Interprofessional Collaborative Practice (ICP)

**Ongoing Practice:** 

Course Correcting to Enhance Team Productivity

**When Challenges Occur** 



## **Potential Strategies**

- First, the leader guides the group through discussion about the issue using blame-free and anonymous feedback.
- Then, realign the common mission and goals from the input about who is being served (the student) and how to do better.
- Identify and clarify where there is any confusion or misunderstanding about roles and responsibilities.
- Re-negotiate as necessary.
- Identify communication breakdown and get training or a facilitator, as needed.
- Use transparency to rebuild trust.
- Model vulnerability and accountability by acknowledging hurt, exclusion, or disrespect.
- Re-establish team agreements and build in accountability measures, including check-ins, action plans, or progress tracking.
- Give people time and space for processing and healing
- Use team building activities.

## **Generalizable Skill: Reflection**

Reflection is necessary for all learning. Model reflection to think about power dynamics and to demonstrate shared decision making. Identify areas which need recalibrating to maximize and improve student outcomes.

## **Key Take Aways**



Acknowledge issues in a timely manner.



Realign, redirect, reflect-change is an ongoing process.



Celebrate small movement forward!

