



# WEBINAR

## Professional Development

### EVENT LOCATION

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### HOW TO JOIN

To join the webinar use the 'Event Location' link above and follow all directions within this site. The webinar is hosted by the All Partners Access Network (APAN), but will also be available through YouTube Live. By using APAN attendees will be able to participate with the presenter and other audience members. For a broadcast only webinar, participants have the option of connecting via YouTube Live.

### CE CREDIT & CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

The MFLN Military Caregiving concentration will apply for continuing education (CE) credit from the UT School of Social Work for credentialed and licensed professionals. Certificates of completion will also be available for participants interested in receiving training hours.

### PRESENTER

Sarah Taylor, MSW, Ph.D.  
*Associate Professor, Department of Social Work  
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Sarah Taylor, MSW, PhD is a teacher, scholar, and facilitator with over 20 years of experience in social services and higher education. She is an Associate Professor of Social Work at California State University, East Bay. As a deep generalist, she focuses on promoting well-being, building collaboration, and reducing inequities across human service systems. She explores these themes in a variety of contexts, including higher education, mental health, disability, and LGBTQ+ communities. Sarah's experiences as a parent of a child with a disability have informed her work, particularly as related to advocacy, access, and inclusion. Outside of work, she enjoys local and international travel, vegetarian cooking, and lots of walks in nature with her family. She is developing skills as an amateur radio show host for 96.1 KACR-LP Alameda Community Radio.

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# How Providers Can Support Advocacy & Leadership in Parents of Children with Disabilities

In this this interactive webinar tailored to providers who work with parents of children with disabilities, Sarah will share insights from her research on advocacy with over 300 parents of children with disabilities as well as her personal experiences in advocating for her 11-year-old son with fragile X syndrome. Participants will learn about the advocacy strategies parents use in successful advocacy efforts as well as how the parenting and advocacy journey shifts as children grow.

### Learning objectives:

- Learn about the goals, settings, strategies, and effectiveness of parent advocacy efforts on behalf of their children with disabilities.
- Explore opportunities to partner with, support, and mentor parents in their advocacy efforts.
- Apply knowledge and skills to case examples about parental advocacy.



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