

Universal Design for Learning (UDL): Addressing Learner Variability through Inclusive Instructional Design



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Date: Wednesday, April 22, 2026

Time: 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. EDT

Where: Live Interactive Webinar

Registered participants will receive an email with instructions on how to join the session.

Objectives: Participants will be able to:

1. Discuss the theory and principles of the UDL framework.
2. Apply the UDL framework to instructional design.
3. Select helpful resources for continuing to learn and implement UDL.

To register, [click here](#)
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This session offers an introduction to the Universal Design for Learning (UDL) framework as a method for designing inclusive learning environments. UDL is cited as a means for improving inclusive instruction in multiple laws and policies at both the national and state levels. By offering students flexible means of learning, schools can be more responsive to individual student needs and help unlock every student's potential. **Instructional level:** Intermediate.

Who should attend? Professionals and anyone interested in the topic. 3.0 Continuing Education Credits (Category 1) will be granted to licensed social workers and psychologists for attending the session in full and completing all requirements. A Certificate of Attendance will be made available for all other disciplines.

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