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Moving Forward at the Building Level

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Are you up for the USAPT challenge?



What is USAPT?

- Universal Supports Assessment and Planning Tool
 - An online tool used at a building level
 - Addresses building level supports and strategies to promote a positive, effective learning environment and it assists in preventing a majority of problem behaviors
 - Measures 2 main areas of support at the building level:
 - Foundational Supports: guiding principles, teaming, working with families
 - ASD specific strategies: focus on learning, independence, social relationships

Who? and When?

- Who completes the USAPT?
 - Building Coach: organizes and leads team, enters online information
 - Core members of the building team (Teacher, OT, SLP, SSW, Principal, ASD Consultant, etc.)
 - Should be familiar with building and the current use of Evidence Based Practices within the building
- When should it be completed?
 - At least once per school year
 - If you haven't already, start it now

How???

Locate all of the materials on the START website:

https://www.gvsu.edu/autismcenter/usapt-materials-36.htm

- Individual Team Members:
 - Complete Rating Form using the Scoring Guide (can be done online)
- Team Meeting:
 - Discuss individual ratings
 - Complete Team Scoring Analysis: Discuss areas of discrepancy
 - Complete Team Priorities: develop goals and objectives for areas of improvement
- Building Coach:
 - Assembles scores from individual Rating Forms (prior to team meeting)
 - Completes USAPT Online form at START website

http://gvsuautism.kdatasystems.net/Home



Need Help?

- START website:
 - http://www.gvsu.edu/autismcenter/usapt-15.htm
 - Access to materials, directions, and online USAPT 2.0
- Contact START or your local RCN:
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Can you?



