and Caregivers ● Slide Deck: Providing AEM; how do you acquire and use materials in your system?

Providing AEM; How to monitor progress?

- [AEM in the Context of UDL](#)
- [AEM in the CCR IEP](#)
- [Understanding Monitoring Progress of AEM](#)
- Slide Deck: [Monitoring Progress of AEM](#)

Support with AEM

- [Wisconsin AEM Center](#)
- [Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired AEM Center](#)
- [CAST: National AEM Center](#)

Additional AEM Resources:

- [AEM Decision Tree](#)
- [Next Steps for Providing AEM to Students with Disabilities](#)
- AEM Videos by Amy Snow
 - [An Overview of Accessible Educational Materials \(AEM\)](#)
 - [Bookshare and Learning Ally Resources](#)
 - [Louis Database & Wisconsin AEM Center](#)

Accessing Grade Level Curriculum

Universal Design for Learning: Using Technology that Promotes Student Engagement for All

- [What Does UDL Mean in the Context of AT?](#)
- [Engaging Students with Complex Needs in Everyday Tasks](#)
- [SmartHouse Technology and Aha Moments](#)

Accessing Grade Level Content

- [How Do We Define AT in Terms of Inclusion?](#)

- [Picture Writing and Writing with Supports](#)
- [AT in the Areas of Music, Art, and Physical Education](#)

Low and No Cost Resources to Support Assistive Technology

- [Found at Your Desk](#)
- [Office Supply Store Hacks](#)
- [Found in Your Home and at the Local Store](#)

Finding Tools to Fit the Needs of Today's Student

- [Finding Tools to Fit the Needs of Today's Student Overview & Considerations](#)
- [Small, Lite or No Tech Required Assistive Technology](#)
- [High Tech Small, Digital Electronic and Wearable AT](#)

Accessibility 101

- [The What and Why of Accessibility](#)
- [Making Online Content Accessible: Colors, Fonts, and Links](#)
- [Making Online Content Accessible: Accessible Text](#)
- [Accessing and Creating Speech-to-Text](#)

AT Assessment & Evaluation

Title: AT Assessment—Where Do I Start?

- Part 1: [Start with the Team and the Process](#)
- Part 2: [Information Gathering and Assessment Tools](#)
- Part 3: [Analyzing Information for Decision Making](#)
- Slide Deck: [AT Assessment-Where Do I Start?](#)

Who Makes up the AT Team?

- [Why Consider an AT Team and Quality Indicators](#)
- [Who Makes Up an AT Team and Case Studies](#)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Implementing a Plan and Final Questions <p>How to Determine the Need for AT Versus the Benefit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What is A Need vs a Benefit for AT ● FAPE and LRE in Relation to AT ● Examples of AT in the IEP and Discussion Around Students' Needs <p>Using the SETT Framework to Plan for AT Assessment, Trials, and Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● An Overview of the SETT Framework ● An Explanation of the SETT Forms/Documents ● Support Effective Decision Making & Planning for Trials/Implementation
AT and IT	<p>AT and IT; Together for Students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 1: All Means All; Who is on your IT team? ● Part 2: Leaders and Funding Sources ● Part 3: How AT and IT Work Together; Implementation Steps ● Slide Deck: AT & IT: Together for Students
AT For Administrators	<p>Administrators as the Key to Excellence in AT Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What is an AT Leader? ● Leadership Action Steps ● Research Shows How AT Can Improve Student Outcomes ● Slide Deck: Administrators as the Key to Excellence in AT Services
AT in the IEP	<p>Using Data to Document AT in the IEP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Where to Document AT in the IEP

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Answering the Question: Does Your Student Need AT? ● Data Collection: The Why Behind Collecting It and What It Might Look Like ●
AT Resources	<p>Finding the Right Assistive Technology Fit: How to “Try it On”:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 1: What is Wistech? ● Part 2: Wisconsin AT4All: How do I search and get items on loan? ● Part 3: Other Loan programs DHH, WCBVI, WPBTAP, and Agrability ● Slide Deck
AT Team	<p>Assistive Technology Team; What Does That Mean to You?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 1: What is a Team? ● Part 2: Shared Visions Lead to Capacity Building ● Part 3: What Makes a Team a Success? ● Slide Deck: Assistive Technology Team; What does that mean to you?
Behavior	<p>Behavior as Communication</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What is Behavior? ● Rachael Langley Robust AAC and Emotions ● Tools to Support Students’ Behavior and Improve Regulation
Executive Functioning	<p>Executive Function Skills and the Connection to Behavior in the Classroom</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 1: What does executive functioning look like? ● Part 2: How does AT fit into executive functioning? ● Part 3: Strategies to Assist Students with Executive Functioning Needs ● Slide Deck: Executive Function Skills and the Connection to Behavior in the Classroom <p>Executive Function Skills and Augmentative Alternative Communication Connections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part 1: How AAC and Executive Functioning Go Together ● Part 2: Principles for Improving Executive Function Skills and AAC Resources

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Literacy	<p>Literacy for Students with Significant Disabilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy Challenges: Beliefs and Perspectives • Engagement in Literacy Access: Methods and Ideas • Ways to Educate and Evaluate Literacy Skills • Slide Deck: Literacy for Students with Significant Disabilities
Medical Complexities	<p>Supporting Students with Medical Complexities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students with Medical Complexities: What Does that Mean? • Our Big Idea: Robots • Pros and Growing Pains with Robots
Resources for Students and Families	<p>An Introduction to AT For Students and Families</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defining AT and IEP Considerations • IEP Documentation and AT Services and Device Expectations • Individual and Family Experiences and Helpful Resources <p>Supporting Caregivers and Teachers with Access to Digital Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions and Learning Processes • Reading Supports and Helpful Tools • Fun Ideas and Additional Helpful Tools
Sensory Supports	<p>Sensory Supports To Assist Students with Learning through Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Are Sensory Supports and How Do They Affect Kids? • Auditory System and Tactile Systems

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proprioception, Vestibular, and AT & Routines
Social and Leisure Activities	<p>Engaging Students in Social and Leisure Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legal Requirements and The Role of AT in Supporting Non Academic Skills • School AT Support for Social Interactions in Extracurricular Activities • AT Supports for Community Social and Leisure Activities
Transition	<p>AT and Postsecondary Education: University of Wisconsin McBurney Disability Resource Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slide Deck: Higher Education: Adaptive Technology Accommodations • Disability Laws and the University, Parent, and Student Roles • General Accommodations Process and Examples of Adaptive Technology Accommodations • Preparing for Postsecondary Education <p>Setting Students up for Success after High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AT for the High School to College Transition • Experiences on Using the Best AT for Unknown Situations <p>The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DVR 101 • How long does DVR work with people? • What needs to be in an AT assessment for DVR? <p>Hear from AT Users</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AT Users' Responses: What AT is mostly used today? • AT Users' Responses: Have you ever had people tell you you can't use AT? • AT Users' Responses: What AT did you use?

Universal Design for Learning (UDL)	UDL and Technology for All <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Part 1: Assessment and Involvement● Part 2: UDL Connections for Family Engagement● Slide Deck: UDL and Technology for All
Virtual and Digital Learning	Accessing and Creating Writing in a Virtual Learning Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none">● What is Writing and Other Considerations● Picture Writing and Writing with Supports● Making Worksheets Digital● Writing Supports for Students with Less Significant Learning Needs Universal Design Features to Increase Access and Engagement in a Virtual Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Comparing UDL and Assistive Technology● IEP and UDL Open Discussion Google and Chrome Accessibility Tools for Virtual Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Chrome and Smart Phone Tools● Accessibility Tools for Virtual Learning● Google Extensions