Gretchen L. Timmel, M.Ed.
Educational Specialist, School Liaison, Curriculum Planner

Areas of Expertise:
• Autism Spectrum Disorder
• Nonverbal Learning Disorders (NVLD)
• Language Based Learning Disabilities (e.g. Dyslexia)
• Mathematics Disorder (Dyscalculia)

Gretchen Timmel, M.Ed. provides educational consulting services for children and young adults already receiving services at the Lurie Center for Autism. Ms. Timmel has extensive experience working in school and residential settings, collaborating across medical teams, schools, and caregivers to promote individual student success.

Ms. Timmel specializes in the development of educational programs, teaching methodology and curriculum. Since each student is an individual, the type and scope of the educational services recommended will vary based on the student’s unique needs.

Ms. Timmel is a Licensed Educational Psychologist in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. She received her Masters from University of Massachusetts with degrees in both education and school psychology. Ms. Timmel is also a Certified Elementary School Teacher.

Each student, family, school system, and extended support system offer unique challenges and opportunities. The goal of the Lurie Center educational consulting services is to promote the best possible learning environment for all students. Educational consulting services offer a collaborative effort between the student, family, school system, and the Lurie Center educational specialist to promote effective outcomes.

Ask your Lurie Center provider or Family Resource Specialist for a referral.
### Educational Consulting Services

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| $350                              | • Review of medical, neuropsychological and school reports, plans, and IEP.  
• In person or virtual meeting of any duration up to two hours in length with parents/guardians: student can be included in the meeting.  
• Initial consultation will include provision of educational impressions; preliminary recommendations will be provided during initial consultation.  
• Meeting will conclude with review of next steps. |
| **School Team Meeting**            |
| $350                              | • Record review prior to the team meeting.  
• Virtual or in-person meeting with school team to review IEP, placements, or other concerns. Includes one hour meeting and related documentation |
| **School or Home Observation**     |
| $1,200 + travel time               | • Up to two hours of observation time.  
• Full observation report will be provided.  
• 30-minute meeting for parent feedback to review the observation findings. |
| **Educational Testing**            |
| $750                              | • Up to two hours of achievement testing in the areas of reading, math, psychoeducational testing and writing.  
• Record review and report included.  
• 30-minute meeting for parent feedback to review testing results |
| **Additional Consultation Time**   |
|                                   | • For all services, additional consultation time will be billed separately at a rate of $50 per 15 minutes.                                                   |