



## Subject Matter Expert Ashley N. Quick

Ashley N. Quick is a Field Associate and special education subject matter expert within Public Consulting Group's (PCG) Education practice supporting Project SUCCESS, a resource center developed and managed by PCG in collaboration with the Indiana Department of Education.

### Expertise

- Special education
- Standards-based instruction
- Data analysis

Currently, Ms. Quick serves as a Field Associate for Project SUCCESS. In this role, she works with the Indiana Department of Education to educate teachers on identifying how academic standards, functional skills, curriculum, and assessments are embedded within balanced instruction for students with significant disabilities. Ms. Quick also guides Indiana teachers in planning instruction and curriculum mapping with alternate standards, and establishing high expectations in the classroom. As a Field Associate, Ms. Quick focuses on increasing awareness of the Indiana alternative assessment and resources to increase academic success for students with significant disabilities.

### Experience

Prior to joining PCG, Ms. Quick was a special education teacher for 10 years in the elementary setting. She collaborated with general education teachers to implement individualized education plans for students with high-incidence disabilities and designed behavior intervention plans and adapted academic curriculum for students with a wide range of abilities. While working as a teacher, Ms. Quick also served on the school's Crisis Intervention Team. As a result, she has extensive hands-on experience responding to student behavior crises and utilizing verbal as well as physical de-escalation techniques to decrease severe physical behavior and to prevent the escalation of dangerous behaviors. Ms. Quick also has three years of experience in higher education custom publishing with Pearson.

### Presentations

- PATINS Project: Access to Education 2017, presenter The 1% Can Do It - Best Practice to Make It Happen
- SXSWEDU, 2018 presenter All Aboard! All Students Communicate & Learn

### Education

Ms. Quick received her Bachelor of Science in Elementary and Special Education from Indiana