

Community Education Service

Skills that Help the Brain Get Things Done: Improving Executive Functioning in Children and Adolescents

Part 2

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Sign in: 6:45pm

Alberta Children's Hospital
Kinsmen Learning Centre (4th floor)
2888 Shaganappi Trail NW

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Executive functioning skills help the brain get things done in an organized and efficient way but what happens when a child or teen has difficulty in this area? Does your child often start an activity prior to hearing all the instructions? Have a hard time tolerating change? Have trouble knowing where to begin a big project? Or often underestimate time needed to complete a task? If so, strategies for improving executive functioning skills might be helpful. In this session you will learn how difficulties in executive functioning affect children and adolescents. You will also learn a number of strategies for helping your child or teen improve their skills.

Level I: This session presents an overview of improving executive function and would best meet the needs of families and/or professionals with little to no knowledge of, or experience, with this topic.

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