

BCBA-Teacher Collaboration

Framework for effective partnership

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Collaboration Foundations

Effective BCBA-teacher partnerships require clear communication, mutual respect, and shared goals. This framework helps structure productive collaboration.

Roles & Responsibilities

BCBA Role	Teacher Role	Shared
Conduct assessments	Provide classroom data	Define target behaviors
Design interventions	Implement with fidelity	Monitor progress
Train on procedures	Give implementation feedback	Problem-solve barriers
Analyze data	Collect daily data	Make data-based decisions
Adjust programming	Report what's working	Communicate with family

Communication Protocol

Weekly Check-ins (15-20 min)

- Review data trends from the week
- Discuss implementation successes/challenges
- Address any procedure questions
- Plan for upcoming week

Monthly Reviews (30-45 min)

- Analyze progress toward goals
- Discuss fidelity data
- Make programming adjustments
- Plan parent communication

Effective Consultation Checklist

- BCBA observes in natural classroom setting
- Feedback is specific and actionable
- Teacher input is actively sought and valued
- Written protocols are clear and practical
- Training includes modeling and practice
- Follow-up support is scheduled

Common Collaboration Challenges

Challenge: Teacher feels interventions are impractical
Solution: Collaborate on modifications that maintain behavioral principles while fitting classroom reality

Challenge: Inconsistent implementation
Solution: Identify specific barriers and problem-solve together; simplify if needed

Challenge: Differing perspectives on behavior
Solution: Return to data; focus on observable outcomes rather than interpretations

Data Sharing Agreement

- Agreed-upon data collection methods
- Clear timeline for data submission
- Shared access to data visualization
- Regular data review meetings scheduled
- Confidentiality protocols in place

Collaboration Notes

Streamline BCBA Collaboration

Classroom Pulse provides shared dashboards and real-time data access for seamless BCBA-teacher partnership.

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