

Information About The Facilitators

South East Consortium SELPA values the partnership with local mediators who can assist the IEP team in resolving conflicts. Local Mediation will involve an impartial individual who will help in identifying issues and concerns and support the IEP team in finding a mutually acceptable outcome. Local mediation services can be requested when a consensus is not achieved at the IEP meeting and when other attempts to resolve conflicts have been found unsuccessful. The ADR Facilitator can help consider dispute resolution options, explain the mediation process, answer questions, clarify issues, and focus on resolving the issue between the parents and the other members of the IEP team.

The South East Consortium SELPA is happy to work with the following local mediators.



MARC PURCHIN

Areas of Expertise

- ADR
- ADR Best Practices
- Changing the School Culture for ADR
- COVID-19 Related Issues
- Communication & Collaboration
- Conflict Resolution
- Creating Systems (e.g., ADR Continuum)
- Creative Problem-Solving
- Cultural Responsiveness
- Due Process
- Equity
- Facilitated IEPs
- Facilitation
- Mediation
- Negotiation and conflict resolution coaching
- Parental Relationships & Advocacy
- Professional Development
- Resolving Complaints (e.g., Resolution Sessions)
- Strategic Planning Processes
- Training Parents for ADR Processes
- Virtual ADR Meetings



GAIL NUGENT

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- Strategic planning processes



If any member of the IEP team would like to consider a [different outside mediator](#), please contact the SELPA office at (408) 223-3775.