



ASC Sponsors: Addressing Core Social Deficits in Autism Skills Training for Professionals

Instructor: Stacy Goresko, Ph.D.



Addressing Core Social Deficits in Autism is a one-day intensive training for professionals interested in learning more about Autism, The Core Deficits of Autism, Effective Communication and Relationship Development Intervention (RDI®). The class will include information sharing in the form of lecture, discussion, review of videotapes, and homework. Each participant will be expected to attend ALL classes, participate in class discussions, and complete short homework assignments.

Dr. Goresko is an RDI® Program Certified Consultant and an accomplished educator with more than 20 years experience directing and teaching in prominent schools and colleges. She is a respected presenter on Autism, helping children on the spectrum at home and school, building social relationships, and language use and social interaction in the classroom.

TOPICS COVERED:

What is Autism?

The Myths of Autism- Common Beliefs
Identifying the Core Deficits
Relating these deficits to your child or student

Relationship Development Intervention (RDI®)

What is Relationship Development Intervention?
How can I teach my child to be more connected?

Effective Communication is Key

What is Communication?
The DOs and DON'Ts of Language
Effective skills for your child/student

Where Do We Go From Here?

Identifying Personal Strengths and Weaknesses of you and your child/student
Developing a Mission Statement and Plan of Action

PROFESSIONALS WILL:

- Learn about the core deficits of autism
- Learn how to change your communication style to allow for more social relationships with your students or clients on the autism spectrum
- Gain an understanding of Relationship Development Intervention (RDI®)
- Learn how to engage and connect with children on the autism spectrum
- Develop a Mission Statement and a Plan of Action for your students or clients with autism

DATE AND TIMES:

Session 1:

October 6

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FEES:

\$175 for ASC members
\$190 non-members*

* Includes ASC membership

Certificate of Attendance will be issued.
Applying for Accreditations

**Registration
on Other Side**

**Registration is limited. First come first served.
Couples (both spouses) are strongly encouraged to attend.**

Payment: We accept cash, check, money order or Paypal via website. Make checks payable to "Stacy Goresko, Ph.D." Send registration form and payment to: Stacy Goresko, Ph.D. 8083 Meadowdale Square, Niwot, CO 80503. For Paypal, visit www.help-autism.com. Only completed, properly signed, and dated form accompanied by full payment will be processed. No refunds will be given*. Registration deadline: August 25, 2007 (parents/grandparents) and September 22, 2007 (professionals).

***Refund Policy:** You may cancel by email up to one week before the first session begins and you will be reimbursed 75% of the full fees.

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Location:

Autism Society of Colorado
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Suite 100
Lakewood, CO 80228
(In the First Bank Building)

PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS DATES AND TIMES:

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3
September 8, 2007	September 15, 2007	September 29, 2007
10 a.m. to noon	10 a.m. to noon	10 a.m. to noon

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Addressing Core Social Deficits in Autism (PLEASE PRINT)

Parent Grandparent Professional *(please check one)*

Parent/Adult #1 (primary contact) _____ Home # _____

Mailing Address: (Street) _____ Cell # _____

(City) _____ (Zip) _____ (e-mail) _____

Parent/Adult #2 _____ Home # _____

Cell # _____ (e-mail) _____

Name of Child on Spectrum _____ M ___ F ___ Age ___ Date of Birth _____

Brief Description of child _____

Form of Payment: Cash Money Order Check Paypal (www.help-autism.com)

Consent: *I have read and agreed to the information and policies listed and agree to the above terms.*

Signature _____ Date _____