

April 10th
Learn about Support for Meeting the Highly Qualified Teacher Requirements

When: April 10th

Time: Two sessions to choose from 9:00 to 11:30 or 1:00 to 3:30

Location: Mississippi Bend Area Education Agency 729 – 21st Street
Bettendorf, Iowa 52722

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Interest Level: Middle School and High School

Register at: <http://www.solutionwhere.com/mbaea/cw/showcoursesbymonth.asp>

The purpose of the April 10th session is to provide teams with an overview of the Collaborative Teaching Initiative. The overview will provide participants with:

- explanation and rationale for the initiative
- explanation of the collaborative and consultative models
- description of specific responsibilities of all parties involved in the initiative
- discussion of issues that need to be addressed and structures that need to be in place to assist with success
- resources to assist in meeting the Highly Qualified Teacher requirements.

This is the first in a series of collaborative teaching sessions that will be offered as part of this initiative. Future dates will be announced at this meeting.

Districts are encouraged to send a core team to the information session consisting of an administrator, a general education teacher, a special education teacher, a building AEA team member, and other staff as deemed appropriate by the building. The core team will be the staff members who can share the information with the rest of the staff back in their buildings. Districts and teams will need to decide if they wish to participate in a train-the-trainer Collaborative Teacher Model after the initial meeting.

If you need assistance registering contact Judy Bickle at (563)344-6487 or Georgie Koenig at (563) 344-6487.