

# Becoming A Preceptor: Why, When, and How?

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# Benefits Serving as a Preceptor

- **Stay Current in evidence-based practice:** By teaching we learn
  - **Personal Development:** Opportunity to learn/reflect about yourself in provider & teacher role. Learn/develop communication styles
  - **Develop Relationships:** Meet new friends and colleagues
  - **Energy:** Break through pressures/monotony of daily practice; brings energy.
  - **Nurture:** Watch student grow from novice to grounded in skills
  - **Support:** The growth of the profession
  - **CEUs:** For ongoing certification
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