PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND PARENT SEMINARS:

Part 1: Helping Students with ASD Overcome Challenging Behavior and Improve their Quality of Life

Seminar 1: 8:30–11:30
Too often prevention strategies are put into place to decrease challenging behaviors without looking at which skills to teach to replace that behavior. This seminar will not only discuss how to use an individual’s strengths and difficulties to establish meaningful goals, but how to teach practical skills to replace challenging behavior.

Part 2: Encouraging and Shaping Desired Pro-social Behaviors in Students with ASD

Seminar II: 12:30-3:30
Systematic teaching of prosocial behaviors can not only reduce challenging behavior in students with ASD, but also lead to increases in independence and improvements in overall quality of life. The purpose of this session is to discuss how to select appropriate prosocial goals, develop effective and motivating teaching plans, and expand upon success.

1/14/2014 Ramada of Ithaca Ithaca, NY
3/12/2014 Holiday Inn Westbury-Long Island Carle Place, NY
1/17/2014 Poughkeepsie Grand Hotel Poughkeepsie, NY
3/13/2014 Holiday Inn Ronkonkoma, NY
1/23/2014 Holiday Inn Oneonta Oneonta, NY
3/18/2014 Binghamton Double Tree Binghamton, NY
2/13/2014 The Radisson Utica, NY
3/19/2014 Great Escape Lodge Queensbury, NY
3/6/2014 Holiday Inn, Wolf Road Albany, NY

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These seminars are offered AT NO COST to participants living in New York State through a grant from the New York State Education Department. Refreshments will not be provided. Participants may attend both seminars or choose to attend only one of the seminars. Seating is limited. Due to space limitations, preregistration is REQUIRED for this event.