Introduction to Autism for General Education Staff Presented By: Region 10 Committee Members

Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) is a developmental disability that can cause significant social, communication, and behavioral challenges. There is often nothing about how people with ASD look that sets them apart from other people, but individuals with ASD may communicate, interact, behave, and learn in ways that are different from most other individuals. The learning, thinking, and problem-solving abilities of people with ASD can range from gifted to severely challenging.

OUTCOMES: Participants will:

- Identify the characteristics of autism
- Identify the strengths and challenges of students with autism
- > Understand the functions of behavior
- Identify the learning styles of students with autism
- Understand 27 Evidence-Based Practices (EBPs)
- **WHO:** General and special education teachers, school psychologist, school counselors, occupational Therapist, behavior specialist, mental health professionals, paraprofessionals, and parents.
- LEVEL: Intermediate
- COST: \$15 per person (includes lunch and materials). Go to <u>https://forms.gle/AbNkUWZFyn4XFBeZ6 (</u>Please copy and paste the link into google chrome) and follow the online registration instructions.
- WHEN:
 September 24, 2019

 Registration:
 8:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m.

 Presentation:
 8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.

WHERE: Jurupa Unified School District 10223 Bellgrave Ave., Mira Loma, CA 91752 From CA-60 E Take exit 42 for Van Buren Blvd toward Etiwanda (0.4mi) Take Van Buren Boulevard to Bellegrave Ave. (1.8mi) Use the right 2 lanes to turn right onto Mission Boulevard 0.2mi) Continue onto Van Buren Boulevard (1.4 mi) Turn right onto Bellgrave Ave. (0.2 mi) Destination will be on the right.



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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Friday August 30, 2019 (seating is limited). Please send checks *payable to Ontario-Montclair School District/SELPA, c/o Adrienne Ochoa,* 950 West "D" Street, Ontario, CA 91762. Purchase orders may be *faxed to (909)459-2530, attention: Adrienne Ochoa*. Cancellations will be accepted through Friday August 30, 2019 with a full refund, but <u>WILL NOT</u> be issued after the deadline. In the event that the presentation is canceled, registrants will receive a full refund. For registration assistance, please call *Adrienne Ochoa at (909)418-6503*.

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