

# ***Tri-State Autism Spectrum Disorder 2015-2016 Webinar Series***

The Tri-State Autism Spectrum Disorder Webinar Series is made available through collaboration with the Colorado Department of Education, Kansas TASN Autism and Tertiary Behavior Supports, and the Nebraska Autism Spectrum Disorders Network.

Anyone with an interest in learning about the characteristics of autism spectrum disorders and evidence-based practices is invited to attend any of our webinars. This may include administrators, general education teachers, specialist teachers (i.e., Music, Art), family members, paraprofessionals, special education professionals, healthcare and related service providers.



**All webinars are offered two times on the day scheduled:**

2:00pm – 2:45pm MT / 3:00pm – 3:45pm CT

*and*

3:30pm – 4:15pm MT / 4:30pm – 5:15pm CT

**To register select calendar and search date. Click on Survey Monkey link to complete registration for each webinar.**

- Colorado: [http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdesped/sd-autism\\_pd](http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdesped/sd-autism_pd)
- Kansas: [www.ksdetasn.org](http://www.ksdetasn.org)
- Nebraska: <http://www.unl.edu/asdnetwork>

## **August 19**

*Working with Students and Parents from Poverty*

Presented by Anna Shetler Huynh

## **August 26**

*An Introduction to High Functioning Autism*

Presented by Dawna Sigurdson, Ed.S. & Annette Wragge, M.Ed., BCBA

## **September 9**

*Bullying and the Autism Spectrum*

Presented by Susan Swearer, Ph.D.

## **September 16 & 23**

*Two Part Series: Evaluation Toolkit*

Presented by Cara Woundy, M.S., OTR/L, M.E.d, CAGS & Sharon Krupa-Sirotek, Ph.D.

## **September 30, October 7 & 21**

### *Three Part Series: Social Skills:*

#### *Expanding The World Through Social Development: Your “Wh” Questions*

- Sept 30: *Early Social Communicators*  
Presented by Jamie Lewis, M.S., OTR/L
- Oct 7: *Emerging Social Communicators*  
Presented by Cara Woundy, M.S., OTR/L, M.E.d, CAGS
- Oct 21: *Conversational Social Communicators*  
Presented by Susan Danner, M.S. Ed.

## **October 28, November 4, 11 & 12**

### *Four Part Series: Executive Functioning*

- Oct 28: *Executive Functioning: An Overview*  
Presented by Dawna Sigurdson, Ed.S. & Sharon Krupa-Sirotek, Ph.D.
- Nov 4: *Executive Functioning: A Closer Look*  
Presented by Dawna Sigurdson, Ed.S.
- Nov 11: *Executive Function Skills: Job Talk*  
Presented by Sara Ward, M.S., CCC-SLP
- Nov 12: *Executive Functioning Skills: STOP*  
Presented by Sara Ward, M.S., CCC-SLP

## **December 2 & 9**

### *Two Part Series: Verbal Behavior*

- Dec 2: *Teaching Using Verbal Behavior Strategies*  
Presented by Rhonda Ayers, M.S.Ed.
- Dec 9: *Using Verbal Behavior Strategies in Your Classroom*  
Presented by Deb Rauner, M.S.Ed.

## **December 16; January 13, 20, 27; & February 3**

### *Five Part Series: The Elements of Structured Teaching*

Dec 16: *The Principles of Structured Teaching*

Presented by Mary Flory, M.S. Ed.

Jan 13: *Physical Structure and Overall Classroom Schedules*

Presented by Mary Woodworth, Ed.S.

Jan 20: *Assessing Schedules and Work Systems*

Mary Woodworth, Ed.S.

Jan 27: *Teaching Routines & Strategies*

Presented by Mary Flory, M.S. Ed. & Mary Woodworth, Ed.S.

Feb 3: *Visual Structure of Tasks*

Presented by Mary Flory, M.S. Ed. & Mary Woodworth, Ed.S.



## **February 10 & 17**

### *Two Part Series: Catatonia and Autism*

Presented by Ruth Aspy, Ph.D. & Barry Grossman, Ph.D.

## **February 24; March 2, 9 & April 6**

### *Four Part Series: Programming for Middle and High School Students with Autism Spectrum Disorder*

- Feb 24: *Using Assessment and Curriculum Guides to Direct Programming for Middle and High School Students with ASD*  
Presented by Kate Loving, M.S. Ed., BCBA
- Mar 2: *Developing Routines and Independence Using Task Analysis*  
Presented by Sonja Chatfield-Peetz, M.S. Ed.
- Mar 9: *Developing and Implementing Age-Appropriate Visual Supports for School and Community Environments*  
Presented by Karine Gleason
- Apr 6: *Developing and Implementing Visual Supports for Social, Communication and Behavioral Skills*  
Presented by Kate Loving, M.S. Ed., BCBA

## April 13, 20, 27 & 28

### *Four Part Series: Autism and Early Childhood*

- Apr 13: *Joint Engagement and Joint Attention Strategies*  
Presented by Katie Wells, M.S. Ed.
- Apr 20: *Preparing for Purposeful Play*  
Presented by Lori Chambers, M.S., CCC-SLP
- Apr 27: *Teaching Object Based Play*  
Presented by Teri McGill, M.S. Ed.
- Apr 28: *Incorporating Play into the Natural Environment*  
Presented by Lindy McDaniel, M.S. Ed.



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