

# Decision Making Model



Decision Making Steps	Decision Making Questions	Guiding Questions
<b>Problem Identification</b>	<i>What is the problem?</i>	What is the expected outcome? What is the evidence that the problem exists? What is the context of the problem?
<b>Problem Analysis</b>	<i>Why is the problem happening?</i>	When and where does the problem occur? Is the problem a result of curricula, instruction, data, environment or behavior? Is the problem a result of limited content knowledge and/or lack of appropriate professional development? What are possible solutions to the problem?
<b>Plan Development &amp; Implementation</b>	<i>What is the plan of action?</i>	Based on problem analysis, what is the goal of the plan? Based on problem analysis, what will be done differently? What evidence supports the plan? What evidence will be collected to monitor progress and fidelity to the plan? What resources are needed?
<b>Plan Evaluation</b>	<i>Did the plan work?</i>	Based on data, has adequate progress been made? Was the goal in the plan met? Is there a need to continue or modify the plan?