

Learning Objectives

MedBridge

English Language Learners Part 5: Language Impairment Intervention

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Summarize basic tenets of the Individuals with Disabilities Act (IDEA)
- Describe the Every Student Succeeds Act
- Explain the need for schools to improve early intervention services for at-risk culturally and linguistically diverse students
- Define the term primary language impairment
- List 3 basic goals of intervention
- Explain why bilingual intervention is ideal, even for students with severe disabilities
- Explain the purpose of the Thematic Redundance Approach to teaching vocabulary to ELLs with LI
- Describe why it is important to begin vocabulary intervention with a focus on receptive skills
- List, in hierarchical order, 17 therapy objectives that focus on teaching vocabulary